Receiving E-mail on the Math Computer System

The Math and Computer Science computer systems are largely integrated — the functionality of the systems is virtually identical, and an account on one system works on the other.

However, the main computer system for checking e-mail is different on the two systems. On the Math system, e-mail is read on `riemann.math.mun.ca` while on the CS system, it is read on `ganymede.pcglabs.mun.ca`. The system to which your e-mail will initially be directed will depend on the circumstances under which your account was set up.

Fortunately, you can control the destination of your e-mail. Fire up a web browser and point it to

    http://webtools.cs.mun.ca

Click on the second option: **Utility for changing user passwords, mail forward and login shell**. (If you are prompted to accept a security certificate, respond 'yes'.)

Now type in your login name and choose the third icon: **Change Mail Forward**.

You should now see a field which will resemble the following:

Enter Mail Forward: `shannons@math.mun.ca`

or

Enter Mail Forward: `shannons@pcglabs.mun.ca`

If the e-mail address provided is `username@math.mun.ca` (where `username` is your username on the Math system) then everything is set up properly. If not, replace the given e-mail address with `username@math.mun.ca` — DON'T FORGET TO REPLACE `username` WITH YOUR ACTUAL USERNAME! Then type your password into the indicated field, and click on **Submit This Form**.

Once this is set up, you should be able to read e-mail either by logging onto `riemann` using the command

    ssh riemann

and running the Pine utility (by typing `pine` at the `riemann` prompt), or by using the Webmail service at

    http://www.math.mun.ca/webmail