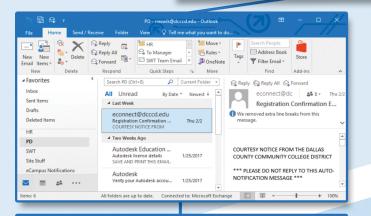


# Getting the Most Out of Microsoft Outlook

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#### You are likely using 1 of 2 versions of MSFT Outlook:



#### Sweep Move to Y Categories Y \*\*\* Registration Confirmation E-m Next: No events for the next two days. econnect@dcccd.edu Sent Items econnect@dcccd.edu Drafts Registration Confirmation E-mail COURTESY NOTICE FROM THE DALLA Deleted Items Autodesk Education Com... ✓ Groups \* Nev COURTESY NOTICE FROM THE DALLAS COUNT COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT SAVE AND PRINT THIS EMAIL. IT IS YOUR REC. \*\*\* PLEASE DO NOT REPLY TO THIS AUTO-NOT MESSAGE \*\*\* Autodesk

# **Desktop Application**

- Desktop/PC-based app(lication)
- More "Bells & Whistles" than web app
- Generally accessed from your Start Menu or Task Bar

# **Outlook Web App**

Search Current Mailbox (... 🔎

- Browser-based app
- Less functionality than desktop version
- Generally accessed from myPortal or outlook.dcccd.edu

All Unread

■ Yesterday

# **Desktop Application - TOP 10 "Things you should know"**

- 1. Ctrl+R = Keyboard shortcut to Reply
- 2. Ctrl+F = Keyboard shortcut to Forward
- **3.** Ctrl+Shift+V = Keyboard shortcut to **Move Items** (to folders)
- 4. Use the **Spacebar** to *scroll* through emails in Reading Pane
- **5.** F3 = Keyboard shortcut for the **Search** box to *locate* emails by keyword(s)
- **6.** Use/Manage **Quick Steps** to set-up your personal,

frequent actions

7. Use/Manage Rules to set-up automatic folder filing





Current Mailbox

Current Folder

Current Mailbox
All Outlook Items

Subfolders

8. Drag an email to the Calendar icon on the Navigation Pane to set up an Appointment/reminder



- 9. To change your profile photo, go to File > Account Settings / Change
- 10.To ATTEMPT to Recall a message:
  - Go to your Sent Items
  - Double-click on the message (to recall) to open it in a new window
  - Go to Actions > Recall this message...
  - Select option(s) & click OK



# Getting the Most Out of Microsoft Outlook (continued)...

# **Other Helpful Shortcuts**

- Ctrl+N = New Message/Appointment/ Contact/Task/etc. (navigation-based)
- Ctrl+Y = Go to Folder
- Ctrl+Shift+E = Create New Folder
- Shift+Delete = "Permanently" delete items
  - For a short time period, items can still be recovered by going to: Folder > Recover Deleted Items
- Ctrl+D = Delete to **Deleted Items** folder
- Ctrl+Shift+I = Navigate to Inbox folder

#### What about the Calendar?



- With your mouse cursor, hover over the Calendar in the Navigation Pane (above) to see a "Peek" or a mini-calendar
- Click on the above icon to open the full Calendar
  - With the full Calendar open, click-and-drag weeks (on the left) in the Folder Pane to change your Calendar view (see below)

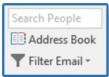


- When creating an appointment for a particular day, you can use *natural language dates* to find its numeric equivalent. Just *type* the day you're searching for (see Start time below), *hit* the **Tab** key, and the respective numeric date will appear (see End time below).

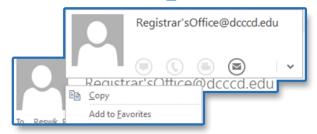


#### **Contacts, Contacts, Contacts**

- To quickly find a person or contact, use the **Search People** dialogue box (top right)



 To set up a Favorite, right-click on a sender's information (via an open email) and choose "Add to Favorites"

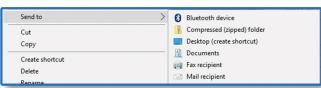


 To access your Favorites, with your mouse cursor - hover over the 2-person icon in the Navigation Pane (see below)



# **Quick & Easy Attachments**

 Right-click on an item/file stored locally on your computer, choose Send to > Mail recipient to directly attach to an Outlook email (see below)



 When using MSFT Office products (Word, Excel, Access, etc), with the respective Office product open (i.e. Excel), go to File > Share > Email to directly attach the open file to an Outlook email (see below)

