The Porches Window

Tabs

Navigational tools that house pages of content and channels. When a user logs in to Porches, the user is directed to the main tab Front Porch.

Front Porch

Contains University news and events, announcements, weather and other links.

UD Daily

Contains specifics such as the campus Calendar, Menus, Dayton Flyer Headlines and Scores.

Campus Resources

Contains channels for various University departments and organizations.

HR Connections

HR information and links to time sheets and leave reports are available within this tab.

My Tab

Contains customizable links to UD resources and Internet sites.

Email Link

Provides access to Lotus Notes email.

University Search

Search University links, Internet links and names in the UD Address Book.

Links

Jumping points to University Web pages, or Web sites.

Channels

Channels are content delivery tools that provide quick access to information, applications, or other Web resources.

PORCHES

Welcome
You are currently logged in.

Layout | Content | Account | Email | Groups | Isidore | Logout | Help

Front Porch | UD Daily | Campus Resources | Academics | Faculty | HR Connections | My Tab

Campus Announcements

There are no announcements

Personal Announcements

▸ NEW TRAINING DOCS for the Banner/Porches Group
▸ INTERNATIONAL HULL FUND APPLICATION PROCESS OPEN
▸ PAID RESEARCH INTERNSHIP AVAILABLE: Marian Library

Campus News

Care for the Uninsured
Wednesday, March 17, 2010 – Regional health care symposium for students and physicians will address health care needs for the poor and uninsured. " More >>

Let the Madness Begin
Tuesday, March 16, 2010 – The women's basketball team earned its first NCAA tournament bid. As the team prepares for its tourney run, the Arena will host, within a 48-hour period,... More >>

Penny for Your Thoughts
Monday, March 15, 2010 – Vijayan Asari may someday not need a penny for your thoughts. He may already know who you are and what you're thinking because of his work with brain wave... More >>

Preferences ▸

Porch News

Where does "Email" take me?
You've probably noticed the "Email" icon on the top right-hand side of Porches. That icon will take you to your UD Lotus Notes account on the web (not the software you may have installed on your computer, but the web view shows you the exact same mail). Just another way that logging in once at Porches gets you to much of the information you need every day!

Note: If you've used the "Account" icon to forward your UD mail account elsewhere (e.g. Yahoo, AOL), the mail icon here on Porches will still take you to your campus account online. At this time, there's no way for individual users to redirect that link.

Video of the Week

What did Scott do this summer?

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You Tube

▸ 📢 0:00 / 2:33

Nominate a video to be featured here. Send a link to
mpg@udayton.edu

University Search

People | Google | Links

Search Links ▸

Weather

63.4° F
Scattered Clouds

Links

📁 Academics
📁 Campus Resources
📁 Co-Curricular Activities
📁 Finance/Purchasing
📁 Forms
📁 Human Resources
📁 Institutional Information

Poll

Do you like the Porches logo?

Yes — 64%
No — 36%

Total responses: 99
Thanks!

Feedback

Porches Feedback

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Getting Started

Signing on to Porches

1. Open your web browser and go to the following URL:

   https://porches.udayton.edu

2. Type your LDAP username in the **USER NAME** field.
3. Type your LDAP password in the **PASSWORD** field.

Training Resources

Visit the IT Training Web site or join the **Banner/Porches Training** group.   Training resources and instructions for joining a group can be found at:

http://community.udayton.edu/it/training/porches.php

Once you have joined the Banner/Porches Training group, training resources for Porches can be found within the **Files** link.

Getting Help

Contact the UDit HelpDesk at **(937) 229-3888** or email **helpdesk@udayton.edu** for all Porches related issues and questions.

Basic Terminology

Banner

The Enterprise Resource Planning product provided by SunGard Higher Education. Modules include HR time entry, budgets, advising, registration, personal management and more.

Portal

A Web site that functions as an entry point to the Intranet and provides useful content and links to various sites and features on the World Wide Web.

Porches

The official name given to the University of Dayton's web portal. Porches serves as a campus-wide resource for information, communication, collaboration and a vast array of academic and administrative functions.

Announcements

Timely, important, role-specific messages that are pushed to portal users. There are two types of announcements:

Campus - For all portal users, generally messages of critical, broad application

Personal - Role-based messages that can be targeted to users on the basis of certain attributes as defined in Banner

Group Studio

A feature within Porches that enables a specific group of people to participate in a collaborative environment. This includes collaborative tools such as online group discussion. Clubs, committees, office personnel and work teams might use a group to share documents and text-based messages (ideas), chat and more.