

February, 2012

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# Online Accessibility Webinars

- ◆ **Session 1:**  
**Regulations and Guidelines**  
**Wednesday, March 28**  
**12:00 – 1:30 p.m. CDT**
- ◆ **Session 2:**  
**Tools, Tips, Resources,**  
**and Best Practices**  
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**ONLINE  
ACCESSIBILITY FOR  
STUDENTS WITH  
DISABILITIES**

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"I currently work with students with disabilities, and, as the use of online classes/material is increasing, online accessibility has become an increased point of discussion. I think this webcast provides information that is essential to any instructor that is planning to use online content, or any staff member of an institution involved in producing/maintaining online content."  
– Shelley Lawson, Coordinator, Student Resource Center for ADA Services, Pensacola State College

"Being involved with special needs of students, it was good to see the accessibility of technology being openly discussed so all staff can have a better understanding of what is needed in being accessible, regardless of the learning disability."  
– Paul Vincent, Adjunct Instructor, Adult Basic Education, Pensacola State College

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

- ◆ Stop Online Piracy Act
- ◆ PROTECT IP Act




- ◆ "[I]f passed [these] would seriously damage the free and open Internet, including Wikipedia."

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## IT guy answers daughter's Facebook rant by shooting her laptop

**'You can have a new one when you buy one'**


By [Lewis Page](#) • [Get more from this author](#)

Posted in [Bootnotes](#), 10th February 2012 12:13 GMT

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**Vid** An angry American IT pro has responded to a rude Facebook post from his daughter by riddling her laptop with a fusillade of bullets and posting video of the shooting on YouTube.

Facebook Parenting: For the troubled teen.




Here it is, with the incensed dad leading in by reading out the offending Facebook post

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
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# Google in the Den

- ◆ Rumors of a Google entertainment device for streaming music via Bluetooth and Wi-Fi.
- ◆ Connects to other home electronics via Android@Home.
- ◆ Video eventually...

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**TODAY @ PCWORLD**

## Google is Building Entertainment Device, Reports Say

By Daniel Ionescu, PCWorld Feb 10, 2012 8:26 AM

The rumored home entertainment device from Google sounds like an Apple TV without video capabilities, although it may grow on us.



The entertainment device will be designed first for streaming music via Bluetooth and Wi-Fi, and to connect to other home electronics. Release is expected later this year, and the device would stream music from Google's online Music service, which was introduced in beta last year.

Word of Google working on a home entertainment device to be sold under its own brand surfaced in reports in the *Wall Street Journal* and *New York Times*. The news first emerged last week when Google filed an FCC application for an entertainment device, and now "sources familiar with the plans" shed some light on what's coming.


### Video, Eventually

This streaming box would eventually be able to also handle video, probably through a later software update. The box appears to be linked to the *Android@Home* project Google announced last year, which allows with tablets and smartphones to control specific speakers in a home within the network.

Other details about availability or retail prices are sketchy at the moment, considering Google has kept quiet on the matter. The two reports speculate that Google might use resources from Motorola Mobility, which it plans to acquire, to build the device. Motorola has experience building home entertainment systems.

It's hard to get excited over a Google music-streaming box though. The device sounds like a *Sonos* or an *Apple TV*, but only with music capabilities, and video added to it later via a software update.

Google already has a couple *unsuccessful Google TV* initiatives out there, and this one sounds just like them, but with Google's logo on it. You could call it the Nexus line of Google TVs.

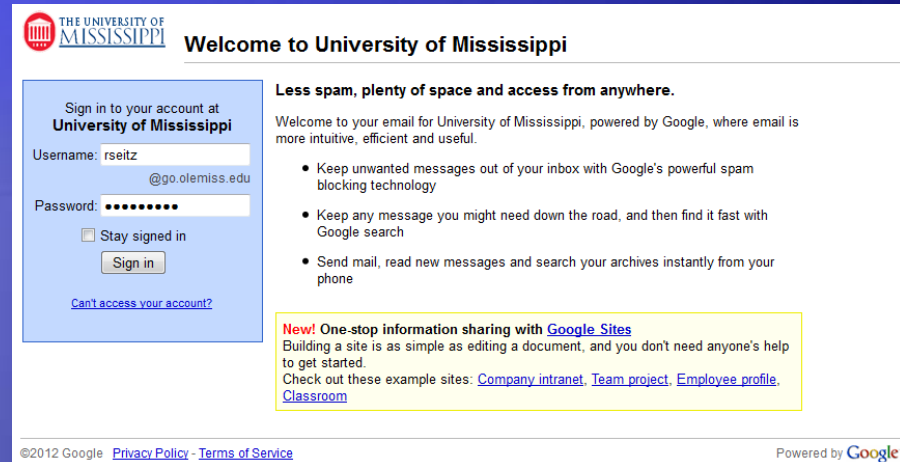


It is clear to see though why Google would want to make its own hardware. Apple has shown that by controlling the hardware and software, it can deliver better integrated products and make high profits not only from content sales, but also from hardware. Google gives Android away for free to phone manufacturers, but if it controls the hardware, it could command higher profits. So far, Google's main revenue source remains search advertising.

Follow Daniel Ionescu and Today @ PCWorld on Twitter.

# Student Gmail

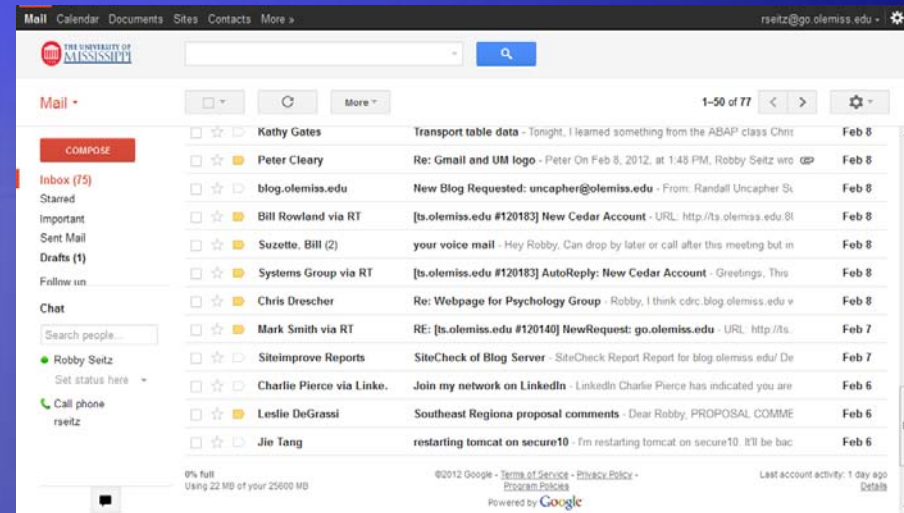
- ◆ Begin launch: March 19  
Early adopters may request to have their Webmail messages migrated to Gmail automatically.
- ◆ Opt-in cutoff: July 9  
Remaining student accounts will be cutover without migration.
- ◆ Employee accounts will be available, in addition to their Exchange accounts.



The screenshot shows the Gmail login interface for the University of Mississippi. At the top left is the University of Mississippi logo. To its right is the text "Welcome to University of Mississippi". Below the logo is a sign-in box with the heading "Sign in to your account at University of Mississippi". It contains fields for "Username" (with the example "rseitz" and "@go.olemiss.edu" below it) and "Password" (with a masked field "\*\*\*\*\*"). There is a "Sign in" button and a "Stay signed in" checkbox. Below the sign-in box is a link "Can't access your account?". To the right of the sign-in box, under the heading "Less spam, plenty of space and access from anywhere.", is a welcome message: "Welcome to your email for University of Mississippi, powered by Google, where email is more intuitive, efficient and useful." Below this is a bulleted list of features: "Keep unwanted messages out of your inbox with Google's powerful spam blocking technology", "Keep any message you might need down the road, and then find it fast with Google search", and "Send mail, read new messages and search your archives instantly from your phone". At the bottom of this section is a yellow box with the heading "New! One-stop information sharing with Google Sites" and text about building a site. At the very bottom of the page are the copyright notice "©2012 Google" and links to "Privacy Policy" and "Terms of Service". On the far right, it says "Powered by Google".

# Student Gmail

- ◆ Requires new email addresses:  
**webid@go.olemiss.edu**
- ◆ New site will link to information about Gmail, Google Docs, Calendar, Sites, and others.
- ◆ 25.6 GB storage per account
- ◆ Decision to be made concerning personal home pages vs. Google Sites.





# Mobilizing Profiles


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 Joined UM: 07/08/1998



### Areas of Expertise

[Communication, Interpersonal](#)
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[Web Programming Techniques](#)
[World Wide Web](#)

### Degrees


ASSOCIATE	Computer Programming	East Miss Community College (1989)
BS	Computer Science	University of Mississippi/ University, Mississippi (2004)

### Committee Memberships

Web Planning Committee (Ad Hoc Committee)

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Any suggestions for loading contact information into a mobile contacts app?

# New Event Calendar

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## EventCalendar

Today Next 7 Days Next 30 Days

### Calendar Practice

Date: 2/10/2012

Time: 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM (MST)

Location: Weir Teaching Lab 107 PC UNDER REVIEW (Get the key from FTDC.)

**Personal Note:** Use this summary to describe the event concisely. Every character, up to 140, counts.

Open to the Public  
Registration Required

**Full details:**

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For assistance related to a disability, contact: Robby Seitz - 915-7822  
Event posted by: rseitz@olemiss.edu  
Sponsored by: Web Planning Committee, Daily Mississippian, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

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# New Event Calendar

- ◆ Events are just like other UM Today announcements, but have more information about times and locations.
- ◆ Events show up in UM Today for the selected recipients.
- ◆ All events show up on the Event Calendar, regardless of the selected recipients.
- ◆ We plan to add more editing options for events and announcements in the future.

# New Event Calendar

In order to enable Calendar functionality:

- ◆ If a singular event spans several days (conferences, "welcome week", etc.), enter the event once indicating beginning and end dates.
- ◆ If an event is repeated on different days (performances, classes), re-enter the event for each day it occurs.
- ◆ If you want to be able to (eventually) pull your department's events into your website, tag them as "sponsors."




# UM Today and Calendar Issues

- ◆ If you have a question about the content of a message or event, email the person who posted it.
- ◆ If you need information about the system, contact [web@olemiss.edu](mailto:web@olemiss.edu).
- ◆ If something is clearly broken, call Robby!

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## EventCalendar


Today Next 7 Days Next 30 Days

### Free Pilates Classes

**Date:** 1/30/2012 – 5/3/2012

**Time:** 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM (CST)

**Location:** -



**Campus Events:** Mondays & Thursdays 7-8pm Luckyday RC Fitness Room Classes are free for Ole Miss students, faculty, and staff.

**Full details:**

FREE PILATES CLASSES  
MONDAYS & THURSDAYS  
7:00 - 8:00 PM  
LUCKYDAY RESIDENTIAL COLLEGE  
FITNESS ROOM

CLASSES ARE FREE FOR OLE MISS STUDENTS,  
FACULTY, AND STAFF.

For assistance related to a disability, contact: [rmlewis@olemiss.edu](mailto:rmlewis@olemiss.edu)  
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+ Submit Event

February, 2012

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EventCalendar


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Mandatory Student Organization Spring Training

Date: 2/9/2012 - 4/12/2012

Time: All day event

Location:



Student Organizations: Mandatory risk management training dates set for student organizations. The organization's advisor & one executive officer MUST attend.

Full details:

Risk Management Sessions (mandatory for at least one student organization executive member and the group advisor)

Thursday, Feb. 9<sup>th</sup>, 8am in Student Union 405 A & B

Wednesday, Feb. 15<sup>th</sup>, 11am in Student Union 405 A & B

Monday, Feb. 20<sup>th</sup>, 5pm in Bondurant Hall 204C

Tuesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>, 11am in Student Union 405 A & B

Wednesday, March 21, 5pm in Bondurant Hall 204C

Thursday, April 12, 6pm, in Student Union 405 A & B

For assistance related to a disability, contact: Office of the Dean of Students, 662-915-7248

Event posted by: [johnette@olemiss.edu](mailto:johnette@olemiss.edu)

Sponsored by: Student Organizations Committee-VCSL, DEAN OF STUDENTS

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# SiteCheck is Changing

- ◆ New name is Quality Assurance.
- ◆ New layout includes graphs and easier structure.
- ◆ You may explore it now.
- ◆ Migration will occur soon.
- ◆ [Video Overview](#)

