

Tntech Support Phishing - 5/1/2019

This reported Microsoft spoofing email was reported by faculty and staff. Thanks to our handy warning banner, this email is easily spotted and immediately sets off warnings.

The sender, clearly not TNTech or Microsoft, is claiming to be a Microsoft support service, looking to validate your email account. Hovering over the link does not display either TNTech or Microsoft. The message also gives an ultimatum or deadline, creating a sense of urgency. This is also something mentioned in our security awareness training as a sign of malicious intent.

From: Tntech Support Team <ftbcrqn2ftbcrqn2@servicc.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2019 7:01:56 AM
To: User, Joe
Subject: Tntech Validation Request on May 01, 2019, 03:01 AM

External Email Warning

This email originated from outside the university. Please use caution when opening attachments, clicking links, or responding to requests.



Due to the recent security update, We recommend you validate your E-mail: joeu*****@tntech.edu.

To avoid login interruption with **AccID: Tntech.edu**

VALIDATE NOW

Note: This validation is valid until 2 May, 2019.

Regards

Microsoft Support

This email was sent to joeu*****@tntech.edu.

AccID : ##76747

Please report any suspicious emails to abuse@tntech.edu.