**Procedure for Registering a Wireless Laptop on to the UD Network**

If you have a laptop with a wireless Ethernet card and you want to access the UD network in Arsht Hall you must first register your laptop computer with the university.

This registration process requires you to have a **UDelNetID** and a **PASSWORD**. If you have the aforementioned, you must log on the university network while you are in Arsht Hall** using the following procedure (or see alternate longer procedure on the next page):

1. Open your browser application (Internet Explorer, Firefox, Safari, etc.)

2. Log in to the university site: [www.udel.edu/network](http://www.udel.edu/network) (If you can’t bring up this page, you may have to click on “Start” on your laptop PC, then “Settings”, then “Network Connections” (this procedure is probably different with a Mac). You just need to connect to UD Wi-Fi.

3. You are now on “The Network Page”. Enter your “UDelNetID” and “Password” (or PIN) [either your initial ID/password or the activated ID/password, then click on “Login” to get [https://metal1.nss.udel.edu/cgi-bin/auth/network](https://metal1.nss.udel.edu/cgi-bin/auth/network)

4. On the next page you will scroll down to the Register a computer for Internet access hypertext. Click on it.

5. In the cell about three lines below where you clicked for #4, type in a name for your wireless device, e.g. HP laptop, Jethro’s iPad, Lucy’s Mac.

6. Totally shut down your laptop, then power up. Your laptop should be registered.

7. **LAST STEP (for Genealogy Courses): Confirm** that your new activated ID and password give your laptop access to the UD Ancestry Library Edition database from Arsht: Go to [http://www2.lib.udel.edu/database/ancestry.html](http://www2.lib.udel.edu/database/ancestry.html), then click the "Connect" button (near the top center - white letters on light blue button). Then enter your ID and password and click the "Login" button.

If you are now at the Ancestry Library Edition home page, please email me at [tdoherty@udel.edu](mailto:tdoherty@udel.edu) that you now have access.

8. If you used your initial ID/password to register your laptop, you still need to activate your ID with a computer other than your laptop See procedure at [http://udel.edu/~tdoherty/ActivateUDelNetID.pdf](http://udel.edu/~tdoherty/ActivateUDelNetID.pdf). After activation you must wait one day before you can use your laptop to access the UD databases (e.g. Ancestry Library Edition, America’s Historical Newspapers, New York Times from 1847, etc).

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** or you may be at one of the other wireless access locations in Newark (see [http://www.udel.edu/it-us/wireless/coverage.html](http://www.udel.edu/it-us/wireless/coverage.html))

Genealogy class web site: [http://udel.edu/~tdoherty](http://udel.edu/~tdoherty)

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More Detailed Procedure for Registering a Wireless Laptop on to the UD Network

If you have a laptop with a wireless Ethernet card and you want to access the UD network in Arsht Hall you must first register your laptop computer with the university.

This registration process requires you to have a UDelNetID# and a PASSWORD. If you have the aforementioned, you must log on the university network while you are in Arsht Hall** following the following steps:

1. Open your browser application (Internet Explorer, Firefox, Saffari, etc.)

2. Log in to the university site: www.udel.edu/network (If you can’t bring up this page, you may have to click on “Start” on your laptop PC, then “Settings”, then “Network Connections” (this procedure is probably different with a Mac) You just need to connect to UD Wi-Fi.

3. Look at the center column, “UD Community Popular links”

4. Scroll down to the “Connecting” section of the column and click on the hypertext “To the UD Network”

5. This will take you to http://www.udel.edu/help/getting_connected.html (“Connecting to the UD Network”). In the “From On Campus” section, click on “wireless connections.”


7. Now at “Wireless Setup and Usage” page (http://www.udel.edu/it-us/wireless/setupandusage.html), under “General Configuration Instructions” click on the “www.udel.edu/network ” hypertext that is part of the sentence “Register your wireless card on UD's network page (www.udel.edu/network ).”

8. You are now on “The Network Page”. Enter your “UDelNet ID” (or SSN) and “Password” (or PIN), then click on “Login” to get https://metal1.nss.udel.edu/cgi-bin/auth/network

9. On the next page you will scroll down to the Register a computer for Internet access hypertext. Click on it.

10. Totally shut down your laptop, then power up. Your laptop should be registered.

11. In the cell about three lines below where you clicked for #4, type in a name for your wireless device, e.g. HP laptop, Jethro’s iPad, Lucy’s Mac.

12a. If you used your initial ID/password to register your laptop, you still need to activate your ID with a computer other than your laptop. After activation you must wait one day before you can use your laptop to access the UD databases (e.g. Ancestry Library Edition, America’s Historical Newspapers, New York Times from 1847, etc).

13b. If you used your activated ID/password to register your laptop, you can use your laptop immediately to access the UD databases.

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** or you may be at one of the other wireless access locations in Newark (see http://www.udel.edu/it/help/wireless_in_residence/nets.html)

class web site: http://udel.edu/~tdoherty

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