**Connecting to the Network - Windows XP Professional**

1. Click on the **Start** button.

2. Select **Control Panel** from the Start menu.

3. Double-click the **Network Connections** control panel applet.

4. Double-click the **Local Area Connection** icon.

5. Select the **Properties** button.

6. Select the **Authentication** tab.

7. In the **EAP type:** field, select **Protected EAP (PEAP).**

8. Make sure the box is **unchecked** next to **Authenticate as computer when computer information is available.**

9. Make sure the box is **unchecked** next to **Authenticate as guest when user or computer information is unavailable.**

10. Click the **Properties** button.

11. Make sure the box is **unchecked** next to **Validate Server Certificate.**

12. **Check** the box next to **Enable Fast Reconnect.**

13. Click the **Configure** button.

14. **Uncheck** the box next to **Automatically use my Windows logon name and password (and domain if any),** and then click **OK.**

15. Click **OK** to exit the **Protected EAP Properties** window.
16. Once you have done this, you can plug in to the wall jack.

17. You should see a bubble pop up in the lower right corner of the screen by the clock. This will ask you to enter credentials. Click on this and you should see a dialog box. Enter your University Computer Account username and password where prompted. Leave the Logon domain field blank, and click OK.

You are now connected to the network in Mervis Hall.

If you have any questions regarding this process, require assistance, or find yourself unable to connect to the network please contact the Katz IT Services Help Desk, 382 Mervis Hall, Monday – Friday, during normal business hours.