Easily collect research data and keep it safe while traveling abroad.

Too good to be true? Meet UAB IT's International Travel Loaner Laptop!



Easy setup!

After powering on the laptop, follow the on-screen prompts to complete setup. You will need your BlazerID and password to access this device, as well as Duo 2-factor authentication. If you run into problems while setting up your device, contact AskIT with the information below.



Connect to campus without VPN

go.uab.edu/uabanywhere

You are assigned a Personal Virtual Desktop with Researcher resources (8 CPU, 32 GB RAM, 128 GB Premium SSD) to perform UAB work and access on-premise resources (mapped drives, mapped printers, file storage). All you need is an internet connection!



Take your software with you

uab.edu/software

Microsoft Office Applications are installed on your laptop and virtual desktop. Faculty and staff have access to free Adobe Acrobat Pro, and there are a limited number of free licenses for Adobe Creative Cloud as well. UAB IT will load your legal, licensed software on your laptop and virtual desktop.



Participate in virtual meetings

uab.edu/it/home/zoom | uab.edu/microsoftteams

Zoom and Microsoft Teams desktop applications are installed on the virtual desktop.



No internet connection? No worries!

go.uab.edu/storage

Run software, save your data to the laptop, and transfer it to file storage when you return to UAB. All data on the laptop is encrypted. Be sure to transfer your data before you return it. .



Get Help

uab.edu/techhelp | 205-996-5555

When you need help on the other side of the world, you can call, email, or create a ticket with AskIT no matter the time zone. We'll troubleshoot your issue and ship a replacement laptop if needed.



