

# SCM Lab Quick Reference

SCM IT Support Team (SCM.IT)

Effective from Sept 2024

## Computer Lab / Studio Summary

Facility	Description
<b>Audio Recording Studios and Audio Laboratory (M6052)</b>	Consists of Audio Recording Studio, Audio Control Studio and Audio Laboratory primarily for audio / sound classes
<b>Animation Laboratory 1 and 2 (M7024, M7056)</b>	Labs for 2D/3D animation and design, digital visual effects (Maya, 3ds Max, Blender, Zbrush, Cinema 4D, Houdini, ClipStudio, MotionBuilder PFTrack, DragonFrame etc) * Animation Lab 1 is equipped with high speed A3 scanners and Excalibur punchers
<b>Animation Studio (M7026)</b>	A lab for 2D/3D animation and design, stop motion & digital visual effects projects
<b>Computer Laboratory 1 (M7058)</b>	Labs for courses of web page and multimedia authoring, Internet design tools and programming, gaming, interactivity, digital imaging and digital signage.
<b>Video Editing Laboratory (M7060)</b>	Lab for video editing (Final Cut, Premiere Pro, After Effects, Unity Pro) teaching
<b>Visual Effect Laboratory (M7098)</b>	Lab for video effect and compositing (Final Cut, DaVinci Resolve, Premier Pro, After Effects, Lightroom, InDesign)
<b>Project Room 1-5 (M6005-M6009)</b>	Rooms for 2-3 persons working on sound recording, sound or video editing projects
<b>I/O Desks (outside M7098)</b>	PCs with scanning and memory card reading facility

\*\*\* [Adobe CC is available in most computer labs and studios](#)

## Computer Services

- ❑ SCM computer account
  - Username is the same as your **Electronic ID (EID)** offered by Computing Services Centre (CSC) e.g. **chantm1**
  - **Change your initial password** at the first logon in any SCMLAB computers
  - Default initial password is in following format:
    - The *first 2 characters from your surname* with the first character as uppercase letter and the second character as lowercase letter + *last 6 digits of your Student ID* (e.g., **Ch234567** for student “CHAN Tai-man” with Student ID is 51234567)
  - New password must be a **strong** password with at least **8 characters** (i.e., a combination of letters and alphanumerics with as least 1 uppercase letter and **does not** contain your full name or your account username)
  - Logon domain is **SCMLAB** and it is used for user login at both PC and Mac platforms
  - **This SCM computer account password must be changed every 6 months** according to the University-Wide password policy. (You can change your SCM password here: <https://sprwp.scm.cityu.edu.hk/>)
- ❑ Network drives
  - **Drive U:** for permanent Home network storage (4GB)
  - Secure remote connection: You can connect your Home network storage from your PC/Mac at home by using **FTP** to connect to the SWEB server
  - Your personal web page URL is **[http://sweb.cityu.edu.hk /<account\\_name>/HTML\\_filename](http://sweb.cityu.edu.hk/<account_name>/HTML_filename)** by placing HTML documents under **U:\public\_html**  
e.g. <http://sweb.cityu.edu.hk/chantm1/index.html>
  - **W:\Public** for temporary common share space (Weekly Cleanup at **every Saturdays 23:00**)
- ❑ **Adobe ID**
  - **When you are prompted to sign in when using Adobe CC apps on SCMLAB computers, you can use your CityU EID (i.e. [YourEID-c@my.cityu.edu.hk](mailto:YourEID-c@my.cityu.edu.hk)) to do so via the CityU login page. You do not need to create and use your own Adobe ID**
  - **Please visit our [Adobe ID FAQ](#) for details**

## Getting Help

- ❑ Email: [scm.it@cityu.edu.hk](mailto:scm.it@cityu.edu.hk)
- ❑ IT Support Team office (room M7052): 9:00am-6:00pm (Mon-Fri)
- ❑ IT Support Team web site: <http://it.scm.cityu.edu.hk>
- ❑ Additional documentation on SCM Macintosh platforms (also downloadable from SCM.IT website):
  - [SCM Macintosh Quick Reference](#)
- ❑ Opening hours of SCM labs and teaching venues: <https://www.scm.cityu.edu.hk/about-scm/opening-hours>

## Team Members

- ❑ Joshua PUN (IT Support Team related matters)
- ❑ Antony CHAN (SCM Computer Lab, SCM Webmaster)
- ❑ Romeo LAW (Avid, Audio/video, Mac platform)
- ❑ Simon YIP (Network Storage SCM Computer Lab)
- ❑ Patrick Cheung (Network Storage & network infrastructure)
- ❑ Alan TSE (SCM Computer Lab, Computer Accounts, SWEB system)

## SCM Lab Software List

- ❑ For details, please refer to <http://it.scm.cityu.edu.hk>.