

# Computer Recommendations

| Item             | Minimum Recommended   |
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| Operating System | PC: Microsoft Windows 7<br>MAC: OS 10.7 (Lion)                    |
| Processor        | PC: Intel Core 2 Series or Equivalent<br>Mac: Intel Core 2 Series |
| Memory (RAM)     | 4 GB  |
| Hard Drive       | 250 GB  |
| CD-DVD Drive     | DVD-ROM Drive   |
| Network Card     | 10/100 Network Interface Card (NIC)                               |
| Wireless Card    | 802.11g (if a laptop)   |

## Software/Applications:

- MS Office 2007 or newer (Word, Excel, and PowerPoint)
- Internet Browser:
  - \* Internet Explorer 9 or later
  - \* Updated Mozilla Firefox
- Updated Antivirus Software
- Updated Adobe Reader / Flash plug-in
- Windows Media Player and/or VLC Player

*Connections to the campus network in the residence halls are provided via wired LAN and Wireless LAN (802.11 b/g/n).*

***Please be advised that connection of wireless access points and cable/DSL routers are prohibited in residence halls. Cable internet or DSL are encouraged for students living off campus.***

Black and white printing is available in all computer labs on campus. Color printing is available through the Print Shop( in the VAC), or through IT Services (Smith Science Center)

**Online and Commuter Students additional recommendations:**

- Headset with microphone
- Webcam capable of video conferencing
- Inkjet or Laser Printer
- Cable/DSL Internet Connection
- Check with your academic department for any additional requirements.