

Secure Email Distribution Lists

UNIT is committed to continuously reduce Spam, as well as more effectively control other types of unauthorized email coming into the University's email server. The next step in UNIT's Spam Reduction Plan is to secure access to University email distribution lists. This spam reduction enhancement will be made by restricting non-Villanova email account addresses (*e.g., Comcast, Yahoo, Hotmail, Gmail, etc.*) from sending to University distribution lists.

As of *05/28/2008*, all email sent to Villanova University distribution lists from external email domains or email services will be rejected. What this means to you is that you'll now be required to use *OWA* or *Outlook* client (via the University's VPN gateway, if you are off-campus) when sending email to University distribution lists. Email from on campus mail servers will still be accepted to Villanova distribution lists.

It's estimated that nearly 90% of email coming into the University is Spam. By securing access to University distribution lists, Spam can be reduced even more. Please visit <http://www.villanova.edu/unit/support/email/spam.htm> for more information on UNIT's Spam Reduction Plan.