



RISD Laptop Program Policy | 2019/2020

2019 – 2020 INTERIOR ARCHITECTURE Laptop Program

*What do I need? - When do I need it? – Where do I get it? – How much will it cost me? *Please note: this is a three page document.*

What do I need?	When do I need it?	Where do I get it?	Approximately how much will it cost me?
<p>A RISD Required/Recommended Apple MacBook Pro Laptop (with at least the following required specifications: i7 processor quad core 16GB RAM, 512GB Solid State Drive (SSD), Dedicated Graphics - Radeon Pro 450 with 2GB memory)</p> <p>Or</p> <p>A 15-inch Windows 10 Laptop (with at least the following required specifications: i7 processor quad core 16GB RAM, 512GB Solid State Drive (SSD), Dedicated Graphics - NVIDIA GeForce GTX 1050 with 2GB GDDR5</p>	<p>First day of class fall 2019</p> <p>*Note: INTAR MDes Graduate students starting the on-campus summer program on June 17th, are required to have their laptop and *software suite (as indicated) starting on June 17th for summer program coursework.</p>	<p>Visit www.risdstore.com > click on Apple Discounts > click on Login with a risd id > after login click the Click here to Shop Now link > RISD Apple Store - scroll down to center of page - click See Recommended Systems</p> <p><i>* Purchasing a RISD Recommended System configuration will save you \$\$ and supports the College!</i></p> <p>Comparable Windows 10 laptops may be purchased at a location of your choosing.</p>	<p>\$2800 - \$4200</p>
<p>RISD Campus ESET Anti-Virus</p>	<p>This should be the first software you install before starting to use your laptop.</p>	<p>http://itservices.risd.edu > Downloads</p>	<p>Free Download for all RISD Students</p>



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Adobe Creative Cloud	*MDes students for June 17 th * First day of class fall 2019	http://itservices.risd.edu > Discounted Hardware & Software > Adobe Creative Cloud (students)	RISD Provided Subscription for all Active Students
Microsoft Office	*MDes students for June 17 th * First day of class fall 2019	https://products.office.com/en-us/student/office-in-education > All you need to get started is a valid school email address. > enter your @risd.edu email address	Free Download for all RISD Students
Apple iWorks - Keynote	*MDes students for June 17 th * Recommended for all students: First day of class fall 2019	Apple App Store	Free Download
AutoDesk AutoCAD for Mac/Windows	*MDes students for June 17 th * First day of class fall 2019 Course: INTAR:2331, Course: INTAR:2377	http://students.autodesk.com/?nd=download_center	\$0.00
Do Not purchase the below listed software yet.	Do Not purchase the below listed software yet.	Please wait to purchase the below listed software until two or three weeks prior to Course#: INTAR:2367, INTAR:2377 (midterm fall 2019), INTAR:2331 (midterm spring 2019). You may not need to purchase all of the below software. Please remain in contact with the INTAR department for further details.	
V-Ray for Rhino (requires Windows or BootCamp for Mac)	First day of class fall 2019	https://store.chaosgroup.com/products/educational	Annual Academic License \$99.00
Rhino	Course#: INTAR:2367, Course#: INTAR:2377 (midterm fall 2019 semester), Course#: INTAR:2331 (midterm spring 2020 semester)	*There may be discounted Rhino pricing through www.studica.com > Search for: <i>Rhino</i> Or http://www.rhino3d.com/edu > buy > Students and faculty Note: Before buying- Check with INTAR faculty to inquire if the Windows version is necessary or if the Mac version is suitable.	Student and faculty price through Rhino direct: For Windows: \$129.00 - \$195.00 For Mac: \$129.00 - \$195.00



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Applicable only for Mac users who need to run Windows only software: Windows 10 Pro for Students OS	Course#: INTAR:2367, Course#: INTAR:2377 (midterm fall 2019 semester), Course#: INTAR:2331 (midterm spring 2020 semester)	<p>Note: Before buying - Check with INTAR – Rhino may be available at a discount at the RISD Store - 30 North Main St. Providence, RI 02903</p> <p>https://risd.onthehub.com/WebStore/Welcome.aspx</p> <p>note: You should download the Windows 10 installation software onto a drive external to your Mac laptop and install it from a drive external to your Mac laptop drive.</p> <p>*Install Windows on your Mac via Apple Boot Camp: https://support.apple.com/boot-camp</p>	Free Download for all RISD Students

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*All other INTAR students can purchase your equipment at any time, however, to ensure you are prepared for class with the *latest and greatest* hardware and software releases it is recommended you wait until at least July 2019 (or up to three weeks before the start of your first class) to make your purchases. To allow yourself enough time to verify proper software installation, please be sure to install all software at least one to two weeks prior to the start of the class requiring the software.