

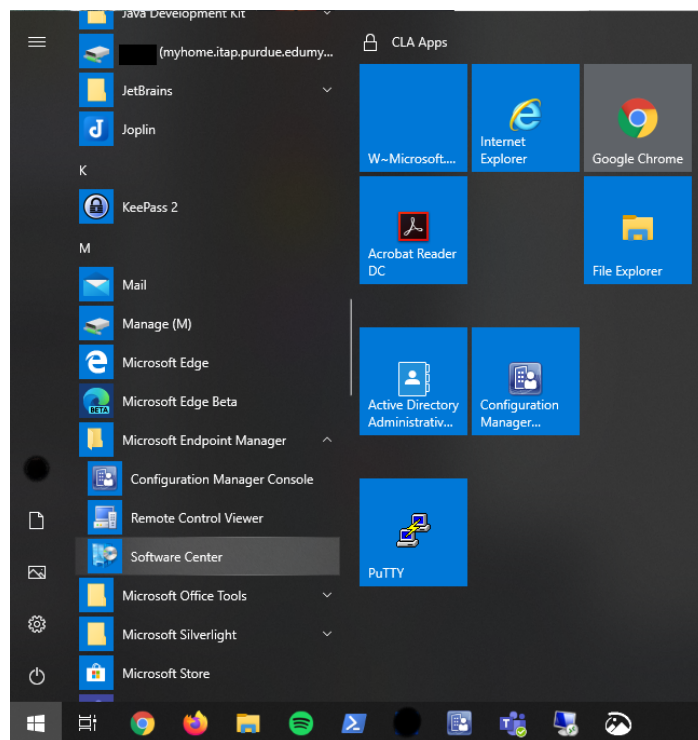
Software Center for Windows

All CLA IT supported computers come with an application called Software Center. Software Center is an application used to install software, update applications, and upgrade Windows as well.

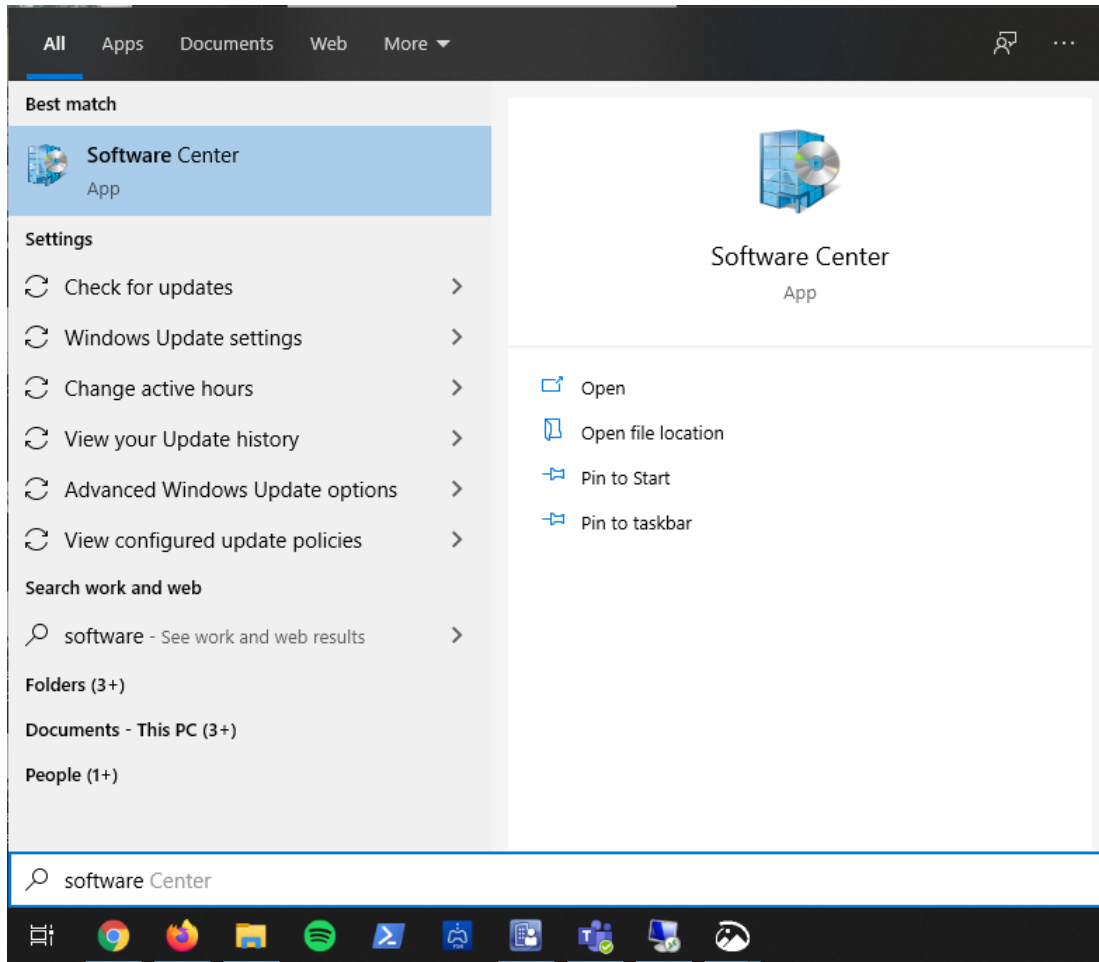
One of the great benefits of using Software Center is allowing you, the user, to install applications without the need of administrator credentials.

Accessing Software Center

There are two ways to get to Software Center. First is manually going through the Start Menu as pictured below:



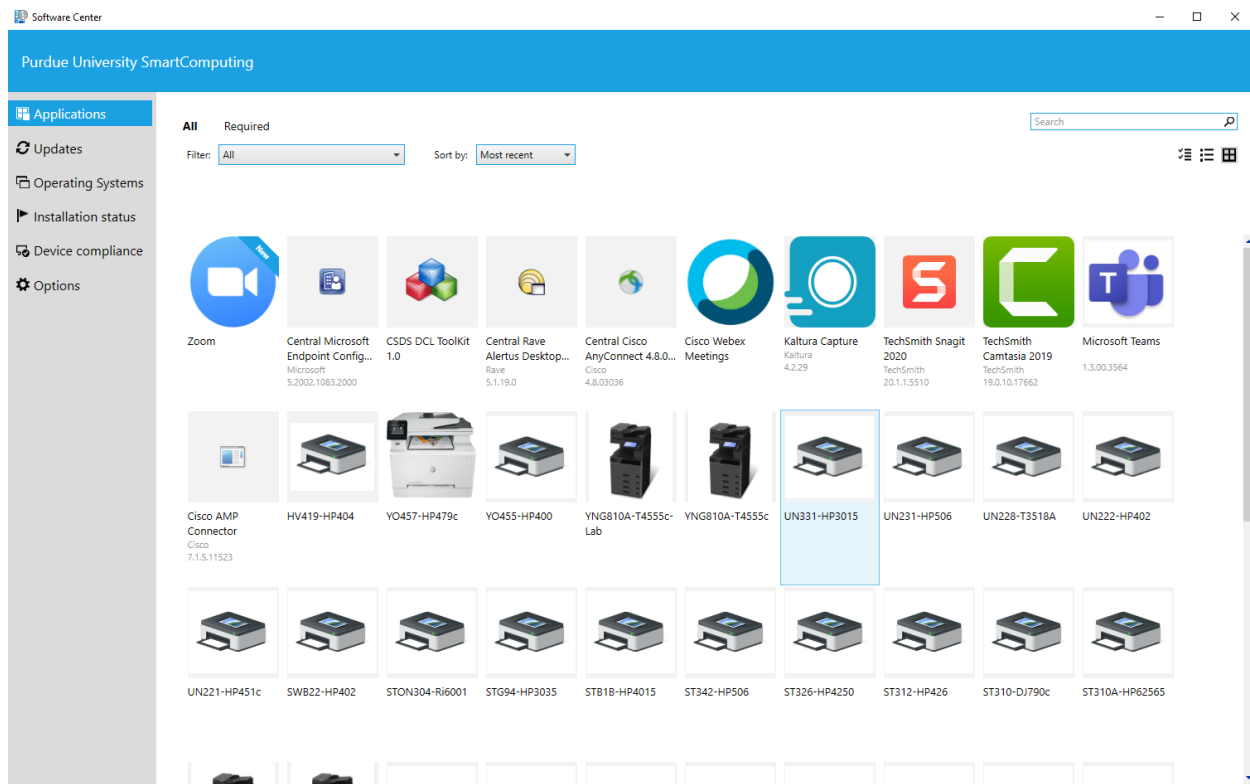
The second way is by initiating a search from the Start Menu. This is accomplished by clicking on the Start Menu icon, then typing the words Software Center as shown below.



As you can see with the Start Menu, by starting to type, this will bring up the built-in search.

Software Center Application

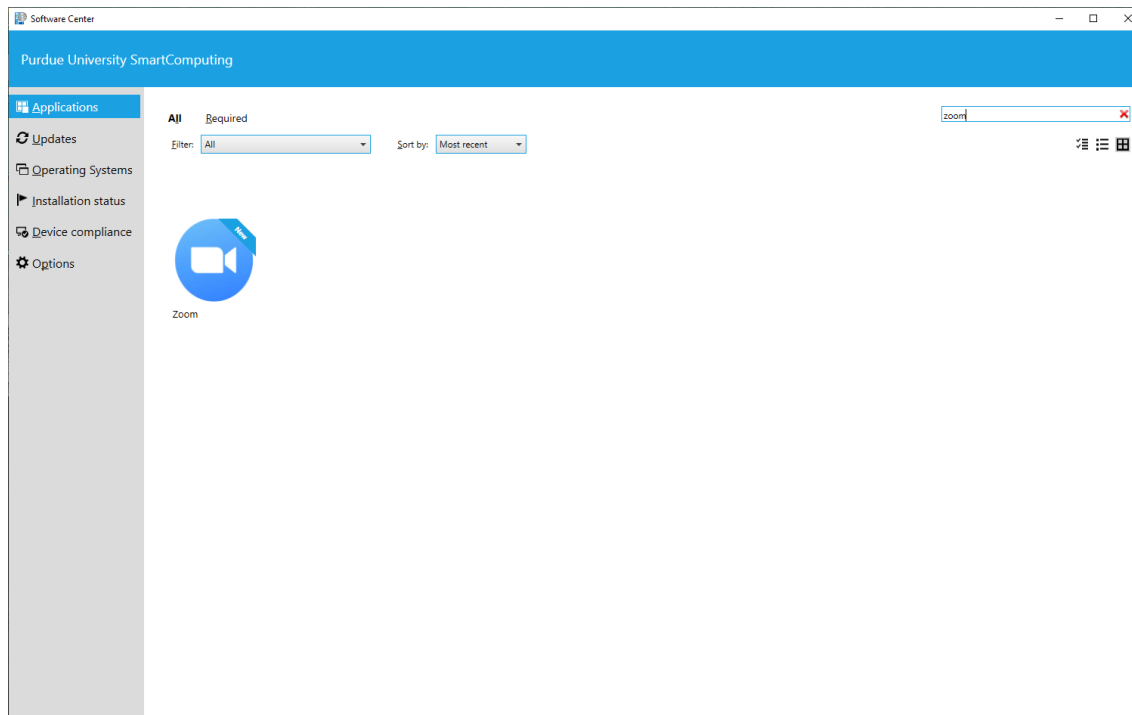
After finding and opening the Software Center application, you will be presented with this window:



From here, you will be able to access any application or printer* that the CLA IT team has added to Software Center. You will also be able to find updates, though these updates will automatically be deployed.

***Please note that printers are controlled by security groups, and while you may be able to install the printer, the ability to print will not be granted via Software Center.**

If you are unable to find an application or printer that you want to install, there is a search option located in the top right corner of Software Center.



In the above picture, I have searched for the zoom application. From here, just simply click on zoom, and then choose the install option. This can be done with any application found in Software Center.