

Welcome to MSTC

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OVERVIEW

- MSTC Network Login
- MyMSTC
- MSTC Email
- Computer Needs
- Software Needs
- Network Storage
- Course Website & Syllabus

PROGRAM SUCCESS ORIENTATION (PSO)

- Friday, August 30
- 9 am to 1 pm
- Room 122
- Strategies to ensure your success in IT programs
- Extra Credit for attendance
- Lunch

MSTC NETWORK LOGIN

- Username
 - ##### (student ID)
- Password
 - Initially same as username
 - Resetting password

WINDOWS ON iMAC

- First time installation
 - Launchpad, Citrix
 - Add(+), All Applications, Apple Lab
 - User Name: **college\#####** (your id)
Password: network password
- After first installation, just click Apple Lab icon (add to dock?)

USER PROFILES

- *iMac* user profile is maintained **on current computer**
- Citrix Windows profile is reset every time you log off
- Windows labs use *DeepFreeze*
 - Profiles reset every day (2 am ?)
- Store files on USB or in the cloud

MyMSTC

- Different username and password
 - Username=Student ID (can customize)
 - Password self-selected
 - Use Need to create a password?
- Access to
 - Email
 - Schedule
 - Transcripts
 - Registration options

MSTC EMAIL

- 24-7 access via Internet
- lastname####@my.mstc.edu
 - last 4 digits of student ID
- Only accessible via browser
- Other student addresses available in address book
- Don't use for SPAM

MSTC EMAIL

- Off-campus access

<https://outlook.com/mstc.edu>

- Or thru MyMSTC
- Authentication required
 - Network user name and password

ONLINE GRADES

- Current semester
 - Blackboard
 - Also used to view assignment due dates
- Past semesters
 - Access via MyMSTC
 - Final grades only
 - Academics, other academics, Assignments
 - Select the (semester) class

COMPUTER AT HOME

- School computers only available M-F
- Suggested configuration
 - 2-3 GHz processor
 - 3-4 GB or more of RAM
 - 320 GB + hard drive
 - Internet connection
 - USB drive

SOFTWARE NEEDS

- Provided by MSTC
 - Operating Systems
 - Windows 7 (32- and 64-bit)
 - Windows 8 (32- and 64-bit)
 - Programming Languages
 - Visual Studio 2012
 - Others
 - Visio 2013
 - VMWare (thru Kathryn)
- Downloadable via [Microsoft Dreamspark](#)
 - or checkout DVDs from me

SOFTWARE NEEDS

- Microsoft Office 2013
 - <http://wiscsoftware.wisc.edu/wisc/>
 - Available for \$78.99
 - WTCS Students, select Mid-State
 - Select the software you wish to purchase
 - Use Student ID (8-digits) to log in
- MSTC labs have Office 2010
 - Some minor compatibility issues
 - iMac Windows includes Office 2013

OTHER COMPUTER RESOURCES

- Room 101: Software Development Lab
- Room 136: Networking Lab
 - Note: User name/password are different than MSTC network user name/password
- Rooms 102, 104, 136 (Windows Labs)
- Library
- Lounge
- Other campuses

NETWORK STORAGE

- Available via shared_data\$ on iMac Desktop
- H: Drive
 - Your personal space
 - Limited storage
- I: Drive (Stevens Point Campus)
 - Instructor folder
 - Submit Student Work folder
 - Student Group Collaboration

CLOUD STORAGE

- H: and I: drives are NOT available off campus
- Cloud storage is more portable
- SkyDrive
Inclass files:
Account: mstcvgaul@hotmail.com
Password: student
- Your SkyDrive via my.mstc.edu (soon)
- 20GB SkyDrive with Office 2013

PRINTING IN THE LAB

- \$25 *lifetime* printing budget
 - Not *per semester*
- 5¢ per page
- Can refill your budget (front desk)
- Form available for refund

C.A.S.S.

- Campus Activities and Student Senate
 - Manage student activities and funds
 - Good leadership opportunity for resume'
 - Good to have an IT representative

COURSE WEBSITE & SYLLABUS

- www.volkergaul.com/MSTC
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