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Don't Be a Pirate This Halloween

Music and other media are more readily available to us now than at any other time in our history. Much of it is available for free—*legally*. However, internet piracy and other copyright violations, remain a real problem—especially on college campuses.

Several high-profile lawsuits have forced the shut down of many popular peer-to-peer sites in recent years, and several public service campaigns have been launched to educate the

masses, but these efforts have barely put a dent in the amount of piracy that takes place on a daily basis via various forms of file sharing.

UofL's Policy

The University of Louisville respects the intellectual property rights of others and expects users to respect the intellectual property rights of others. Users must abide by applicable intellectual property laws and/or regulations, including but not exclusive to those pertaining to text, graphics, art, photographs, music, software, movies and games. Users must

refrain from actions or access which would violate the terms of licensing and nondisclosure agreements.

Violating the university's intellectual property and copyright policies can result in the loss of internet, e-mail and other privileges and even civil litigation from groups like the RIAA (Recording Industry Association of America).

It's Also a Safety Thing

File sharing copyrighted materials is not only illegal, downloads often contain viruses, spyware, and scams that can cause loss

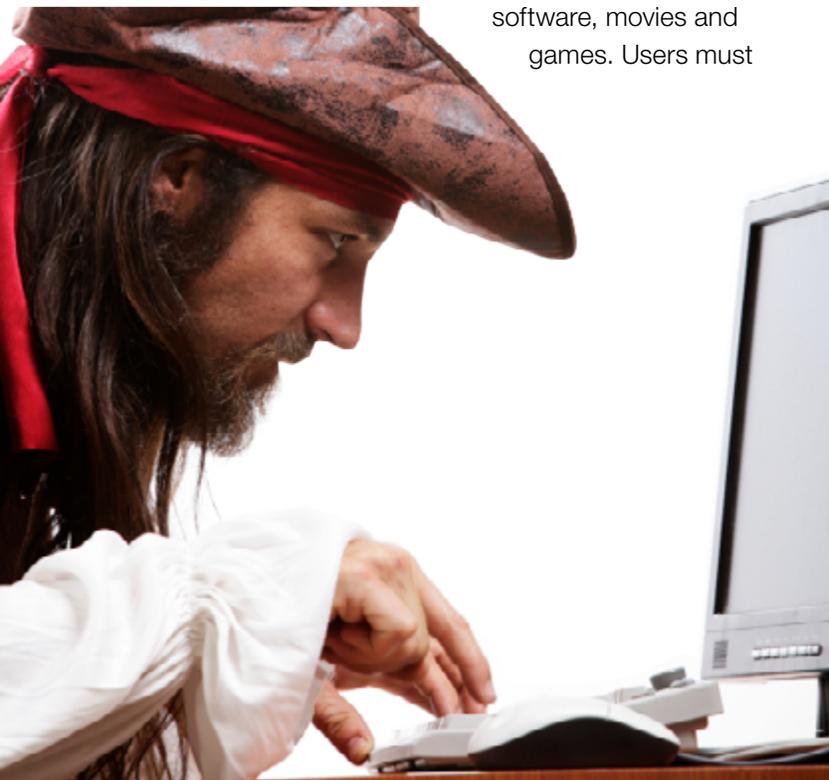
of data, a corrupted system, and even identity theft. In a campus setting, that can put the entire university community at risk.

Legal Listening and Watching Tips:

Keep these sites in mind the next time you're looking for a way to unwind. Each has free, legal options available:

- > spotify.com
- > pandora.com
- > slacker.com
- > last.fm
- > hulu.com
- > crackle.com

More legal alternatives can be found at Educause.



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STUDENTS & PREFERRED EMAIL ACCOUNTS

Student-employees have accounts in *both* Exchange and Cardmail. To make sure you receive your email from both accounts, you **MUST** do one of the following:

- 1) actively monitor both e-mail accounts
- 2) forward all email to your preferred account.

Please check your PEA to ensure you are receiving all of your university email:

- > Log on to [ULink](#)
- > Select "Email Addresses" under the Information Technology heading
- > Choose your Preferred Email Address