Email, Calendar, and Contacts Transition

http://emailtransition.gatech.edu
The Blue Print

Email Data Protection Policy

GT Email Address

One GT Unified Service

Hosted Exchange Outlook

EMFL

“Your Choice” Mailbox

Office 365 Outlook
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

http://b.gatech.edu/eccfeedback
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