

Technology Resources 2013 - 2014



Total computers for students use	2,083	Wireless Access	
Open Labs	125	Student Union	100%
Restricted Labs	480	Classrooms	20%
Computer Classrooms	92	Dorms	5%
Departmental Labs	790	Library	100%
Sims Memorial Library	116	Outdoor Areas	25%
		Dining Areas	100%
Total number of computer classrooms and labs	51	Faculty & Staff offices	10%
Average number of computers per computer lab	28		
		Simultaneous Users Available	4,000
Operating Systems installed on institutionally owned computers:		Student & Graduate Technology Assistants	
Windows 7/XP	84%	Summer 2013	3 GAs & 1 Student Worker
Mac	5%	Fall 2013	3 GAs & 1 Student Worker
Linux and Unix	11%	Spring 2014	3 GAs & 1 Student Worker
Campus Network Connection		Multimedia equipment provided for students to check out: digital cameras, digital video cameras, scanners, and professional quality printers.	
Faculty & Staff offices wired to network	99%		
Classrooms wired to network	98%		
Library	95%		
Student Housing rooms wired to network	100%	All students receive a permanent university e-mail address that they can keep after they graduate.	

Source: Office of Technology

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Linus A. Sims Memorial Library: Sims Library utilizes a variety of technologies, including a 24/7 virtual reference service, to deliver resources and services to the students and faculty of Southeastern. The Library's online catalog, electronic indexes, full-text databases, and an electronic reserves system are available to both local and distance users, although off-campus access to some resources does require user authentication. Within the building there are more than 100 desktop computers offering access to a broad selection of software packages, and laptops and iPads are also available for checkout. A computer with adaptive equipment and software (including JAWS, Naturally Speaking, Zoom Text, and OpenBook), is available in the Media Department. Printing, scanning, and wireless technology are also offered. Many of the Library's operations are handled through the statewide automated library system, Sirsi/Dynix Symphony, operated by the LOUIS office at Louisiana State University. Interlibrary Loan transactions are facilitated through use of ILLiad, an electronic Interlibrary Loan system, and through use of Odyssey software and Article Exchange (OCLC's document-sharing site) designed to facilitate timely delivery of articles. Two laboratory classrooms allow hands-on learning for students enrolled in the Library's credit course teaching information literacy skills and for course-specific bibliographic instruction classes. An additional classroom utilizes a Sympodium audiovisual system and a presentation practice studio allows students to develop and rehearse multi-media presentations individually or in small groups. The Library's webpage provides links to the myriad of resources and services being provided, with online forms available for a variety of service requests.

Center for Faculty Excellence: The Center for Faculty Excellence helps faculty select and incorporate appropriate technologies to enhance their teaching, improve student learning and promote their research. Through workshops, seminars, and individualized training, the Center assists in adapting curriculum for electronic delivery, creating multimedia presentations, and developing technical components for faculty projects, presentations or publications. We offer software support ranging from basic office applications to graphics and video-editing programs, as well as a variety of loaner equipment including projectors, video cameras, laptops, and digital cameras. The knowledge and skills faculty gain through the Center are transformed into tools and strategies that enhance both traditional and distance learning environments.

Source: Sims Memorial Library and Center for Faculty Excellence