

[Faculty] Windows Labs Update

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To: faculty@eecs.utk.edu Cc: EECS IT Staff <itstaff@eecs.utk.edu>, staff@eecs.utk.edu

Dear Faculty,

The EECS IT Staff has finished upgrading the general-purpose Windows labs (Claxton 104/Crux, Ferris 425/Tesla, Ferris 101/Vector) to Windows 7 and UT NetID logins. Please see the following link for detailed information:

http://www.eecs.utk.edu/itdocs/labs/activedirectory

Some faculty have asked whether any UT student can use our EECS Windows labs. Because we have a number of strict license agreements with software vendors, we cannot make our labs available to all UT students but only to those directly affiliated with EECS. Anyone who needs to use any EECS lab system (Windows and Linux) will need to have an EECS account. While the Windows systems authenticate using a student's NetID, he or she will still need to have an EECS account.

Linux labs will continue to use the EECS account for authentication. I hope this clears up any confusion. As always, please direct any questions or concerns to <u>ithelp@eecs.utk.edu</u>.

Thanks,

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