UofSC Employee,

The mainframe computer has been used at UofSC for the past 40 years to store administrative, academic, research and personal data. It is out-of-date and will be retired in the near future. The Division of Information Technology has determined that you or someone in your department may have created, accessed or stored information on the university's mainframe computer. Please make note of the important deadline below.

If you have ever stored individual data on the mainframe, you will have a mainframe user ID, which is different from your current Network Username (the first portion of your email address). **Individual information stored on the mainframe will NO LONGER BE ACCESSIBLE after September 30, 2019.** Your assistance in identifying any data you, or employees in your department, have stored on the mainframe is important. If you would like to retain any data on the mainframe, you must move it to a secure location before the Sept. 30 deadline. If the data is no longer needed, no action is necessary.

**NOTE:** University data stored on the mainframe will be accessible after Sept. 30. This notice applies to individual data only.

This is the third and final notice regarding individual data on the mainframe.

**Additional assistance**

Please reference these [Frequently Asked Questions](#) for additional information. If you still need assistance accessing your data or identifying the mainframe users in your area, please call the Service Desk at 803-777-1800. You can also [submit a ticket online](#) for assistance.

Thank you,

Division of Information Technology