Finding your IP Address in Windows

There are any number of reasons to look up your IP address. The following instructions show how to do this on a Windows PC, and can be helpful with regard to ‘Remote Access to your Office Computer’.

1. Click ‘Start’ and type ‘cmd’ into the search box, and hit ‘Enter’.

![Windows Command Prompt]

2. In the command window that appears, type ‘ipconfig’.

![IP Configuration]

3. Read the **group of four numbers separated by periods** on the ‘IPV4’ line under ‘Ethernet Adapter Local Area Connection’ if you’re connected with a cable or ‘Wireless LAN Adapter Wireless Network Connection’ if you’re on a wi-fi connection).

In this example, the IP address is **128.180.92.180**.

**Hint:** all Lehigh network IP addresses start with ‘128.180’. The second half varies by building and media (LAN or wi-fi).
Hint 2: Wi-fi IP addresses change fairly frequently. You might not be able to connect to a wifi device remotely before it's address changes.