

Making a new account for Argonne for the I2U2 project.

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First go to <https://www-accounts.mcs.anl.gov/> and click on Account Request Page



Fill in the following pages with your information. The pages that follow show the screens that you will encounter. Mike Wilde has filled in the minimal amount so that you can see the screens. Read the text as well in case there are some special instructions. Do not worry about anything related to an SSH key if you are going to use Dreamweaver for your development. The development machine is set up to allow you to use secure FTP to upload/download your files. This is username/password protected. The rest of the machines use an SSH key for security. Another document discusses getting a key.

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Please enter the following information about yourself

Name

Title:

*First Name:

Middle Name:

*Last Name:

*Preferred Full Name:
(Full name by which you want to be known.)

Permanent Address

*Address Line 1:

Address Line 2:

*City:

*State:

*Zip Code: Enter XX if not applicable.

*Country:

Mailing Address

Check this box if the mailing address is the same as the permanent address.

*Address Line 1:

Address Line 2:

*City:

*State:

*Zip Code: Enter XX if not applicable.

*Country:

Other Information

University or Institution of Employment: If you are a new employee at MCS, you can enter the following:
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Office Phone:

Home Phone:

*Main Email Address: This main email address should and will be your main point of contact for all issues relating to this account.

This new MCS account.

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For username, try your last name, or first initial and last name. Although Mike Wilde did not put the question and answer hint for his password, it might be wise to include this.

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Please select the username that you want to have for your MCS account.

A username has been suggested already based on your full name. If this default username is suitable, press the Proceed button to proceed to the next step. Change the username if you want to have a different one.

NOTE: Many users will expect you to have the default username, and changing it to something else may not be desirable. MCS **will not** change usernames for users once an account has been created, so choose one that you will want to keep.

NOTE: If you select a different username, there has to be a clear association between it and your real name. If the association is not clear enough, your username will be changed.

Username:*

Please enter the password you would like to use.

Enter password:*

Re-enter password:*

NOTE: For security reasons, we prohibit passwords that are susceptible to being cracked by an intruder. Therefore, you may receive an error message if your password does not meet [ANL criteria](#).

NOTE: Please do NOT forget this password.

NOTE: All Windows NT/2000 passwords are randomly generated. If you will have access to Windows computers, your initial Windows password will be in your welcome packet. You will be expected to change this when you first use it.

Please provide us with a question and answer that we can use to verify your identity. This will be used when you need to contact our help desk with matters concerning your account.

Question:* *Example Question: What is my pet lizard's name?*

Answer:* *Example Answer: Spot*

*Indicates mandatory fields

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You want an annual account with Mike Wilde as your sponsor.

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Type of Account

What type of account should you have? *

Permanent MCS Regular Employee. Only choose this if you've been specifically told to do so.
 Annual MCS Term Employee, STA, Contractor. Most account holders should select this.
 Quarterly A 90 day account. Short term and summer visitors should select this.

Sponsor

For the following account types, you must enter sponsorship information: Annual, Quarterly. You can enter either the full name or the username. If there should be more than one sponsor, they can be entered with commas.

Sponsor's Full Name:

* OR

Sponsor's Username: @mcs.anl.gov

Group Association

Please select any or all groups with which you will be associated.

Futures Lab Access Grid DSL DSL CVS User
 LANS Radix Flash Bio
 Genome Teragrid Alliance Grid OGCE

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You should check both Email, workstations/Longin Servers and I2U2 even though he did not check all of these.

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Listed below are the various "computing resources" within MCS. Please check the resources that you believe you should have access to.

If a resource is already checked, it is the default that it should be included with the account, or it came as part of the group association on the previous page. For the most part, these suggested resources should be adequate.

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Workstations/Login Servers | All of the MCS UNIX workstations and general login servers. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Windows | All of the general use Windows NT and 2000 machines within MCS. This is required for VPN access and for Frontpage users. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Email | This resource gives you an mcs.anl.gov e-mail address. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Chiba City Linux Cluster | Chiba City is the 512 processor Linux cluster at MCS. Approval needs to be given to use the cluster. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | FL Visualization Systems | The Futures Lab visualization systems are for projects approved by the Futures Lab. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | SEED Resources | Only request this resource if you *know* you need access to the SEED machines. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | DSL All Systems | Specifically for DSL staff members. Approval is needed in order to use these systems. A workstation account should also be requested along with this. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | DSL Public Systems | This is a subset of the DSL machines, which is all that is necessary for most DSL accounts. A workstation account should also be requested along with this. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | DSL Testbed | This resource is for DSL-only testbed machines. Only request this resource if directed to do so. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | NEOS Web Server Access (girard) | This resource is for access to the NEOS web server (girard.mcs.anl.gov). |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | I2U2 | This resource is only for the i2u2 project machines. Only request this resource if directed to do so. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | AccessGrid Machines | These are machines for AccessGrid research. Approval needs to be given for access to these machines. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Open Grid Computing Environment | Provides access to the cvs repository for OGCE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Systems Group Resources | Only request this resource if you are a *member* of the Systems group. If you aren't sure, then you're not a member. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | LCRC Jazz Cluster | This is the Argonne LCRC Cluster, named Jazz |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | kBT Cluster | Private 250 node cluster only available to Benoit Roux's team. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | MCS BGL System | This is the MCS BGL System, named BGL |

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Enter the I2U2 project with a duration of three years. In addition, you might put that you will be a member of the quarknet group on the MCS machine.

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A project description is required for access to MCS machines. Please enter your default project description below, as well as an expected duration on the length of your project.

I2u2 Project with Mike Wilde

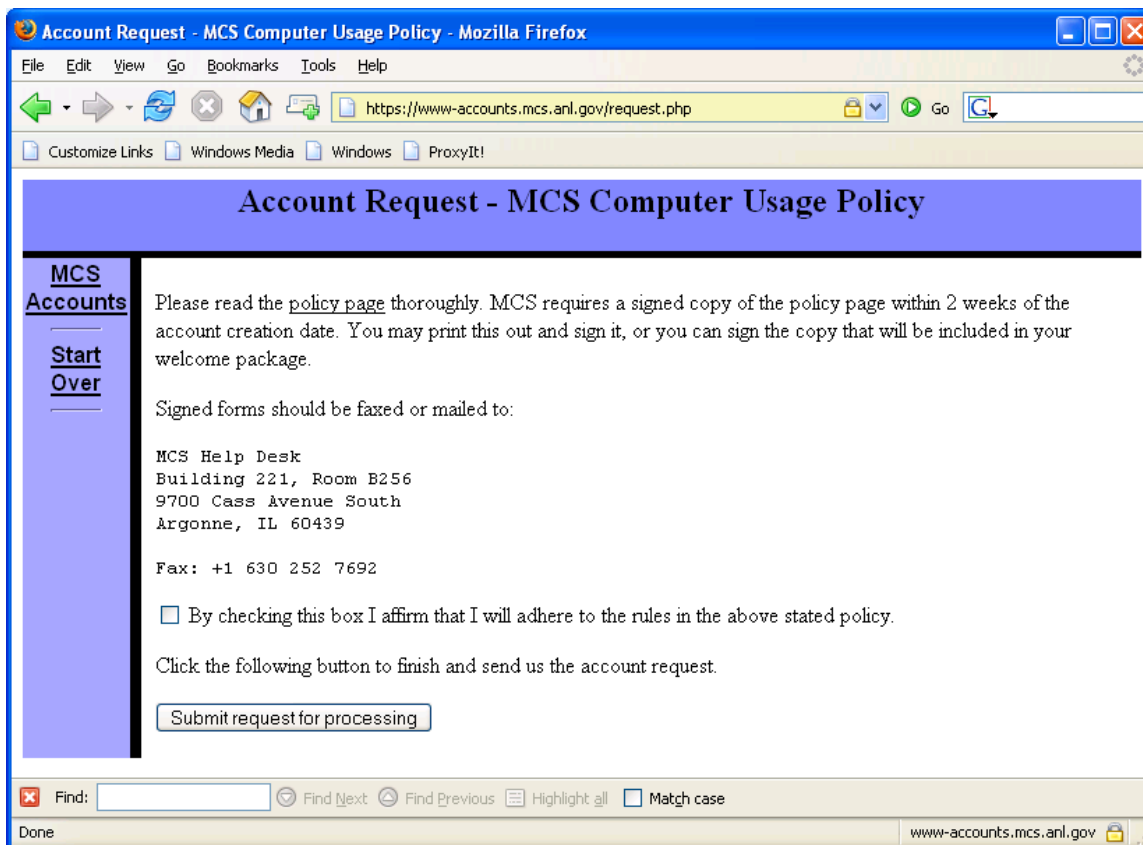
* Duration: 3 years

Proceed to next step

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Finally submit the request.



Your account information will be sent by snail mail. When you get your account, you will be able to use the I2U2 development machine for your e-Lab. Please inform us when you get the account. We will also need to add you to the quarknet group.

Please let us know if you encounter any problems using these forms. The screen grabs were made awhile ago, so there may be some additional choices.