



Network Upgrade Preparation:

#405 Barton, #446 Macdonald Stewart and
#485 Raymond Buildings

PLANNED NETWORK JACK AUDIT

June 8 to July 13, 2020

WHAT IS HAPPENING	<p>The ITS NCS Network Upgrade Project Team is in the process of upgrading the Wired and Wireless Network across the University. This process, applied building by building, affects occupants at different times during the Upgrade. The result is improved speed, security and coverage of the network service in the buildings and throughout the University.</p> <p>From June 08 to July 13, 2020, the Barton Building, the Macdonald Stewart Building and the Raymond Building will undergo the preparation for the Network Upgrade.</p> <p>Throughout this period, technicians from IT Services and external contractors will be working onsite performing network jack audits.</p>
ACTIVITIES	<p>The on-site and daily activities from 07h00 to 15h00 will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Auditing network jacks in each room and recording the jack information and details per location <p>Notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The work will require all access throughout the building (labs, classrooms and offices) • The technicians will be overseen by an NCS Team Lead • McGill security guard(s) will accompany the technicians for the duration of the work onsite • This is a visual audit only and will not cause any network disruption
ADDITIONAL INFO	<p>The Network Upgrade Project has successfully performed upgrades throughout all McGill's North West and North East downtown sectors and at Gault Estate.</p> <p>For more information on Wired and Wireless connectivity at McGill, please consult the following articles on the IT Knowledge Base:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wired Network Connectivity • Wireless Network Connectivity <p>To learn more about this initiative, visit the Network and Information Security Upgrade website. If you require more information, please contact your LAN Administrator or Building Director.</p>