

## Getting started with Blackboard – Cadet Guide

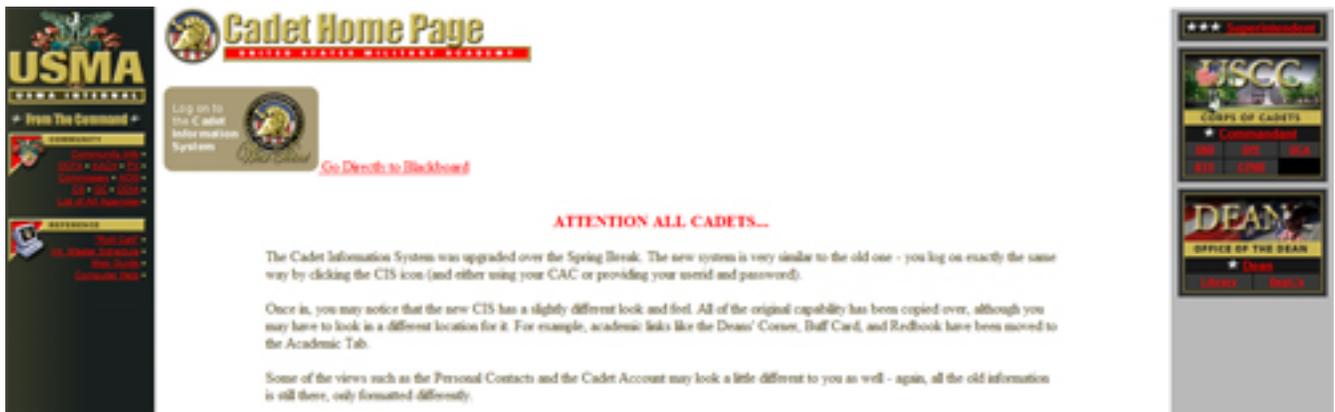
Blackboard is an easy-to-use Web-based system that supports your learning. It can provide:

- access to information, such as the syllabus and reading lists;
- access to handouts, presentations, useful Web links and other resources;
- online discussion areas and chat rooms;
- online multiple-choice tests;
- special facilities for small-group project work. Your instruction can choose which of these features will be used – so not all Blackboard courses will have online tests, for example.

### Step 1 – Logging in to Blackboard

You will need to **log in** to Blackboard each time you access it using your ID and password. Follow these steps to access Blackboard:

- Login to the Cadet Information System (CIS) at the following URL  
<https://cis.usma.edu/default.asp>



Click on the "Go Directly to Blackboard" link to the right of the CIS login icon to enter Blackboard:



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You will then see the USMA Bb Login page. Use your login ID and Password to enter Blackboard Learn.

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**Have an account?**  
Please enter your credentials and click the Login button below.

**Username:**

**Password:**

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**Login**

**Some Helpful Links**

- Center for Teaching Excellence - Blackboard
- IETD - Information and Educational Technology
- Goldcoats - Cadet and Staff Computer Support
- Enterprise Services Branch
- Software Engineering Branch

From this point, refer to the [Cadet User Guide for Blackboard Learn Release 9.1.](#)