

## **Respondus Lockdown Browser**

## WHAT IS RESPONDUS LOCKDOWN BROWSER?

LockDown Browser is a locked browser that ensures academic integrity is maintained while taking online exams in LMS. It prevents you from printing, copying, going to another URL, or accessing other applications during an exam. If a LMS online exam requires that LockDown Browser be used, you will not be able to take the exam with a standard web browser. LockDown Browser should only be used for taking LMS Online Exams.

You are required to use LockDown Browser with a webcam, which will record you during an online, non-proctored exam.

https://web.respondus.com/lockdownbrowser-student-video/

## WHAT ABOUT SECURITY AND PRIVACY?

- Respondus has achieved SOC 2 Type 1 certification, which is formal evidence that its systems and processes are properly designed to keep its clients' sensitive data secure. The most recent certification occurred in December 2019.
- Respondus is a HECVAT participant, which is an EDUCAUSE initiative where vendors provide detailed information on security and data protection as it relates to cloud services and software applications. Respondus' HECVAT is available upon request by filling out this form.
- Respondus has PCI-compliance scanning performed quarterly by a third-party service.
- Respondus has third-party penetration testing performed on LockDown Browser and Respondus Monitor on a regular basis. Results have consistently shown that Respondus' applications and services are well-designed and utilize an effective security model.
- Respondus has monthly vulnerability scanning by a third-party service, and intrusion detection and prevention systems continuously monitoring all servers and network resources.
- Respondus engineers with AWS administrator-level access have achieved AWS Solutions Architect certification or higher.
- Over 600 universities have implemented Respondus Monitor (over 1,500 for LockDown Browser). The
  architecture and security has been closely vetted by hundreds of institutions, including some of the largest
  online learning programs in the world. For example, in Australia, the following institutions have been using
  Respondus Lockdown Browser even prior to the COVID-19: Monash University, James Cook University,
  University of Tasmania and University of Adelaide.

Respondus takes data privacy seriously. Additional information is provided below.

- Respondus Privacy Center: <u>https://web.respondus.com/privacy/</u> Here you will find the Respondus Privacy Policy, our privacy principles, and detailed information about what information is collected by LockDown Browser and Respondus Monitor.
- Respondus adheres to the U.S. Privacy Shield framework
- Respondus is also <u>GDPR</u> compliant

## TERMS OF USE (FOR STUDENTS)

This TOU is between Respondus Inc. and the student using Respondus Monitor. It must be accepted each time Respondus Monitor is used i.e. during Online exams in LMS.

https://web.respondus.com/tou-monitor-student/