Citadel is Princeton University's Secure Research Infrastructure Environment. It enables researchers to securely analyze and store data in a user-friendly system, while preventing unauthorized access, changes, or data distribution. Citadel is designed to handle and process restricted research data, including NIST 800-171 Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI), NIST 800-53 Federal Information Security Management Act (FISMA) data, and HIPAA-regulated information.

**WHAT IS CITADEL?**

- Ensures data export control
- Streamlines secure project deployment
- Supports collaboration within and outside of the University

**KEY BENEFITS**

- Puts restricted research data solely in the hands of researchers
- Allows researchers to use familiar software applications and packages
- Available on demand with minimal maintenance

**HOW TO REQUEST PROJECT TENANCY IN CITADEL**

To request project tenancy in Citadel, please complete the request form available through the link below. The Citadel Steering Committee will review the application during their monthly meetings and get back to you.

https://kb.princeton.edu/KB0013241

**THE THREE STEPS FOR REQUESTING ACCESS TO AN EXISTING PROJECT IN CITADEL**

1. **Attend Training**
2. **Sign Rules of Behavior**
3. **Complete Request Form**

Welcome To Citadel

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**ADDITIONAL RESOURCES**

- Technical Overview of the Secure Research Infrastructure
  https://kb.princeton.edu/KB0013149
- CUI Handbook and Workflow
  https://kb.princeton.edu/KB0013269
- Requesting Size Increase
  https://kb.princeton.edu/KB0013242