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Subject: FW: Phone scam stating your computer is infected
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Importance: High

It's me again CNRE,

See the message below. This post to the VT techsupport listserv generated lots of responses, it appears that a whole lot VT people are getting this call on both their landlines and cell phones! Don't fall for it, either hang up on them or tell them that you need to first clear it through your IT department and they will most likely hang up on you.

Hopefully this will be the last warning message I need to send for a while...

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Just an FYI that at least two people in my college have received phone calls today, from someone stating that the faculty/staff's computer is infected and that they will assist the person in getting it fixed. Luckily, in both cases, my faculty/staff hung up and contacted me.

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