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Thread: [Ub3r Email Forwards Ended](#)

Omniscient - November 20, 2012, 5:45 pm

As of now all new upgrades to ub3r will no longer include an HF email forward.

Due to persistent problems with excessive emails and being flagged for spam I'm blocking all future signups for ub3r email HF forwards.

If I'm not able to curb problems I may have also remove existing forwards. However I do know that members will need time to adjust services if that does happen so I will provide at least a one week notice so you'll have time.

USMC Chris - November 20, 2012, 5:46 pm

Ahh, that's too bad. The Ub3r E-Mail is kind of nice. Not too important, but it was nice to be able to give people that as my E-Mail. Sad to see it go.

-USMC Chris.

Rev-API - November 20, 2012, 5:46 pm

Thanks for the update Omni! Sorry to hear about the problems!

?WINTER - November 20, 2012, 5:47 pm

2 questions...

#1 - I just paid for someone's upgrade within the half hour ago, will he still get the email forwarding?

#2 - Will I still get the email forwarding? I've had uber for about 5 days and it still doesn't work. Will it be cancelled as well?

Cubs - November 20, 2012, 5:47 pm

I submitted mine around a month back, will I still be getting it or is it canceled for everyone?

Rev-API - November 20, 2012, 5:48 pm

(Nov 20, 2012 06:47 PM)Đêñďmĩ¢ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) So I applied about a couple days ago, do I still get it?

(Nov 20, 2012 06:45 PM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) As of now all new upgrades to ub3r will no longer include an HF email forward.

You should be perfectly fine. I am assuming that this is for people who applied within the past 24 hours.

CGŠŠ - November 20, 2012, 5:49 pm

(Nov 20, 2012 06:45 PM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) As of now all new upgrades to ub3r will no longer include an HF email forward.

Pretty sure it speaks for itself. Jesus people..

SuaveGhost - November 20, 2012, 5:49 pm

Good to know..

Really wanted one..

Oh well

webdev77 - November 20, 2012, 5:49 pm

Aww.... Oh well. I guess if it's more of a problem then it's worth, then it's best that they are gone. A new feature to replace the email would be nice though. cough view our own junked threads *cough*.

nul?l - November 20, 2012, 5:51 pm

Sorry for sounding like a moron, but what is the ub3r email forward? Does this mean if you applied for ub3r in the past 24 hours, you don't get it?

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No. It only applies to you if you have a hackforums email : @hackforums.net

nul?l - November 20, 2012, 5:53 pm

Oh, I would love to have a Hackforums email :/

Oh well, sounds cool but yeah:p

USMC Chris - November 20, 2012, 5:56 pm

(Nov 20, 2012 06:49 PM)CGŠŠ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Pretty sure it speaks for itself. Jesus people..

Not really, that is saying it no longer comes with it. No where does he say people who already applied will not get one. Jesus 'CGŠŠ'..

username333 - November 20, 2012, 5:57 pm

(Nov 20, 2012 06:51 PM)D?vin. Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Sorry for sounding like a moron, but what is the ub3r email forward? Does this mean if you applied for ub3r in the past 24 hours, you don't get it?

If you do not have an Ub3r e-mail, you cannot get one anymore. Even if you were an Ub3r previously and you didn't get an e-mail, you cannot get one either.

FamousMassacre - November 20, 2012, 6:05 pm

Haha, I still use mine as a permanent email so I don't give people my name.

illuminati? - November 20, 2012, 6:09 pm

It sucks to see it gone, At least I got mine when I did.

Riggs - November 20, 2012, 6:10 pm

I don't use mine personally, but I always assumed these were a benefit to marketing the site via refferal.

pubmaster - November 20, 2012, 6:12 pm

Never used mine to be honest :/ : /

Pred?tor - November 20, 2012, 6:12 pm

Omniscient ?@HackForumsNet

All thread subscriptions converted to PM notifications. You'll need to alter them again.

Damn omni, way to get at it.

Maghbool - November 20, 2012, 6:45 pm

So anyone who had the email is gone forever? Well anyways, I never applied anyways.

Baked - November 20, 2012, 6:53 pm

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From the wording in the thread, seems like Omni is done with that as a service.

He even said existing ones may be cancelled, I've been Ub3r for almost 2 years and I'll lose access to my baked@hackforums.net

Even though I lost access last year.

Not a big loss, I don't know many people that used them anyways.

Good decision Omni.

Omniscient - November 20, 2012, 7:38 pm

If I don't have to remove existing forwards I won't. I did have to remove one members forward due to abuse but unless I see other real problems I'll likely restrict the blocking to abusers.

But going forward I prefer to stop the ub3r email service. It was iffy to begin with but I'm glad many users did get one and enjoy it.

Again...those with existing working forwards will be notified if I decide to cancel the service.

kray - November 20, 2012, 7:50 pm

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ven0m - November 20, 2012, 9:29 pm

Ahh it's sad. I really liked that feature. Hope you will be able to resolve the issue, Omni. But if it's not possible then yeah I will miss it. :)

Hikki - November 20, 2012, 9:30 pm

Thanks for the update. Although this feature was nice one ?

Doomsapien - November 21, 2012, 4:04 am

Mine hasn't even worked in a bloody long time. Used to use it lots but then it started having huge delays on when stuff was forwarded, just gave up on it.

That was a year or so ago.

SoulZeh - November 21, 2012, 4:11 am

Thanks for informing us, I had no idea about the ub3r email, I couldn't set one up but didn't bother me too much, Thanks again ?

bandors - November 21, 2012, 6:42 am

Right as I get accepted for ub3r >_<
Oh well, live and let live.

Prince™ - November 21, 2012, 7:17 am

That's a sad news to hear. Who wouldn't love to have an email that ends as @hackforums.net ? It was so cool.

SoulZeh - November 21, 2012, 7:18 am

(Nov 21, 2012 08:17 AM)Prince™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) That's a sad news to hear. Who wouldn't love to have an email that ends as @hackforums.net ? It was so cool.

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Prince™ - November 21, 2012, 7:24 am

(Nov 21, 2012 08:18 AM)SoulZeh Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#)

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Quote:"If I'm not able to curb problems I may have also remove existing forwards."

Removal of existing forwards might also occur. :(

Omniscient - November 21, 2012, 4:06 pm

Quote:I filed my request for a email about 72 hours ago, am I discluded?

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kray - November 21, 2012, 6:48 pm

(Nov 21, 2012 05:06 PM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) No you'll be activated along with everyone who already submitted one.

Alright, I was just making sure because when I go to the mail page it says the feature is disabled.

Grin - November 21, 2012, 9:44 pm

I hope existing members can keep their features, I know I'm crying out in vain, but it's the one thing about Ub3r that I really cherish. (I know nothing's really happened yet)

Designer - November 22, 2012, 2:34 am

What about members who were Ub3r before this thread. Are they able to signup or is it just no Ub3rs at all anymore?

Amnesia Haze - November 22, 2012, 3:17 am

(Nov 22, 2012 03:34 AM)Designer Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) What about members who were Ub3r before this thread. Are they able to signup or is it just no Ub3rs at all anymore?

If I understood it right, from his twitter and this post, there are no ub3r emails created anymore. Exept from the ones requested before the new rule came in.

Hmei7 - November 22, 2012, 3:21 am

good decision Admin
keep rocking HF

ChewyMoon - November 22, 2012, 7:52 am

Aww, I was hoping to get ub3r soon. I liked that feature.

Glassy - November 22, 2012, 9:19 am

(Nov 22, 2012 08:52 AM)?Oblivious Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Aww, I was hoping to get ub3r soon. I liked that feature.

Ub3r has many other great features. Although, yes, email forwarding was a major one and one in which many loved.

Dan. - November 22, 2012, 10:35 am

I gotta say, I don't think I ever used this. I know a lot of people liked it though, so sad to see it go.

LWSS - November 22, 2012, 10:37 am

I'm going to miss these emails ;(

Spoiler [\(Click to View\)](#) LOL JK

Glassy - November 22, 2012, 10:48 am

(Nov 22, 2012 11:35 AM)Dan. Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I gotta say, I don't think I ever used this. I know a lot of people liked it though, so sad to see it go.

I've never used it either, nor did I even request for a Hack Forums forwarding email. I can just see how important these emails for others.

Morchid - November 22, 2012, 10:49 am

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Which is redirects to my hotmail, I'll have to see about my old one.

Glassy - November 22, 2012, 10:55 am

(Nov 22, 2012 11:49 AM)Morchid Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I'm pretty sure I still have my old ub3r email.

Which is redirects to my hotmail, I'll have to see about my old one.

Users still have their email activated and working, but only time can tell when it will last to an end.

Disparity - November 22, 2012, 11:50 am

Thanks for the update omni.

Still waiting on those amazing updates . ?

I like cookies - November 22, 2012, 11:54 am

I have a question: I requested ventrilo@hackforums.net some time ago(about 1/2 weeks).

Will I still get the e-mail forward or not?

Thank you!

L?gend - November 22, 2012, 11:59 am

I've had mine for about two years I think.

It's the only email I use.

Moralitas - November 22, 2012, 7:11 pm

God damn it. I used that forwarder on a couple of sites.

Edit: Why not charge for it? IE \$20/year

Mr Kewl - November 22, 2012, 7:18 pm

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The old emails forwarders will remain until he comes to a conclusion.

I hope you just remove the emails which caused the abuse and let others enjoy the service, as completely removing it wont do any good to users.

adampelletgun - November 22, 2012, 8:51 pm

(Nov 22, 2012 11:48 AM)Glassy Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I've never used it either.
I would have to agree with this statement.

Omniscient - November 22, 2012, 10:41 pm

I've updated the last of those whose emails weren't activated. I've also edited the page so you can see if it's actually activated and the page will throw an error to the appropriate members.

FYI over 2100 members have email addresses @hackforums.net as ub3rs. So I deem the feature a success and I'm also sad to end it. But it's necessary to ensure future emails are sent without interruption.

SIM-914155 - November 22, 2012, 10:49 pm

A certain shame for members applying for Ub3r in future, I'm very glad to have activated mine a substantial amount of time ago. Whenever I like to feel more professional, I give people my hackforums.net address.

Will the members who currently have a hackforums.net address still be able to periodically change it?

AntiProverb - November 23, 2012, 1:54 am

It truly is sad to see this go. Ub3r is still great and I encourage all members to continue to strive for it! Thanks, Omniscient, for being so graceful with this.

The Seeker Of Truth - November 26, 2012, 1:37 am

That's an pity, I always wanted one of those accounts...

Owl City - November 26, 2012, 2:20 am

Damn it, it would've been really cool to have owlcity@hackforums.net
Oh well... :\

Prince™ - November 26, 2012, 8:01 am

All I'm okay with, is, all previously enabled forwards still work and I hope it continues to stay in that way. I really love the Ub3r email very much, It's so unique and awesome.

SIM-964740 - December 29, 2012, 4:43 am

Still works for me so thanks a heap. I really love having my username then my favorite forum!

XiX Eb0y XiX - December 29, 2012, 4:49 am

So their now rare, yay.

Hopefully you won't remove them, what kind of problems are you having with the emails anyway? If its just spam emails then don't have a spam filter we should just install a spam filter on are end if that works.

Executive - December 29, 2012, 2:04 pm

Dam i was really wanting one o well

Warbiest - December 30, 2012, 11:22 am

How about old Ub3rs (like me) who've hopped on the Ub3r boat long ago, but never wanted to get an e-mail? You did say something relating to this but it's not completely clear, will spots be reserved for these people or is it first come first serve as far as the e-mails go?

Omniscient - December 30, 2012, 2:54 pm

No more emails are given out.

Warbiest - December 30, 2012, 2:56 pm

Aight, should have gotten one when they were fresh. Thanks for answering.

Conch - December 30, 2012, 3:20 pm

I signed up for an Email forward months ago.
Never got a PM telling me it was up and running.
Even tested it the other day and it failed on me.

???? - January 16, 2013, 10:15 pm

No wonder my emails stopped working. :/

AntiProverb - January 16, 2013, 10:21 pm

(Jan 16, 2013 11:15 PM)Artem Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) No wonder my emails stopped working. :/
<https://twitter.com/HackForumsNet/status/291272782409523201>

Black Mesa - January 16, 2013, 10:32 pm

Have you checked the spam headers? Those give information regarding why the email is being rejected by the server..

Society Girl - January 17, 2013, 6:37 am

Any news on whether the people that have them, will keep them?

Stupid - January 17, 2013, 7:24 am

(Jan 17, 2013 07:37 AM)CheesyApricot Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Any news on whether the people that have them, will keep them?

Yes, he clearly said that only new upgrades will no longer get them ;)

iMario - January 17, 2013, 7:25 am

Personally I don't mind if you remove existing forwards. Not using mine anymore. But thinking back in the days, I've used it a lot!

YekiM - January 17, 2013, 8:56 am

Shame, this feature was very attractive when I was a member and probably one of the first things I wanted to get when I became Ub3r.

Cultural - January 17, 2013, 9:24 am

This was one of the reason I wanted to upgrade to UB3R.
Shame to see it go.. ?

r1seN- - January 17, 2013, 9:55 am

Damn when I was gonna apply for ub3r I was looking forward to that D:

AnAlpaca - March 9, 2013, 5:40 pm

Can we still have emails forwarded? If we had them forwarded already?

AnAlpaca - March 9, 2013, 10:48 pm

(Mar 9, 2013 09:51 PM).Weekend Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Think so.

Mine is still working. But it works kinda slow.

I have mine forwarded, just no idea how to see which email. ?