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WEEG COMPUTING CENTER
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The Weeg Computing Center

The Weeg Computing Center can help you select, purchase, and use computer hardware and software to meet your academic computing needs.



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Selection

Confused by the array of available microcomputer products? Our qualified consultants can help you select hardware and software to fit your individual needs. Stop by the Personal Computing Support Center (PCSC), 229 LC, for hands-on demonstrations. And browse through our extensive collection of microcomputer periodicals and other references.

Purchasing

The Microcomputer Purchase Program offers:

- · Macintosh, IBM, and IBM-compatible systems
- · Printers, modems, and other peripherals
- Software programs

Since we order in large quantities, we receive substantial vendor discounts, which we pass on to you.

We also keep you informed about updates to supported software programs and tell you how you can get your packages upgraded.

For a complete listing of products and prices—along with details about eligibility, purchasing procedures, and financing—pick up a free Microcomputer Purchase Program folder in the PCSC.

Hardware maintenance

Most hardware and software items available through the Microcomputer Purchase Program come with a limited warranty. (Some items have multiple warranties running concurrently.) When hardware warranties expire, you can arrange through Weeg for maintenance service on a contract or per-hour basis. For information on product warranties provided by Weeg or outside vendors, contact the PCSC.

TRAINING & CONSULTING

Short courses

To help you get the most out of your computer, regardless of where you purchased it, Weeg offers short courses on various hardware and software applications. Most courses last about two hours and are available on a no-charge, no-credit basis.

To place your name on the short course schedule mailing list, call 335-5454, stop by the PCSC or the Information Center, 15 LC, or use the Mailing List Request form on the last page of the Weeg *Newsletter* or short course schedule.

The PC Hotline & specialized consulting

Trained consultants are on hand to help you with hardware and software problems.

For immediate assistance with most day-to-day questions, call the PC Hotline (335-5521) or visit the PC Hotline desk, 229 LC. Specialized problems will be referred to other consultants at Weeg.

Publications

Weeg publishes numerous instructional materials to help you get the most out of your hardware and software products. Many free handouts and moderately priced manuals are available through the PCSC and the Information Center.

The Weeg *Newsletter* includes many interesting articles on microomputer products and their use. It is available free to anyone, on or off campus, who requests it using a Mailing List Request form.

INSTRUCTIONAL

Computer-assisted instruction

Our Instructional Services Group, 100 LC, helps faculty and staff design, develop, implement, and evaluate computer-based learning materials. The group consults, programs, advises on instructional hardware and software selection, helps implement software from other universities, assists in writing proposals, and conducts research.

Instructional clusters

The Instructional Services Group is also responsible for the instructional computing clusters on campus. They help design clusters, supervise equipment installation, and train cluster monitors.

Support from other users

Public domain software

Weeg has a large collection of public domain software, including many games and utilities written by other users, as well as some full-scale application software. To obtain a copy of any of this software, bring a formatted disk to the PCSC or to the Information Center.

User groups

Many local user groups are registered with Weeg. For a free listing of these groups and the kinds of information they provide, stop by the PCSC.

We offer University of Iowa faculty, staff, & students support in:

Microcomputer purchasing

- Selection
- Purchasing
- Hardware maintenance

Training & consulting

- Short courses
- PC Hotline & specialized consulting
- Publications
- PC Resource Center

Instructional computing

- Computer-assisted instruction
- Instructional clusters

Instructional clusters with personal computers

Name	Location	Phone
Burge Hall	B7 BH	5-3176
Business	314 PHBA	5-0872
Education	N188 LC	5-5624
English/Philosophy	210 EPB	5-2084
Health Sciences	1st floor HSL	5-9512
International Studies	32 IC	5-2504
Iowa Memorial Union	140 IMU	5-3439
Language Media Center	54 SH	5-2336
MacLean Hall	18 MLH	5-0754
Mayflower	1st floor study M	5-2975
Music	1017 MB	5-1637
Nursing	40 NB	5-7022
Pathology	101 ML	5-8192
Pharmacy	129 PHAR	5-8818
Quadrangle	1100D Q	5-8335
Seashore Hall	W13 SSH	5-2513
Social Work	316 NH	5-1278
Stanley	201 STAN	5-3483
Urban and Regional Planning	327 JH	5-0044
Weeg Computing Center	16 LC	5-5493

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