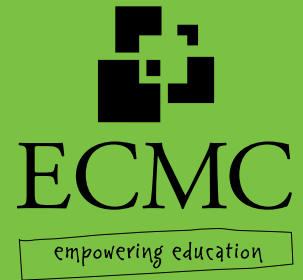


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ECMC Is Upgrading Its Guarantee System

Providing our customers with the best support and latest technology possible are ECMC's top priorities – to better meet your needs and demonstrate our commitment to you, ECMC is pleased to announce that we will be upgrading our guarantee system in early 2008.

While all current guarantee system functionalities and services will remain unchanged, the upgrade provides enhancements that make the system and system output easier to use.

Sign up to receive upgrade status updates

Over the next few weeks, ECMC will keep you informed of the upcoming enhancements and status updates. To receive e-mail communications, in lieu of paper, regarding the guarantee system upgrade, send an e-mail to Amy Axell at aaxell@ecmc.org. Include your:

- Name
- Institution name
- E-mail address
- Enter "Guarantee System Upgrade" in the e-mail subject line

For questions about the guarantee system enhancements, contact Deb Rude, Vice President, Guarantor Services at drude@ecmc.org.