

# HOW TO: Creating Listserv lists in Central

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## Creating a Listserv In Central

### Instructions for how to create a listserv

There are two ways to create a Clemson listserv.

- You can visit this link: <https://ccit.clemson.edu/services/email-and-messaging/listserv/> and click on **Click here for Listserv request form**.
- You can visit <http://central.app.clemson.edu>, log in, and follow the instructions below.

1. Open a browser and go to <http://central.app.clemson.edu> and log in.

2. Click on **+CREATE** in the upper right hand corner.



3. You will need a Group Name that has at least nine characters. That is what will come before @lists.clemson.edu so be sure to name it something that is pertinent to your group. Note that once you name your listserv, the name cannot be changed. If you type in a name that is available, you will see a checkmark beside it. Click on the circle beside ListServ. You may select any of the other options too if you like. Then click **SAVE**.

☰ Create a new Group

☰ Groups

Group Name  
ClemsonTigers2018 ✓

Description  
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Box.com

Canvas

Shared Filespace  
(smb://group.clemson.edu/group/workgroups/<Group\_Name>)

ListServ (@lists.clemson.edu)

 SAVE

4. Next you will see this. Be sure to scroll down to see the last part of this page to select the options you want. Or if you would like to delete your group, that option is at the top of the page.

**Please remember to save your changes at the bottom of the page.**

Your Role

Owner

Description

Test Listserv

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- Box.com
  - Canvas
  - Shared Filespace  
(smb://group.clemson.edu/group/workgroups/<Group\_Name>)
  - ListServ (@lists.clemson.edu)

5. After scrolling down, you will see the option to add users to your Listserv. You may click in the "Add User by UserID" and manually type in each user if you would like. After typing in a user, click on the **ADD USER** button, and **SAVE**.

The screenshot shows a user management interface. At the top, there is a table with the following columns: Username, Name, and Role. The table contains one row with the following data: Username: tiger, Name: Clemson Tiger, Role: owner. Below the table, there is a section titled "Add User by UserID" which is circled in orange. This section includes a "Role" dropdown menu currently set to "Member". Below the dropdown are three buttons: "ADD USER" (with an orange arrow pointing to it), "BATCH EDIT", and "SAVE" (with an orange arrow pointing to it).

	Username	Name	Role
<input type="checkbox"/>	tiger	Clemson Tiger	owner

**Add User by UserID**

Role  
Member

ADD USER

BATCH EDIT

SAVE

6. If you prefer to copy and paste or type in a group of users, click on **BATCH EDIT**. You may type in user names separated by commas. Or you may paste in a group of users you have copied from another source. To see instructions to do this from Excel, see [HDKB article 163](#). After the list of members separated by commas is entered, click on **SUBMIT**.

You may add more users later from Central, or by using Listserv commands. See [LISTSERV Barebones Guide for List Users](#) to learn more about this.

## Batch Edit

Changes made here will be reflected in the membership table, but you will still need to save. This form accepts usernames separated by commas.

Owners

tiger

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Members

tiger1, tiger2, tiger3

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CANCEL

SUBMIT

If you have questions on this procedure, please send an email to [ithelp@clmson.edu](mailto:ithelp@clmson.edu) or call 864-656-3494.

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