Communication, web presence related to Google Workspace for Education

The Communication, Web Presence, and Change Management sub-working group of the Cloud Storage Working Group has focused on the creation of a set of best practices for communications and documentation for the transition from unlimited storage to a storage-mindful environment.

The sub-working group comprised more than ten universities and was led by Matt Klein of Cornell University.

Links to resources:

We held a webinar session on April 18th, 2023 and covered the approaches your peer organizations are taking for communications and web presence and get access to the resources this workgroup is making available to benefit the higher ed community. Speakers included: Matt Klein, Cornell University, and Sarah Noel, North Carolina State University. Here's a link to the presentation used during the webinar and the presentation transcript.

Cornell University

Status as of January 2023: Quotas imposed. Alumni terms under review. Current perspective is 15GB default for faculty, staff, and students and more can be requested. Alumni storage is slated to end July 2023 but individuals who already have alumni Gmail accounts can keep them. Google services will end for all future alumni the November after they graduate. Students and alumni can switch to Office 365 email if they want.

- Mass emails to faculty and staff, alumni, and students
- Strategic Storage Initiative website
- Google File Ownership the Good, the Bad and the Ugly

Indiana University

- About Changes to Storage in Google at IU website
- About the Student Email Move from Gmail at IU to Exchange website
- Communications about changes to Google storage

Lewis & Clark College

Communication to End Users Regarding Account Deletion

University of California, Irvine

- GWE project Page
- GWE News Announcement
- Google Workspace (Formerly G-Suite) Storage Changes website

University of Minnesota

Sustainable Storage Good Practices

University of Michigan - Ann Arbor

- New storage limits for UM-Google now in effect
- Google storage project site
- Check your storage

University of Wisconsin - Madison

Reshaping the Google Workspace service

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