USING WORLD TELEVISION (UR SATELLITES AND CABLE)

The MMLL / Global Studio partners with Telecommunications and the MRC in Boatwright Library to offer television programming from around the world through the University’s cable system.

Three channels are available everywhere on campus: SCOLA—channel 13 of the UR cable system—provides news programs from around the world. Deutsche Welle is available on channel 14, unless a teleconference is scheduled. HITN on channel 15 offers programming from the Spanish-speaking world.

The MMLL / Global Studio provides international programs on channels 7 – 11; these channels are available ONLY in academic buildings.

What will I see?

The channel lineup is:

7: TV5 Monde (French)
8: Italian / Russian / Hebrew (in rotation)
9: Chinese / Japanese (in rotation)
10: Arabic (programming source varies)
11: Spanish (programming source varies)
13: SCOLA Channel One (original language news from around the world)
14: Deutsche Welle (German / English)
15: HITN (Spanish)

When schedules are established for channels marked “in rotation” or “programming source varies,” they will be posted on the MMLL’s web. Please send requests for specific languages and sources to Sharon Scinicariello (sscinica@richmond.edu).

The MMLL / Global Studio can receive 40+ channels of world television. Program schedules are available through links on the MMLL’s website at http://langtech.richmond.edu/services/worldtv.html or through Dish Network’s programming guides (http://www.dishnetwork.com > Entertain > Programming Guides: choose International Channels or Dish Latino--for Spanish--and enter 23173 as the zip code). Note: UR does not receive all of Dish Network’s international programming; the MMLL website lists the channels available. You may request that a specific channel be broadcast through the cable system or that specific programs be recorded for classroom use.
Viewing in the MMLL / Global Studio

The MMLL / Global Studio has a number of viewing stations set up for anyone interested in watching world TV. Small groups may enjoy using the Screening Room’s large screen.

The MMLL / Global Studio routinely tapes SCOLA news broadcasts from France, Spain, and Latin America (Mexico). Each day’s broadcast is kept on reserve in the MMLL / Global Studio for one week; anyone is welcome to view any of the available tapes. Ask at the Lab Assistants’ Desk.

NOTE: There is no ‘weekend’ news from Latin America (Mexico) on SCOLA; the ‘weekend’ tape is entertainment programming from Spain.

Viewing in the Puryear Classrooms

World television is available in all the Puryear classrooms. Here are some basic instructions on using the media systems.

Ground and Second Floors

- Use the touch screen on the media console to turn on the projector
- Touch the TV icon on the touch screen
- If you see a ‘Tuner Power’ button, touch it.
- Use ‘Channel Up’ and ‘Channel Down’ buttons to find the channel you want to display.
- To quit using the TV, switch inputs.

First Floor: 112

For 112, follow the instructions for the Ground and Second Floor classrooms. However, you may need to:

- Push the ‘video’ button on the projector’s handheld remote in order to display television.
- Push the ‘exit’ button on the touch screen in order to get the sound from the TV system to stop.

First Floor: 111

Puryear 111 is the last of the classrooms with a cart, but it does now have television.

- Turn on the DVD/VCR player.
- Select ‘video’ on the front of the DVD/VCR player.
• Use the ‘channel’ buttons on the DVD/VCR player to find the channel you want.
• Use the projector remote to turn on the projector and find the signal from the DVD/VCR player (push the ‘video’ button on the remote).

**Viewing in Classrooms beyond Puryear**

Channels 13 – 15 are available everywhere on campus. For licensing reasons, channels 7 – 11 are available in academic buildings ONLY. If you are in an academic building and cannot see channels 7 – 11, please contact Sharon Scinicariello (sscinica@richmond.edu).

**Recording World TV for Educational Use**

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If you are interested in using a specific program for educational purposes, you may ask that it be recorded by the MMLL / Global Studio. There is a request form at [http://langtech.richmond.edu/services/videorecording.html](http://langtech.richmond.edu/services/videorecording.html); be sure to read the explanations of the guidelines for use of any recordings.

SCOLA programming may be recorded and archived without restrictions. The MMLL / Global Studio has also bought the rights to download and archive up to 500 hours of SCOLA programs from all the SCOLA channels. For more information, see the handout *Using SCOLA* or ask Sharon Scinicariello (sscinica@richmond.edu).