# Email User Guide

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#### **1** Overview

This document explains the basic functionalities of the College email system, Exchange 2010. Instructions are designed primarily for Outlook and OWA (Outlook Web Access), although some setup instructions are included for some other clients and mobile devices. We recommend Outlook and OWA to take full advantage of collaborative features: shared folders, contacts, calendars, etc.

For more general information about email and best practices, please refer to *Email Best Practices* on <u>Docushare</u>.

#### 2 Access

The email server, Exchange 2010, is where your email account, along with all the emails, calendars, etc., are stored. The email client, for example Outlook, is the application you use to access your account, send emails, respond to calendar invitations, etc. Although the email client may make a copy of your data on your computer, it is always still available on the server, such that it could be accessed from another client or another computer.

This section provides instructions to launch/configure emails clients for the first use.

#### 2.1 Outlook

Microsoft Office Outlook 2010 should already be installed and configured on your Dawson desktop or laptop computer. If not you may be prompted to 'add a new account' : just choose Email account and type in your Dawson email address (which is usually your network account with @dawsoncollege.qc.ca) as shown in Figure 1. This may also done or modified at any time by launching Mail from the Control panel.

To use Outlook at home, you need to configure Outlook Anywhere (see *Configuring Outlook Anywhere* on <u>SharePoint</u>). Alternatively you can use a Web browser (see OWA below). Please note that Outlook Express does not allow a native connection to Exchange.

	Add New Account	<b>X</b>	
Add New Account	Auto Account Setup Click Next to connect to the mail server and automatically configure your account settings.		
Choose Service	E-mail <u>A</u> ccount		
	Your Name:	Test User	
E-mail Account Connect to an e-mail account provided by your Internet service provider (ISP) or your organization.		Example: Ellen Adams	
	E-mail Address: t	tuser@dawsoncollege.qc.ca	
Text Messaging (SMS) Connect to a mobile messaging service.		Example: ellen@contoso.com	
© <u>O</u> ther	Password:	******	
Connect to a server type shown below.	Retype Password:	******	
Fax Mail Transport Microsoft Outlook Hotmail Connector	L	Type the password your Internet service provider has given you.	
	© Te <u>x</u> t Messaging (S	MS)	
< Back Next > Cancel	$\bigcirc$ <code>Manually</code> configure server settings or additional server types		
		< <u>B</u> ack <u>N</u> ext > Cancel	

Figure 1: Add a new email account

## 2.2 Outlook Web Access (OWA)

OWA is a good alternative to Outlook when working remotely. It can be accessed by pointing your Web browser to <u>https://webmail.dawsoncollege.qc.ca</u>. The logon screen should be as shown in Figure 2. OWA can also be accessed from MyDawson, My Dawson Life : Outlook Email. In that case you will not prompted to login.

On the logon page, there are two security options: public or private computer. The default option, public, should be used on computers that are used by more than one person. With this option, your session will time out after 15 minutes inactivity, and your username will not be saved. With the private option, the session timeout is 8 hours.

The interface comes in two flavours: light, which only has reduced functionality, and premium. The premium interface is available with the following browsers: Internet Explorer 7 or later, Firefox 3.01 or later, Safari 3.1, or Chrome. On the Ipad, Safari does not support Premium OWA, however Google Chrome, in desktop mode, does.

By default, if your browser supports it, the premium interface will be used. This can be changed by checking the option on the logon screen.

Outlook	Outlook Web App						
Security ( show	vexplanation)						
This is Warn this c security	<ul> <li>This is a public or shared computer</li> <li>This is a private computer</li> <li>Warning: By selecting this option, you confirm that this computer complies with your organization's security policy.</li> <li>Use the light version of Outlook Web App</li> </ul>						
_							
User name: tu	user						
Password:							
Connected to Microsoft Exchange © 2010 Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.							

#### Figure 2: OWA login

If you are unsure of wheter you are using light or premium, click the help button 🕐 located at the top right of the screen. In the light interface, this will say 'Outlook Web App Light'. In the premium interface, it is a drop-down, the Help item will say 'Outlook Web App'. Another quick way to tell is the light interface appears with a blue theme, while by default the premium interface has the yellow theme similar to the login screen shown in Figure 2.

#### 2.3 Outlook for Mac

Outlook for Mac should be as easily configured as its Windows counterpart. If it has not already been configured, you may do so by choosing Tools:Accounts from the menu, and following the prompts, as shown in Figure 3. Choose Exchange Account and make sure your user name is prepended with the domain, dawsoncollege.

		Enter your Exch	ange account information.
		E-mail address:	tuser@dawsoncollege.qc.ca
$\square$	Add an Account	Authentication	
	To get started, select an account type.	Method:	User Name and Password
	Exchange Account	User name:	dawsoncollege\tuser
	Microsoft Exchange accounts are used by corporations and other large organizations.	Password:	
			Configure automatically
<b>6</b>	E-mail Account		
	POP or IMAP e-mail accounts include those from Internet service providers, or from e-mail services such as AOL, Gmail, MobileMe, Windows Live Hotmail, Yahool, and others.		Cancel Add Account

Figure 3: Add a new email account in Mac Outlook

# 2.4 Other email clients and mobile devices

Other email clients such as Thunderbird connect to Exchange through the standard IMAP protocol, which means they only have access to email and folders, not the calendaring and contacts.

To setup your client, use the IMAP server webmail.dawsoncollege.qc.ca and SSL encryption. On Thunderbird you would go to Account Settings>Add Account, and then go to Server settings>Security Settings to set the SSL encryption.

Additionally on Thunderbird, you might want to ensure all folders are synchronized with Exchange. Go to Account Settings>Offline & Disk Space and check off "Make the messages in my Inbox available when I am working offline" and "When I create new folders, select them for offline use". Now click on Select folders for offline use and check off all folders. You can check if it works by going to File>Compact folders.

Your mobile device can also be configured to synchronize with Exchange. Please see documentation on Docushare for the <u>iPhone/iTouch</u> and the <u>BlackBerry</u>. Basically for the family of Apple mobile devices, you will need to supply the domain, dawsoncollege, and the email server, webmail.dawsoncollege.qc.ca.

Calendaring can be added to Thunderbird by adding Lightning, Mozilla's Calendar add-on <u>https://www.mozilla.org/projects/calendar/</u> and the provider for Microsoft Exchange <u>https://addons.mozilla.org/en-US/thunderbird/addon/195279/</u> follow the instructions on the respective pages.

# 3 Managing accounts

#### 3.1 Changing your password

We recommend to change your password using the My Dawson portal, under My Dawson Life : Network account. This also sets your security questions, which can come in handy if you later forget your password.

It is however possible to change your password in OWA. Click Options on the upper right, and then choose "Change Your Password", to get to the screen as in Figure 4. Then click Save.The password needs to be at least 8 characters long and be 'complex', i.e. include a mix of lower case, upper case, and digits<sup>1</sup>. Keep in mind the network (Active Directory) and email passwords are the same, so changing your password here will also change your network password. Also if you have chosen to save your password in Outlook, mobile device, etc. these will need to be re-entered too.

Mail > Options						My Mail 🔞
Account Organize E-Mail Groups	Mai	2000 C	eneral Sent Nor	Régional	Password	
Settings	Change	Password				
Phone Block or Allow	confirm i After saw in again Doma Currei	t. You'll be notified inluser name: nt password:	ed to re-enter yo	ur user name a word has beer	then type it again t and password and a changed succes	d sign
	25	assword: m new password	i			

Figure 4: OWA options: change password

#### 3.2 Shared mailboxes

A *shared mailbox* is a mailbox that is made available to one or more users to read and send e-mail messages. It can be used for a pool of people to respond to service requests, such as <u>helpdesk@dawsoncollege.qc.ca</u> or <u>purchasing@dawsoncollege.qc.ca</u>. It can be useful even there is only one user having access to it, as it provides a more permanent address not linked to a particular person, for example fcs@dawsoncollege.qc.ca (First Choice Science Coordinator).

If you need a shared mailbox created, or need access to an existing one, contact the Hepldesk.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For guidelines on choosing a good password, see <u>http://www2.dawsoncollege.qc.ca/helpdesk/kbase/article/57</u>.

Once you have access to a shared mailbox, Outlook will automatically display it in your mail group/list

along withg your regular account. You will also get a dropdown list in the From field, **From** to allow you to send emails from that account rather than your regular email address.

In OWA, only one account at a time can be displayed. You need to login to your regular account, and switch to the shared mailbox by clicking your name on the top right hand corner. Type in the shared box name, and click Open (see Figure 5).

Osign out	Francois Paradis
Open Other Mailbox	×
Select mailbox:	
another username	Open

Figure 5: Switching mailbox in OWA

#### 3.3 Showing external accounts

Outlook can be configured to show your personal email account as well as your Dawson email account. The procedure may differ depending on your email provider ; it may involve enabling the feature with your provider, and adding the account in Outlook. Below are some examples for some popular email providers.

Please note that you will not be able to use these external servers directly to send email (SMTP) as this is disabled within Dawson's network this for security reasons. This is not a problem however, since you can relay emails through webmail.dawsoncollege.qc.ca, as long as you authenticate with your Dawson credentials. For details, see under Yahoo below and Figure 7.

- Gmail. Log in to your Gmail account and choose Settings from the top navigation bar. Go to the Forwarding and POP/IMAP tab, and select "Enable IMAP" under IMAP Access.
   Within Outlook you need to create a new IMAP account under File:Info, Add Account. See instructions at <a href="https://mail.google.com/support/bin/answer.py?answer=77689">https://mail.google.com/support/bin/answer.py?answer=77689</a> (from Gmail help pages).
- Yahoo. Yahoo has an IMAP server at imap-ssl.mail.yahoo.com. In Outlook, go to File:Info, Add Account, and choose 'Manually configure server settings or additional server types'. In the next screen, choose 'Internet E-mail'. Fill in the information as shown in Figure 6. Before clicking Next, you need to choose 'More Settings' and enter your Active Directory credentials, as shown in Figure 7.

Add New Account		
Internet E-mail Settings Each of these settings ar	e required to get your e-mail acc	ount working.
User Information		Test Account Settings
Your Name:	Test User	After filling out the information on this screen, we
E-mail Address:	tuser@yahoo.com	recommend you test your account by clicking the button below. (Requires network connection)
Server Information		
Account Type:	IMAP 💌	Test Account Settings
Incoming mail server:	imap-ssl.mail.yahoo.com	Test Account Settings by clicking the Next button
Outgoing mail server (SMTP):	webmail.dawsoncollege.qc.ca	
Logon Information		
<u>U</u> ser Name:	tuser@yahoo.com	
Password:	******	
	emember password	
Reguire logon using Secure	Password Authentication (SPA)	More Settings
		< <u>B</u> ack Next > Cancel

#### Figure 6: Adding a Yahoo account

Internet E-mail Settings							
General	General Sent Items Deleted Items						
Outgoing Serve	Outgoing Server Connection Advanced						
My outgoing serv	er (SMI	P) requires authen	tication				
© <u>U</u> se same set	tings as	my incoming mail s	erver				
Log on using							
User <u>N</u> ame:	tuser						
Password:	*****	****					
	Rer	nember password					
Reguire S	Reguire Secure Password Authentication (SPA)						
OK Cancel							
				Cancel			

#### Figure 7: Setting SMTP authentication

• *Live Hotmail*. Outlook 2010 can synchronize email, contacts and calendars with Live Hotmail. Just choose File:Info and Add Account from Outlook and fill in your Hotmail account information.

### 3.4 Auto-reply

If you plan to be out of the office for a day or longer, you can use the Out of Office Assistant to automatically generate replies to any e-mail you receive while you are gone.

	sign out Test U
ail > Options	Му Маї
:count	
rganize E-Mail	Inbox Rules Automatic Replies Delivery Reports
oups	
ttings	Automatic Replies
one	Create automatic reply (Out of Office) messages here. You can send replies to senders the whole time you're away or for a specific period of time.
ck or Allow	⊖ Don't send automatic replies
	<ul> <li>Send automatic replies</li> </ul>
	Send replies only during this time period:
	Start time: Wed 12/5/2012 (8:00 AM 2)
	End time: Thu 12/6/2012 (8:00 AM   \$
	Send a reply once to each sender inside my organization with the following message:
	Tahoma V 10 V B I → E = : : : : 2 · ∆ · ∠ : " & x
	I am away from the college from February 29th to the 30th, and will attend to your message on my return on March 1st. For urgent enquiries please contact someone else at extension 9999.
	<ul> <li>Send replies to all external senders</li> </ul>
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	<ul> <li>Send replies to all external senders</li> <li>Send a reply once to each sender outside my organization with the following message:</li> <li>Tahoma ■ 10 ■ B I ➡ ≡ ≡ ⋮ ⋮ ⋮ ⋮ □ 2 △ 2 △ 0 ⊗ x<sup>4</sup></li> </ul>
	Send replies to all external senders Send a reply once to each sender outside my organization with the following message:
	<ul> <li>Send replies to all external senders</li> <li>Send a reply once to each sender outside my organization with the following message:         <ul> <li>Tahoma</li> <li>I</li> <li></li></ul></li></ul>

#### Figure 8: Out of Office Assistant

The auto reply can only be set in OWA. Click on "Options" (top-right) and select "Set Automatic Replies ..." (OWA premium) or "Automatic Replies" (OWA light). Check "Send automatic replies" and enter your message as shown in Figure 8. You can specify different messages for internal and external recipients, which is taken to be Exchange or not Exchange users, respectively.

To unset your auto-reply, choose "Don't send automatic replies".

#### 3.5 Forwarding email

To forward incoming emails to another address, you need to set up an Inbox Rule. This feature is available in Outlook or OWA Premium. Instructions below will only show OWA Premium. To access the functionality in Outlook, go to File:Info and select "Manage Rules and Alerts".

In OWA, click on "Options" (top-right of your screen) and select "Create an Inbox Rule...". In the new screen, click 'New...' as shown in Figure 9 to create a new rule.

Outlook Web App				
Mail > Options				
Account		<u></u>	\$X?	
Organize E-Mail	Inbox Rules	Automatic Replies	Delivery Repo	orts
Groups				
Settings	Inbox Rule	es		
Phone	Choose hov	v mail will be handle	ed. Rules will b	e applied in
Block or Allow	rule to run,	you can turn it off c	or delete it.	
	🖄 New	- 📃 Details 💙	< 🔺 🔹	Ø
	On	Rule		
	The	ere are no items to	show in this vie	2W.

Figure 9: Creating a new Inbox rule 1/5

A new window pops up. Fill in the fields as shown in Figure 10. "When the message arrives..." should be set to "My name is in the To or Cc box". "Do the following" should be set to "Redirect the message to...".

Ø New Inbox Rule - Windows Internet Explorer	
New Inbox Rule	
*Required fields	
Apply this rule	
* When the message arrives, and:	
My name is in the To or Cc box	•
Do the following:	
Redirect the message to	▼ * <u>Se</u>
	✓ Save X Cancel
	🕄 100% 🔻 💡

Figure 10: Creating a new Inbox rule 2/5

A new window will appear (if not Select "\* Select people ...") with the Address Book, as shown in Figure 11. Type in the recipient in the "To ->" box (for example my\_account@yahoo.com) and click OK.

🕘 Address Book -	Webpage Dia	og				<b>—</b> ×-
Address Book				<b></b>		?
💷 Default Global Addr			P	-1H.5 Class	Room	
🕮 All Rooms		Arrange by Name 👻 A on to	ор	Contact	Alias	
Show other adv	droce liste 🔊 🔻	0H.1 Fitness Room			E-mail	
Contacts		0h1fitnessroom@dawsoncollege.qc.ca	- 1			
▲ My Contacts		0H.3 Combat Room		Organization	*	
Contacts		0h3combatroom@dawsoncollege.qc.ca	- 1			
Emailed Co	ontacts	-1H.1 Weight Room		Availability	Thu 2013-01	-03 💙
JIST Distribu	utionLists	-1h1weightroom@dawsoncollege.qc.ca	- 1			
Suggested	Contacts	1H.1A Meeting Room			Thursday 20	13-01-03
		1h1ameetingroom@dawsoncollege.qc.ca	- 1			10:00 11:00
		-1H.2 Gym				
		-1h2gym@dawsoncollege.qc.ca				
		-1H.4 Gym	_		4	
			-			
Message recipie	ents:					
To ->	my_account@	yahoo.com				•
					ОК	Cancel

Figure 11: Creating a new Inbox rule 3/5

You should be back to the New Inbox Rule window. Click on Save. A dialog might come up ; dismiss by clicking yes, as shown in Figure 12.

🥖 New Inbe	ox Rule - Windows Internet Explorer	- • ×
New Inb	ox Rule	0
*Require	d fields	
Apply th	is rule	
* W	Warning	×
Do Re	▲ Using Outlook Web App or Windows PowerShell to modify your rules will delete any rules that were previously turned off using Outlook. If you want to preserve the rules you turned off using Outlook, select "No" and use Outlook to edit your rules. Are you sure you want to proceed?	<u>com'</u>
	Yes No	
	√ Save	🗙 Cancel
		🔍 100% 🔻 🔡

Figure 12: Creating a new Inbox rule 4/5

Finally you should be back to the list of inbox rules, and your rule should appear as shown in Figure 13. To go back to your mail, click on "My Mail".

						My Mail 🔞 🝷
Inbox Rules	Automatic Replies	s Delivery	Repor	ts		
Inbox Rule	s					
	v mail will be hand you can turn it off			applied	in th	e order shown. If you don't want a
🖄 New	• 🗉 Details	X 🔺	*	ø		My name is in the To or Cc box
On	Rule					After the message arrives and
<b>V</b>	My name is in th	Rule r Cc	box			my name is in the To or Cc box
						Do the following redirect the message to 'my_account@yahoo.com' And stop processing more rules on this message

Figure 13: Creating a new Inbox rule 5/5

# 4 Organizing messages

#### 4.1 Folders

Folders are a convenient way to organise your email. In addition to the folder you may create, Exchange provides the following default folders:

Deleted Items	Keeps messages that you delete for 14 days. To learn how to recover delete items, see section 4.4 below.
Drafts	Stores messages that you save, so that you can finish composing or send at a later time.
lnbox	Stores newly received e-mail messages.
🨡Junk E-mail	Stores newly received e-mail messages that have been identified as junk e-mail. This is not used at Dawson ; junk emails go to your spam quarantine.
Cutbox	Stores outgoing e-mail messages until they're sent. Normally you should not see this folder, albeit briefly while sending messages. If you find messages stuck there, you may be working offline (which is indicated in the status bar with: Working Offline). Go to the Send/Receive tab and unselect "Work Offline".
Sent Items	Stores a copy of each message that is sent.

#### 4.2 Categories

Categories are keywords that you define to organise related items (emails, appointment, contacts, etc.). They may be assigned by right-clicking directly in the items list as shown in Figure 14. You can also assign a category from in the items window by clicking the category icon: To create a new cateogory you would select "Manage Categories...". You can also assign multiple categories to an item.

aicq-request@cegep-ste-foy.qc.ca Lot AICQ, Vol 52, Parution 31	I IST Coord
aicq-request@cegep-ste-foy.qc.ca Lot AICQ, Vol 52, Parution 30	<ul> <li>On-Going</li> <li>ToCall</li> </ul>
aicq-request@cegep-ste-foy.qc.ca Lot AICQ, Vol 52, Parution 29	ToDo     Manage Categories
	Clear Categories

Figure 14: Assigning a category to an email

Categories can be sorted or searched just like any other attribute.

#### 4.3 Flags

You can place a flag on an email as a way to remind yourself that additional actions need to be taken by a certain date. Right-click on the flag in your inbox and set the date as shown in. You could also click "Set Date and Reminder..." to have a reminder come up by a set date.

Lot AICQ, Vol 50, Parution 25	0 1 2	Envoyez vos message
aicq-request@cegep-ste-foy.qc.ca	2012-09-2	Today
AICQ-Album version octobre 2012	ų 🚩	Tomorrow
Russel Pearson	2012-09-2 🚩	This Week
AICQ-Colloque: un préreguis	*	Next Week
Russel Pearson	2012-09-1 🔻	No Date
AICQ-AGA: Convocation et procès-verbal	ų 🔻	Thu 2013-01-03 🛛 🍟
Russel Pearson	2012-09-1 🙀	Set Date and Reminder
🖻 Lot AICQ, Vol 50, Parution 16	ų 🗸	Mark Complete
aicq-request@cegep-ste-foy.qc.ca	2012-09-1	Clear Flag

Figure 15: Assigning a flag to an email

Flagged items are shown in the Tasks window alongst other tasks.

#### 4.4 Deleting messages

Messages that you choose to remove are "soft" deleted, i.e. they go to the "Deleted items" folder where they can still be viewed or recovered. They still count against your quota. To recover a message, drag it out and drop it to another folder.

When they are 14 days old, items in the Deleted folder are "hard" deleted. They can still be recovered however, for another 14 days. In OWA premium, right-click on the Deleted folder and choose "Recover Deleted Items". In Outlook, select the Folder tab and click on Recover Deleted Items:



#### 4.5 Archiving messages

If you have a large volume of emails (typically more than 1G), you may request to have an Exchange archive set up. Personal Archives provide several benefits over .pst files.

Being stored on the server, they are backed up, and searchable elsewhere than the primary workstation (ie. Where the .pst would have been stored). A delegate can also access your archive. In Outlook and OWA, the archive will appear as another item in the mailbox/folders pane:

dduperron@dawsoncollege.qc.ca
Archive - dduperron@dawsoncollege

The archive is searchable. When searching for a message within a specific folder, if the archive contains the same folder, it will be searched as well.

Messages can be archived based on retention policies. Retention policies are policies that can be applied to messages or folders to automatically move them to the archive. The default retention period is 2 years, but it can be changed on a per folder basis or per message basis. The other values are 1 year and 5 years. Depending on the type of item, the user needs to do the following:

#### For a folder:

1. Right-click the folder and choose properties.



2. Go to the policy tab and set the Online Archive to a different value.

General Home Page	Policy	Permissions	s Synchronization	1
1	<u> </u>	,		
Tems in t	his folder u	use the policy	/ that is defined her	e
unless the	e item is as	signed to a c	different policy.	
Folder Policy: Us	e Parent F	older Policy		<b>-</b>
0 de	l or Perros	ve Retention	Policies	
Au	1 OF Kenloy	ve Recention	Policies	
Online Archive				
			l to the Online Archi	
	time specif on the iter		ess a different perio	od is
Move Items to the				
		nen older tha	an:	
1 year		nen older (na	an:	J
Use Parent Folde		nen older (na	an:	
Use Parent Folde 1 year 2 years		nen older (na	an:	
Use Parent Folde 1 year				
Use Parent Folde 1 year 2 years			Cancel	Apple
Use Parent Folde 1 year 2 years				
Use Parent Folde 1 year 2 years 5 years				
Use Parent Folde 1 year 2 years				
Use Parent Folde 1 year 2 years 5 years 1		OK	Cancel	Apply Follow
Use Parent Folde 1 vear 2 years 5 years 1 Move Rules Or	r Policy	OK Assign Policy F	Cancel	Appl
Use Parent Folde 1 year 2 years 5 years 1 Move Rules Or Move	r Policy	OK Assign Policy • Archive P	Cancel ead/ Categorize ad * olicy	Apply Follow
Use Parent Folde 1 year 2 years 5 years 1 Move Rules Or Move	r Policy	OK Assign Policy F	Cancel ead/ Categorize ad * olicy	Apply Follow
Use Parent Folde 1 year 2 years 5 years 1 Move Rules Or Move	r Policy	OK Assign Policy • Archive P	Cancel	Apply Follow
Use Parent Folde 1 year 2 years 5 years 1 Move Rules Or Move	r Policy	OK Assign Policy • Archive P 1 ye: 2 ye:	Cancel ead/ Categorize ad * olicy ars	Apply Follow
Use Parent Folde 1 year 2 years 5 years 1 Move Rules Or Move	r Policy	OK Assign Policy F Archive P 1 ye: 2 ye: 5 ye:	Cancel ead/ Categorize ad v olicy ar ars ars	Apply Follow
Use Parent Folde 1 year 2 years 5 years 1 Move Rules Or Move	r Policy	OK Assign Ur Policy • Archive P 1 ye: 2 ye: 5 ye: Use	Cancel	Apply Follow
Use Parent Folde 1 year 2 years 5 years 1 Move Rules Or Move	r Policy	OK Assign Policy • Archive P 1 yes 2 yes 5 yes Use S yes S y yes S y yes S y yes S yes S yes S yes S yes S yes S y yes S y yes S y yes S	Cancel ead/ Categorize ad v olicy ar ars ars	Apply Follow
Use Parent Folde 1 year 2 years 5 years 1 Move Rules Or Move	r Policy	OK Assign Policy • Archive P 1 ye: 2 ye: 5 ye: 5 ye: Use Que	Cancel	Apply a Follow Up +

#### For a message or messages.

- 1. Select a message or messages.
- 2. Click on Assign Policy and then choose an Archive Policy for the message(s)

# 5 Address Book

You can search through Dawson's directory to find employees email or phone number, or maintain your own lists of personal or work contacts.

#### **5.1 Employees**

The Global Address Book stores all Dawson employees contact information, their email, extension (local), office and department. Non-Oultook clients such as Thunderbird can also be configured to access it, as follows:

- Go to Tools>address book (CTRL+Shift +B) or click on the Address Book icon.
- Go to File>new>LDAP Directory

- In the Server Name field "Dawson" (or whatever you want)
- Hostname "dc148.dawsoncollege.qc.ca"
- Base DN "dc=ad,dc=dawsoncollege,dc=qc,dc=ca"
- Bind DN "dawsoncollege\<your username>"
- Port Number "389"
- Click on the Advanced tab, scope select "Subtree"
- In the Search Filter box "(objectclass=person)"
- Login Method "Simple"
- Click "OK"

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When you search for a name you will be asked for your email password, this can be saved by clicking the "Save Password" checkbox.

#### **5.2 Contacts**

You can use contacts to store frequently used e-mail addresses which are not in Dawson's directory. You may add Dawson employees as well to enter additional information about them, or to access extra functionalities such as finding related emails or appointments ("Activities" in their contact page). You may also have several contact lists to distinguish for example between work and personal relations.

#### 5.3 Contact groups

Contact groups simplify the process of sending e-mail to groups. For example, if you frequently email everyone in your department, you can to create a group for your department. Contact groups exist inside Contact folders; therefore if you plan to share them but would not like to share your whole Contacts folder, create a new one, e.g. "Your department Contacts". To do so in OWA, rightclick on "My Contacts" and select "Create new contacts folder...". In Outlook, right-click on a folder an select "New folder...". Now right-click the folder, select "Properties" and the Permissions tab to select the people to share with.

To create a contact group, first select the contact folder where it should go, then click New Contact Group. Give it a name and then click "Add Members".

#### 5.4 Public groups

Public groups (also refered to as distribution lists) are similar to contact groups except they are created by IST in the global address list, and so can be seen by anyone. They may have restricted access though (such as all\_dawson) or even be moderated (such as dawson\_community).

You can see the groups you belong to in OWA under Options: See All options, Groups.

#### 5.5 Searching addresses

As you type in the To... and Cc... field of messages, Outlook suggests possible emails from previous emails you have sent and received, and from your address book. However some entries in your address books, and the Contacts may not show.

For a more reliable list, type in a name or part of a name and click on Check Names in the toolbar, or use the CTRL-K shortcut. This will search the Global Address List, the Staff and Faculty address books, as well as your contacts folders. The only catch is that it seems to stop at the first list where it finds a match, so it cannot be used to do full partial searches.

You can do custom search by clicking the Address Book icon (CTRL-SHIFT-B), or the To and Cc buttons. You can only search one list or book at a time.

# **6** Calendars

Exchange let you organize appointments, meetings or events into *calendars*. You can have multiple calendars for work or personal-related activities, or for your department. Activities can be inserted or deleted from your calendar manually, or by responding to meeting invitations.

#### 6.1 Meetings

A meeting is an activity that appears in your calendar, either because you have responded to an invitation, or because you have created it yourself. An appointment is simply a meeting without participants. You may add appointments to your calendar for example to signify that you are not available for meeting requests.

By default, other Dawson Exchange members will not see the details of your meetings, however they will see your free/busy information, i.e. whether you are available or not, when they try to schedule a meeting with you.

To create a meeting, select New Items:Meeting (New:Meeting Request in OWA). You may fill in the meeting information such as Subject, Start and End time, description, etc. as shown Figure 16. You can specify the free/busy information for that meeting: the default is "Busy", other options are "Tentative" and "Away". Remember that other users will see that information. If you would like this appointment hidden, select "Free", which means it will not be shown (or the time slot will be shown as free) in your free/busy information. However, we do not recommend this option since it works against our aim to make meetings scheduling easier.

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Figure 16: Creating a meeting (appointment)

For repetitive activities, you can set up a recurrence pattern. Click on  $\bigcirc$  Recurrence to get a dialog where you can set the frequency and scope of the recurrence. Once a recurrence pattern is set, whenever you modify the item in your calendar you will be asked whether to edit the series or an individual occurrence.

By default Outlook pops up a reminder of the appointment 15 minutes prior. This can be controlled for a particular meeting by selecting the time next to the reminder icon **15 minutes**. The default reminders can also be turned off globally by going to Info: Options (or Options : Settings in OWA) and checking off "Default reminder" in the Calendar section.

To add participants to your meeting click on the Scheduling Assistant. When you save the meeting, invitations will get sent via email, and you can come back to the meeting in your calendar to track these responses. Add the attendees on the left-hand side of the screen, as shown in Figure 17. The attendees availability is shown in the calendar view on the right-hand side. When adding a group, you show expand it with  $\square$  so that you can view the attendees schedule and track their responses.

If the meeting takes place in one of the College meeting rooms, you may also add it by clicking "Add Rooms...". This will give you the availability of the room and send a booking request when you save the meeting. Remember though the room is not booked until *confirmed*.

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#### Figure 17: Scheduling assistant

# 6.2 Working with calendars

Besides your own calendar, you may also view other people's, if they have granted you permissions, or College calendars. Outlook and OWA provide convenient ways to combine and consult these calendars.

First go to the calendar view by clicking the calendar icon: Calendar. In Outlook, you will get a window similar to Figure 18.



#### Figure 18: Calendar view

The left-hand side shows the calendars you can instantly view. You may add to this list from "Open Calendar". In the example shown in Figure 18, the calendar for room 2C.17 has been added and selected to show. The right-hand side show the calendars selected, here in side-by-side mode. It is also possible to display them in overlay mode. To do so, in Outlook, right-click on the calendar and select "Overlay". The result should look something like Figure 19.

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