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University of Oxford Visitor Network

Connecting to the service:

If using wireless make sure your device is associated to the “OWL” network; no further configuration is required. If your device does not then automatically direct you to the authentication portal, visit <http://neverssl.com> using your web browser, which will redirect to our secure login site. Use the above credentials. We also have some terms and conditions that you must accept before being allowed full access.

After login:

This service will be *unencrypted*. We strongly recommend that you only use secure protocols when transmitting private information. Establish a secure VPN connection to your home institution, if one is available.

Many email clients are not configured to use secure protocols. Be especially careful when sending and receiving email. **The University of Oxford will not be held responsible for loss or theft of data as a result of using an unencrypted protocol over this network.**

Please treat this resource with respect. Do not give your username or password to any other person; notify your host or group organizer immediately if you have lost your account credentials.

In particular:

- Users are not permitted to use university IT or network facilities for any unlawful activity
- The University may bar access at any time to computers which appear to cause unreasonable consumption of network resources, which pose a danger to the security or integrity of any system or network, or for any reason may bring disrepute to the University
- You must abide by our full IT regulations at <https://governance.admin.ox.ac.uk/legislation/it-regulations-1-of-2002>

We hope you have a pleasant visit to the University of Oxford,
IT Services Network Infrastructure team