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LINKEDIN LEARNING

LinkedIn Learning is a great tool to utilize to further your knowledge of different software, creative, and business skills. You can view courses from many different fields and interests and complete courses to add to your LinkedIn Profile or certifications to add to a resume. For Staff and Faculty, LinkedIn Learning can be used during class as an extra educational platform that students can learn from. With LinkedIn Learning's personalized recommendations, you can find content that is geared towards the topics you are most interested in. The online courses are courses you can take at your own pace and circle back to whenever you want.

You can keep track of all your courses on your profile and view 'Welcome video' before you start the course to ensure that it is the course you desire to learn from. Many courses offer quizzes that ensure you are grasping the material taught throughout the course. These quizzes can be done at a later time, as well. In some courses, there are exercise files that you can download if you are learning how to work on a certain software platform or other skill that requires an external file.

When you have finished a course, you can add the course to your profile to show off your success! By adding the completed course to your profile, you can add the skills that you have acquired from it, as well. There are many different courses available like, business courses, creative courses, and even well-being courses. These courses can aid in the success for any individual at any point in their life. There are courses for interviewing tips for those applying to jobs and courses that cover the Microsoft Office. The range of courses and topics makes it beneficial for every individual hoping to enhance their professional or personal life.

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Reminder- 1GB Storage Limit for Alum

Reminder for all graduating seniors: All new alumni status accounts will be limited to just 1GB of data storage on their Valpo Google Accounts come next September. Be sure to clear out your data from your account before that time comes or your account will be locked and your data may be deleted.

The sum of the data on your account includes: Gmail, Photos and anything stored in Google Drive. Remember, anything that you own is a part of your storage. If you have presentations, data, research, videos, etc., that someone on campus would like to have continued access to, be sure to change ownership before purging data as IT will not be able to restore those items later.

If you have questions or concerns, please email the IT Help Desk for further support and we will be happy to assist.

Rave Mobile- Emergency Communication System

Clear communication makes a difference in an emergency situation which is why Valpo is taking steps to protect and inform our campus community through Rave Mobile.

This communication system is in place to allow the university to send urgent messages via email and through text messaging. This program has been selected by the Office of Information Technology in coordination with the University Police Department to increase our speed and effectiveness in emergency situations. While all faculty, staff and students immediately begin receiving emails through their Valpo accounts, those wishing to receive text message alerts will need to complete an additional step by managing their account details with Rave.

To enroll in text messaging, please visit <https://www.getrave.com/login/valpo> and select your Valpo Google email. From there you will be asked to approve the terms of use. Once you have done so, you will be able to view your account and add your mobile number.

Have a loved on that would like alerts too? No problem. Add their number to your account and they will receive them also.

