



Student Affairs

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Dear Colleagues,

The shift to working from home has been a change in how we all conduct business. However, malicious individuals are also seeking to take advantage during this time and exploit new weaknesses brought on through this shift to remote work.

To combat this, Daemen has created a new section on our "How Do I?" site dealing exclusively with best practices to employ while working from home. Many of the same precautions you take every day in the workplace are still applicable while performing work remotely, but there are some new caveats that may be targeted by malicious individuals seeking to gain access to critical information or our network.

An article on security and safety guidelines while working from home may be found here: <https://howdoi.daemen.edu/knowledge-base/working-from-home-security-tips/>.

In addition, scammers are actively working to exploit fears and lack of knowledge regarding COVID-19. Tips on how to avoid these phishing attempts may be found at: <https://howdoi.daemen.edu/knowledge-base/coronavirus-scams-phishing-awareness/>.

As always, if you suspect you have been the target of a phishing email or scam, please forward the email to helpdesk@daemen.edu.

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