To all faculty and staff:

"Technology For You" is a quarterly online newsletter from NU Information Technology (NUIT) featuring a summary of important technology-related news and announcements for the University community. Check out our new Fall 2005 edition at http://www.it.northwestern.edu/newsletter/.

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* Beginning of fall means end of most junk e-mail: NU's E-mail Defense System was launched October 3, just in time to help you get a fresh start for fall quarter!  http://www.it.northwestern.edu/newsletter/fall2005/eds.html

* Why network extensions are a bad idea: If you've considered adding a network extension to your office, you should know about some of the potentially serious problems it could cause.  http://www.it.northwestern.edu/newsletter/fall2005/extension.html

* Choices for connecting from off-campus: Get reliable, fast access to the Internet and the NU Network almost anywhere.  http://www.it.northwestern.edu/newsletter/fall2005/connecting.html

* Not worried about the security of your password? You should be. Protect yourself from hackers with a mighty passphrase!  http://www.it.northwestern.edu/newsletter/fall2005/security.html

* Security Lessons at Northwestern: If you couldn't attend NUIT's "Lessons Learned from Information Security Incidents" presentation, check out some valuable information that was shared at this event.  http://www.it.northwestern.edu/newsletter/fall2005/lessons.html

* Converged Communications: This summer, NUIT announced a move towards converged communications services on the Chicago and Evanston campuses.  http://www.it.northwestern.edu/transitions/2005/converged_intro.html

* SPSS: NUIT is providing the latest versions of SPSS statistical software for Windows and Macintosh with new, lower pricing.  http://www.it.northwestern.edu/transitions/2005/spss-13-0-1.html

* CONDUITS Online: This new Web-based system streamlines billing procedures for NUIT services and allows designated staff to access, track, and run billing reports at their convenience.  http://www.it.northwestern.edu/transitions/2005/conduits_billing.html
* Symantec AntiVirus 10.0.1: All Windows users at Northwestern are encouraged to download this important virus-protection upgrade, available at no charge from NUIT.
http://www.it.northwestern.edu/transitions/2005/sav_1001.html

* EndNote 9.0 for Macintosh: The latest version of EndNote bibliographic software, v9.0 for the Macintosh, is available free of charge from NUIT.
http://www.it.northwestern.edu/transitions/2005/endnote9-mac.html

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