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The compact disk is invented.

Apple Computer is formed.



1972

Apple II, the first personal computer with color graphics, debuts.



The 5.25-inch floppy disk is the industry standard.



The Apple II Plus is introduced.

Intel introduces the 8088, at 5MHz.

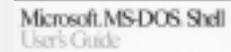
The Student Information System (SIS) debuts at UC Davis.

1979

Registration Module is added to the UC Davis SIS.

1980

Microsoft ships MS-DOS.



IBM debuts 8088-based Personal Computer.

The Financial Aid Module is added to the SIS.

BITNET, one of the first wide-area networks, is founded to serve academic institutions.

1981



Compaq releases portable computer to consumers (it weighs 30 lbs!).

Intel introduces the 286, at 8 MHz.

1982

Peter Norton creates Norton Utilities, a file recovery program.

WordPerfect 1.0, a word processing program, is introduced.



The PC is *Time* magazine's "man of the year."

The Apple IIe is introduced.

1983



Microsoft Word 1.0 is released.



Apple debuts the first Macintosh, a computer with a graphical user interface.

1984

The 3.5-inch diskette debuts.



Dell computer is founded.



Gateway 2000 is founded.

Intel introduces the 386, at 16 MHz.

1985

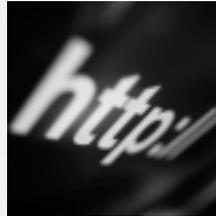
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Hayes demonstrates its modem for ISDN lines.

First large-scale virus released accidentally by Robert Morris Jr. (Internet Worm).

17 buildings are connected to UCDNet.

Intel introduces the 486, at 25 MHz.



Tim Berners-Lee develops the HTTP Protocol and HTML.

9.6 Kbps modem is released.

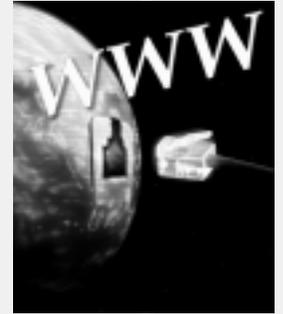
Windows 3.0 is released. It uses a graphical user interface.



The first commercial Internet dial-up access (The World) comes online.

Dr. Carole Barone is appointed Associate Vice Chancellor-Information Technology.

Gopher, a tool that helps locate information on the Internet, is developed.



The World Wide web is launched as a research tool.

Windows 3.1 is introduced.

1987

1988

1989

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1991

1992

Banner Student Information System debuts.

Kodak introduces the photo CD.

The UC Davis Division of Information Technology is created.



The UC Davis Modem Pool has 372 modems; most provide 14.4 Kbps service.

Financial Aid Module is added to the Banner SIS.



Intel introduces the 60 MHz Pentium processor.

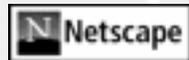
UC Davis RSVP (Phone registration system) is implemented.

Mosaic, the first graphical Web browser, is launched by NCSA.

Microsoft Office 4.0, Windows NT, and MS-DOS 6.0 are released.



IT-CAP relocates to Shields Library.



Netscape and Yahoo! Search engines are created.

28.8Kbps modems are released.

1992

1993

1994

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Apple introduces the PowerMac.

1994

UC Davis Technology Support Program (TSC/TSP) debuts.

Network 21 construction begins; 72 campus buildings are connected to UCDNet.

IT-CAP becomes IT Express.

33.6 Kbps modems are released.

Windows 95 and Microsoft Office 95 are released.



Intel introduces the Pentium Pro, at 150 MHz.

1995



UC Davis joins Internet 2.

56 Kbps modems are released.

WebTV is introduced.



SUN debuts JAVA.

Intel releases the 200MHz Pentium II processors.



1996



UC Davis Graduate Admissions begins accepting applications on the Web.

UC Davis Financial Information System (DaFIS) is implemented.

UC Davis Melvyl on the Web debuts.



Provost's Commission on the Future of Information Technology is established.

ResNet is completed.

GUI Banner is deployed.



Apple introduces the G3 chip, at 233 MHz.

Digital Video Discs (DVDs) go on sale.



Microsoft Office 97 is released.



UC Davis Data Center gets new home.

Apple introduces the iMac.



Network 21 is completed; 300 campus buildings are connected to UCDNet.



1997

1998

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UC Davis Faculty Modem Pool is upgraded to 56K V.90.

IT Governance Structure (AC4, AdC3, ITPB) is formed.

Windows 98 is released.

Pentium II hits 450 MHz.



UC Davis SIS Web Registration for students goes live.

Intel introduces the Pentium III Coppermine, at 733 MHz.

IT 5-year Administrative Unit Review (AUR) Report is released.

IT Response to AUR Report is released.

All Campus Modem Pools are upgraded to 56K V.90.



Dr. John Bruno is appointed Vice Provost-Information and Educational Technology.

Coppermine hits 800 MHz.

Apple Computer releases the G4 chip, at 400MHz.



The Power Mac G4 is here.

1998

1999