New identification cards will be distributed to all members of the University Community beginning on April 24th. The new ID card, which has security features designed to protect personal privacy, will provide the same functions and services as the current card. Beginning at 12:01 a.m. on May 28, 2006, the current ID card will no longer function, and the new cards will take effect.

The new cards will become available according to the following schedule:

**Undergraduate students living in the residence halls, Commons, or Courtyard apartments** may pick up their new cards at their hall service desk from April 24th through April 27th. Beginning on May 1st, cards may be picked up at the Baltimore Room in the Stamp Student Union.

**Other students, undergraduate and graduate**, may pick up their new cards in the Baltimore Room at the Stamp Student Union from April 24th through May 11th.

Beginning May 12th, students may pick up their new cards at the Registrar’s service counter on the first floor of the Mitchell Building between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

**Faculty and staff** will receive their new cards from unit human resource personnel on the May 5th payday.

Questions?? Please visit the website at [http://idcard.umd.edu](http://idcard.umd.edu) and click on FAQs. If you have a question not answered by the FAQS, please feel free to submit the questions by email to [idcard@umd.edu](mailto:idcard@umd.edu).

Thank you for your support. It is greatly appreciated.

David Robb, Ph.D.
Registrar

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