Guest Wireless (Wifi)

Summary

The YaleGuest network allows access to a segregated portion of the Yale University wireless network. The Yale University guest wireless network is a limited wireless data network provided for guests of the University only. No username or password is required. The YaleGuest network is insecure (open and unencrypted). The YaleGuest wireless network only supports web traffic (HTTP & HTTPS) as well as WhatsApp.

In Evans Hall, there is an SOM–Guest wireless network available to visitors. The SOM-Guest wireless network only supports web traffic (HTTP & HTTPS), WhatsApp and WeChat. This is an authenticated network primarily used by Executive Education. Executive Education has the login name and password.

Features

- Guest access to the Yale Network for visitors granting general internet access
- Can be used for game consoles and other “Internet of Things” (IoT) devices which cannot transmit ID and Password combinations
- After connecting open a Browser and accept the terms of agreement
- Service times out after 15 minutes of inactivity

Who can use it?

YaleGuest: Visitors to Yale Campus

SOM-Guest: Guests of Executive Education

How much does it cost?

This service is available at no charge to the Yale community or guests of the University

How do I get it?

YaleGuest: Use your device to search for Wifi networks, and look for the Wifi signal broadcasting the SSID “YaleGuest”. You will need to open a browser and “Accept” the terms of service. If you are a member of the Yale Community, we encourage you to use YaleSecure, but if your device does not support ID/Password combinations, Yale requires you to register your device with NetReg.

SOM-Guest: Use your device to search for Wifi networks, and look for the Wifi signal broadcasting the SSID “som-guest”. You will need to request the login name and password from the staff member of Executive Education supporting your program.

Related Policy and Procedures

- Problems with campus network connections should be reported to the central ITS Help Desk at 203-432-9000. SOM IT provides best effort support only for central services.
- All users of Yale University computing and networking facilities are expected to read and abide by the Information Technology Appropriate Use Policy. For additional information, please familiarize yourself with the Policies and Procedures related to HiPAA Security.

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