

The software list includes:

The Office of Information Technology (OIT) maintains licensing for some university-wide software products to be installed in all teaching PC, this list includes but is not limited to:

- Operating Systems - Windows Vista Business Edition and Mac OS X – Leopard Edition
- Microsoft Office - Windows and Mac Edition
- Adobe Creative Suite - Windows and Mac Editions
- SPSS
- ESET Antivirus
- Microsoft Visual Studios
- Microsoft Visio Standard Edition
- Faronics DeepFreeze – Windows and Mac Editions
- Microsoft SQL Server standard edition and management tool
- Pharos print management system

Individual departments also maintain licensing for software products. It is the responsibility of those departments to provide OIT with software packages and a copy of the installation instructions in a timely manner before the start of each semester.

OIT reserves the right to refuse software that is unlicensed, or may cause the computer to malfunction.

Classrooms & Public Technology

- Four (4) Computer Labs for Teaching
- Two (2) Public Computer Labs (St. Vincent's 107 and the Library)
- Three (3) Private Computer Labs (Financial, Communications and Hospitality)
- 97 teaching computers
- 103 public computers
- 72 private computers (of which 28 Macintosh systems)
- 51 fully equipped classrooms, which include a computer, projector/screen, control system and document camera/visual presenter.
- 7 wall mounted SMART Boards distributed among three (3) rooms, two (2) of which are computer labs.
- 2 InterWrite Boards in use by the College of Business. They are in the process of switching these to the campus standard SMART Boards.
- 2 fully equipped video conferencing (PolyCom VSX 8000) rooms capable of sharing content with any IP based systems.
- We have one state of the art portable video conferencing system (PolyCom HDX 8000) for use on campus.

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Classroom Technology Standards

Every general purpose classroom the University contains a common set of A/V equipment operated through a standardized user interface. If an instructor knows how to operate the technology in one classroom, they know how to operate the technology in every classroom. Additionally, standardized technology simplifies troubleshooting, maintenance, and the variety of spare equipment that must be kept on hand.



The standard technology includes:

- One LCD projector (minimum 2500 lumens) and (motorized or fixed) projection screens or interactive whiteboards by Smart Tech.
- An AMX control system including a touch panel for operating the technology.
- A visualizer (table top or ceiling mounted) - for working problems in class, for displaying pages of a textbook, for showing specimens (*e.g.*, plants, fossils), for demonstrating the operation of small equipment (*e.g.*, a scientific calculator), and for displaying 35mm slides.
- A resident PC running either Windows or Mac operating system and having a standard set of applications.
- Cabling for connecting user-provided devices to the system, such as a laptop or a flash drive.
- A sound system which includes speakers throughout the room and - in larger rooms - a microphone for the instructor.
- A TV tuner allowing for basic cable television to be viewed in class.
- Wall mounted phone for emergencies.

Standard for Teaching Labs and Conference Rooms

Teaching labs and conference rooms often do not have room for a technology podium. A second, zero-footprint standard was developed for these rooms. This standard includes the same ceiling-mounted LCD projector and motorized screen or interactive whiteboard, and the same AMX control system. But, input devices (computers, visualizer) are provided on an as-needed basis. The touch screen and input connectors are mounted on the front wall of the room. The user interface is similar to that in the standardized technology classrooms.

