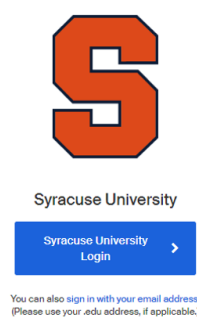
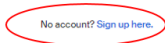


# Alumni Handshake Account Requests

**i** NOTE: Alumni retain access to their Handshake account indefinitely so long as they continue to keep their netid password updated yearly: [NetID Password Change FAQ](#)

If you are an alumni and would like to have your existing Handshake account changed to a personal email address instead of your Syracuse University email address, please send an email to [handshake@syr.edu](mailto:handshake@syr.edu) being sure to include your SU email information and the new email you would like to use.

1. visit [syr.joinhandshake.com](http://syr.joinhandshake.com)
2. Select "No account? Sign up here" in the upper right corner of the page. You may sign up with an alternate email address.



3. If you still use your @syr.edu email address you may enter it here, or you may enter your personal email address and select Next.



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**Syracuse University**  
.edu email address

**Next**

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Already have an account?  
[Sign in here](#)

4. Search for Syracuse University, then select Next.

## Add your school

Some colleges and universities partner with Handshake and may already have a profile for you.

School

Syracuse University x

Can't find your school? [Contact support](#)

**A note from your career center:**

\*\*\*\*PLEASE READ\*\*\*\* NEW INCOMING STUDENTS PLEASE DO NOT REQUEST AN ACCOUNT USING A PERSONAL EMAIL. AN ACCOUNT WILL BE CREATED FOR YOU USING YOUR @SYR.EDU EMAIL AROUND THE FIRST DAY OF CLASSES. If necessary, please use your @syr.edu email. Once your account is created you will be able to login using the Syracuse University login button and enter your netid and corresponding password. Please email [handshake@syr.edu](mailto:handshake@syr.edu) for further assistance. If you are unable to use Handshake for accessibility reasons please contact [handshake@syr.edu](mailto:handshake@syr.edu).

Next

## 5. Create a password then click create account.

### Choose a password

Passwords must be 8+ characters and contain 2+ of the following categories: letters, numbers, and special characters.

Password

Re-enter password

I agree to the [Terms of Service](#) and have read the [Privacy Policy](#)

Once you create an account you'll start receiving Handshake emails. You can unsubscribe at any time.

Create account



Once the signup process is complete, your account request will go to the campus administrator who will review to be sure you are an alumni of Syracuse University. You may receive a communication asking you to verify your status with the university and provide information such as previous names used, graduation year, SUID, netid or major.

Once your account has been approved: to login as an alumni, visit [syr.joinhandshake.com](https://syr.joinhandshake.com) and select "Sign in with your email address" underneath the Syracuse University Login button. The Blue SU login button is only used for current active students or those people who still have an active netid and password associated with their Handshake account.