

# Carl R. Woese Institute for Genomic Biology

## New Employee Checklist

Welcome to the IGB! Visit the IGB website at [www.igb.illinois.edu](http://www.igb.illinois.edu), go to *Facilities & Services* in the drop down menu, and click on *New Arrival Information: Key Request/Card Access*.

### IGB Entry Request Form

- Complete an IGB Entry Request Form:  
<https://www.igb.illinois.edu/sites/default/files/uploads/IGB%20Entry%20Request%20Form%20PDF%206.02.21.pdf>
- Form must be signed
- Submit completed IGB Entry Request Form electronically to IGB Facilities ([facilities@igb.illinois.edu](mailto:facilities@igb.illinois.edu)) or hard copy to IGB Gatehouse Room 1601.

### Key Deposit (if applicable)

- If physical room key is required, IGB receptionist collects \$20.00 refundable key deposit and distributes key.
  - Cash
  - Check (payable to the University of Illinois);
  - Credit or debit: American Express, Discover, MasterCard, or Visa
  - CFOAPs cannot be used for payment
  - Key(s) CANNOT be issued without payment or deposit.

### Computer Access

An IGB system services account is needed to complete the IGB online training and access IGB system services, such as email, calendar, file-sharing, and web publishing. Email [help@igb.illinois.edu](mailto:help@igb.illinois.edu) to obtain your IGB computer account.

### Prox Card

- If the back of your i-Card has numbers, IGB access can be programmed.
- If the back of your i-Card is blank, take your current card to the i-Card Center to obtain a replacement card. Information on your current card automatically transfers to the replacement card.
- If you've never had an i-Card, present a government-issued photo ID (driver's license or passport) at the i-Card Center to obtain.
- i-Card Center is located at Illini Union Bookstore, 809 South Wright Street (1<sup>st</sup> Floor) Champaign, IL  
Phone: 217-244-0135  
Fax: 217-239-6899  
Email: [idcenter@illinois.edu](mailto:idcenter@illinois.edu)  
Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. with extended hours at the beginning of each semester.  
Closed on designated holidays, reduced-service days, and when Illini Union Bookstore is closed.
- Allow 12-24 hours for card activation.
- Card will automatically be programmed. You do not need to physically return to the IGB for programming.
- Email will be sent when your card is programmed/activated.
- If access issues, please contact IGB Facilities ([facilities@igb.illinois.edu](mailto:facilities@igb.illinois.edu)).

### Safety Training

You must complete the online Safety Trainings required for your role at IGB (researcher or support staff).

**Your prox card cannot be activated until all mandatory trainings are completed and verified online.**

Completed DRS certificate(s) can be accessed at <https://old.drs.illinois.edu/Training/Records>

■ **Researchers Working in IGB Labs**

- Division of Research Safety (DRS) General Laboratory Safety  
<https://ovcrportal.research.illinois.edu/Training/Overview.aspx?TrainingId=67>
- Division of Research Safety (DRS) Understanding Biosafety.  
<https://ovcrportal.research.illinois.edu/Training/Overview.aspx?TrainingId=68>
- IGB training – For lab workers doing research  
<http://www.igb.illinois.edu/safety/training-lab> (use IGB Net ID and password)

■ **Researchers Using BSL-2 Cell Culture**

- Safe Handling of Human Cell Lines/Materials in a Research Laboratory  
**BSL-2 training is required for 3500 IGB Lab.**  
First time training is done in person through a Live Training by DRS.  
**First time users:** “Register for Live Training” for first time users.  
**Annual renewal:** “Take Online Training”  
After selecting “Register for Live Training”, select a session and “Enroll”. Select the appropriate PI registered as BSL-2. Once training is complete, the certificate of completion can be found under your training certifications on the DRS website.  
<https://ovcrportal.research.illinois.edu/Training/Overview.aspx?TrainingId=92>

■ **IGB Support Staff (computer work only)**

- Includes severe weather-related emergencies, fire alarm system, areas of rescue assistance, and building evacuation plans.  
<http://www.igb.illinois.edu/safety/training-staff?page=1> (use IGB Net ID and password)

■ **Core Facilities Users ONLY**

- Division of Research Safety (DRS) Online General Laboratory Safety Training  
<https://ovcrportal.research.illinois.edu/Training/Overview.aspx?TrainingId=67>
- Division of Research Safety (DRS) Understanding Biosafety  
<https://ovcrportal.research.illinois.edu/Training/Overview.aspx?TrainingId=68>
- IGB training – For lab workers doing research, <http://www.igb.illinois.edu/safety/training-lab> (use IGB Net ID and password. ).
- Core Facilities Training Certificate. Core Facilities staff will email IGB Facilities when training completed.

- **Faculty** are not required to take the online safety training, but strongly encouraged to review minimally the training slides for researchers. This training set includes building safety information and IGB-specific requirements. DRS Online General Laboratory Safety Training provides general lab safety information and campus safety policies and procedures.

**Phone and Computer Information**

Phone and computer information based on info provided to the IGB Help Desk. Notify [help@igb.illinois.edu](mailto:help@igb.illinois.edu) with changes and updates.

**Contact IGB Facilities ([facilities@igb.illinois.edu](mailto:facilities@igb.illinois.edu)) for further information or questions.**