Apple OSX
Wireless Configuration
For
NCC Student Owned Laptops

A wireless network for Students to use with their personal laptops, is available throughout campus with the SSID **NCC-STUDENT**. This network is configured with WPA Enterprise authentication and AES encryption, which utilizes your NETID and password for logon.

The IT Department is not responsible for updating, configuring, repairing, or otherwise troubleshooting personal laptops. This includes, but is not limited to, damage caused by malicious software or people, both in person and over the network or Internet.

Minimum requirements for Laptops:

All Student owned Laptops must have a wireless network card capable of 802.11 A (Wireless A), 802.11 G (Wireless G), or 802.11N (Wireless N) speeds. Laptops with an 802.11 B (Wireless B) network card will not be capable of seeing the wireless network, and will not be able to connect.

The latest Microsoft Windows Updates are required to support authentication to this network. You will not be able to connect to the SSID **NCC-STUDENT** without having these updates. You must download the updates from another location (such as your home) prior to bringing your laptop to campus.

Apple OSX Configuration Settings:

Step 1:
Be sure that your Apple Airport wireless adapter is enabled. Select the Airport Icon from the menu bar, and choose "Turn AirPort On". See the screenshot below for an example.
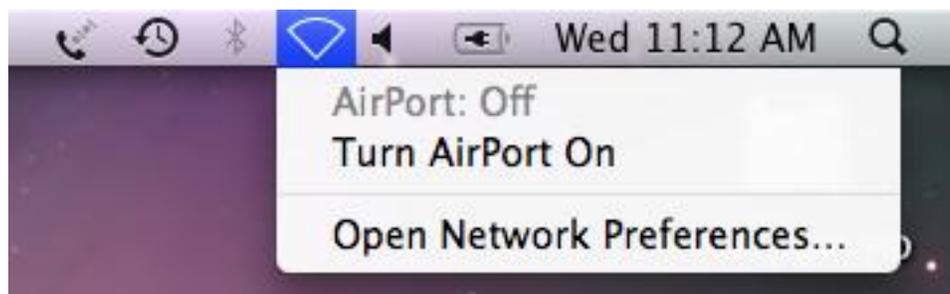
Step 2:

Once the AirPort Adapter is enabled, it will scan for wireless networks that is can see. After the scan is complete, the NCC-Employee network should be visible. See the screenshots below for examples of how Apple may display the networks.
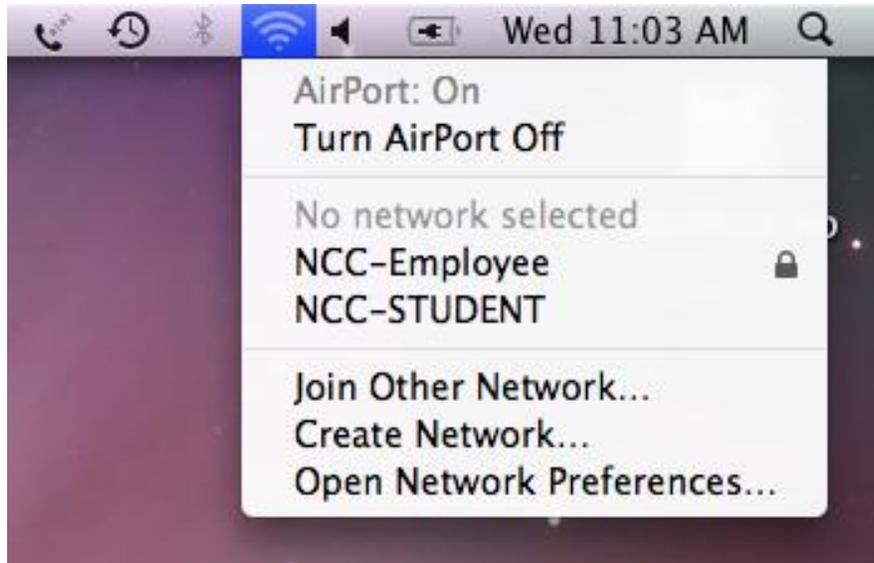
Or
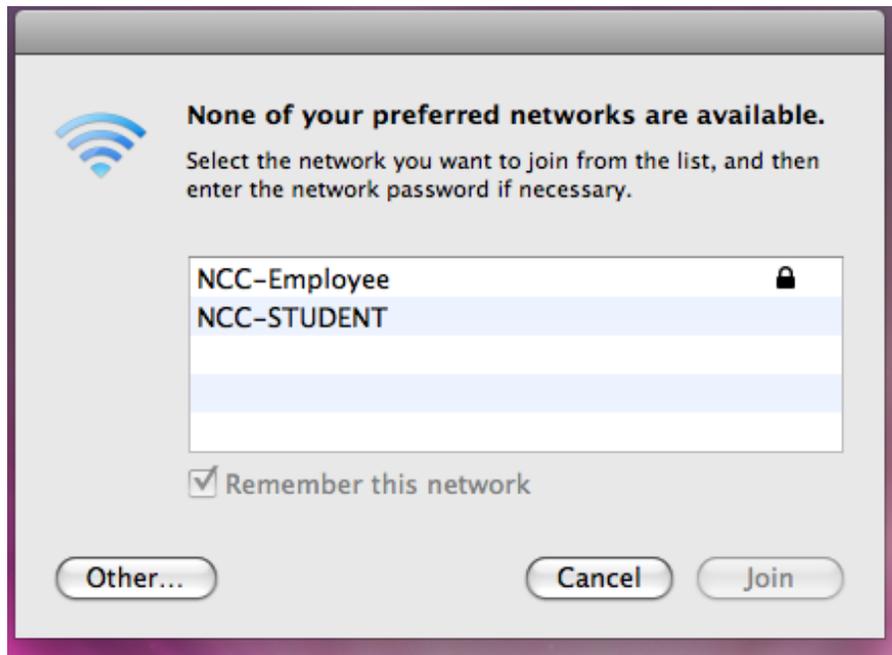
Step 3:

Select the **NCC-STUDENT** Wireless Network. Either of the following screenshots may display

Or

Step 4:

Enter your NETID in the Username field, and password in the Password field. When complete click Join. A message will appear regarding a security certificate that cannot be validated. A screenshot of the message is below.

Step 5:

      Click continue to accept the message. If your username and password was entered properly, open your Internet Browser. A message regarding a security certificate will appear. The example screenshot below shows the message as displayed by the Safari Browser. Other browsers or versions show differently.
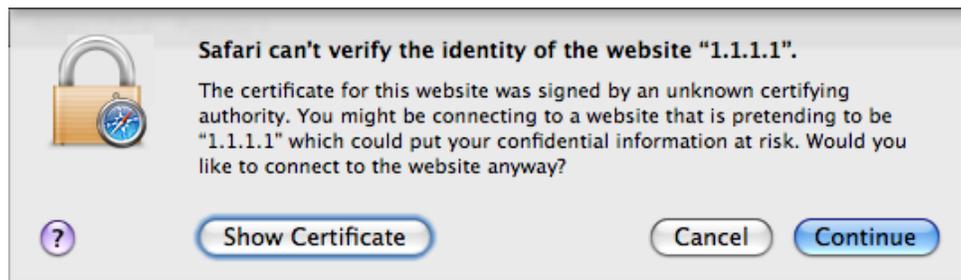
Step 6:

      Click continue to accept the message, and your will automatically forward to the NCC Employee Wireless Policy Splash page. Use of this wireless network indicates acceptance to this policy as well as those located at http://www.commnet.edu/it/policy/policies.asp. An example of this page is shown below.

http://155.43.4.133/ncc-student_splash.html?switch_url=https://1.1.1.1/login.html&ap_mac=00:1d:70:93:2e:e0

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- This Connecticut Community College (CCC) Information Technology (IT) resource is solely for use by authorized users. Authorized users must comply with the current version of all applicable IT policies. CCC System Policies accessible after you login and are located here.
- Use of this wireless network may be rescinded at any time, and without notice.
- This network **is** encrypted.
- There is no expectation of privacy in the use of this wireless network. Norwalk Community College (NCC) and the Connecticut Community College (CCC) system reserves the right to inspect, monitor, and disclose all communications including files, data, programs and other electronic communications transmitted.
- Neither Norwalk Community College (NCC) or the Connecticut Community College (CCC) system are responsible for the security of your laptop or wireless device. We recommend that both antivirus and a firewall application be installed and configured on your device, however neither are provided by NCC.
- This wireless network is provided for NCC Students needing Internet web browsing, My.Commnet.edu, Library resources, and Blackboard Vista access.

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