



Email, Calendar, and Contacts Transition

<http://emailtransition.gatech.edu>

A Strategic Technology Investment Committee Initiative

The Blue Print



Benefits

- Provides Larger Mailboxes – 50 GB (and beyond)
- Integrates with OneDrive for Business, Lync Online, & Office Suite
- Increases Security and Reliability
- Supports Office 2013 (without needing a plug-in)
- Improves Access from Mobile Devices (iOS, Android, Windows)
- Enables More Control over Your Anti-Spam Filtering
- Lengthens the Deleted Email Restoration Period

The Migration Process

Who Is Migrating?

Faculty, Staff, Student Workers,
Group Accounts, Shared
Accounts, Rooms & Resources

What Is Migrating?

Email, Calendar, Contacts, Tasks

When Are People Migrating?

- New Students – Now
- Departments – Now through Next Year
- Existing Students – Later this Year

Be Prepared!

- Pre-Migration Checklist
- Post-Migration Checklist
- Review the Known Issues
- Take the Lynda.com Online Class

You will continue to have access to Zimbra post-migration for 30 days.

Resources

Communications Toolkit

- Email Templates
- Posters
- Checklists

Training Opportunities

- 2-3 Minute Videos & Reference Cards
- “Navigation & Usage” Videos
- In-Person and Online Training



Your Feedback – Your Project – Your Choice



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Questions?





Why Office 365 and Not Google?

- Legal Requirements
 - Data Needs to Stay in the U.S. ^[1]
 - Data Privacy ^[2]
- Same Look and Feel Across Campus Systems
 - No On-Premises Version of Google ^[3]
- Microsoft Office File Compatibility and Support
 - No Connectors for Office Integration ^[4]
 - Save Files with Standard Office Formats ^[5]
- Provides More Storage
 - Office 365 starts at 50GB for Free ^[6]
 - Google Apps for Education starts at 30GB for Free ^[7]

[1] "Your data will be stored in Google's network of data centers. Google maintains a number of geographically distributed data centers."

<https://support.google.com/a/answer/60762?hl=en>

[2] "Google Under Fire for Data-Mining Student Email Messages." Mar 26, 2014. <http://www.edweek.org/ew/articles/2014/03/13/26google.h33.html>

[3] "Google lets developers try building applications with on-premise version of App Engine." Jun 21, 2013. <https://gigaom.com/2013/06/21/google-lets-developers-try-building-applications-with-on-premise-version-of-app-engine/>

[4] "Google Apps Sync for Microsoft Outlook." <https://tools.google.com/dlpage/gappssync>

[5] "Upload a Word document and convert it to a Google document." <https://support.google.com/docs/answer/49008?hl=en>

[6] "Business-class email including calendar and contacts with a 50 GB inbox." <http://office.microsoft.com/en-us/academic/compare-office-365-education-plans-FX103045755.aspx>

[7] "Google Apps offers up to 30GB of storage per user." <http://www.google.com/enterprise/apps/education/products.html>