## Web Browsing Tricks

- 1. Jump to address bar. There are a number of ways to jump right to the address bar from anywhere in browser. Pressing Ctrl + L, F6, or Alt + D will accomplish this goal.
- 2. Automatically add www. and .com to a URL. You can shave off a couple of seconds typing in a URL by simply click Ctrl + Enter after you type the name of the site. Need .net instead of .com? Press Ctrl + Shift + Enter instead.

Below I typed in google. Now, when I choose the keys: Ctrl + Enter, it will turn into <u>www.google.com</u> and go directly to Google Search.

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- 3. Cycle through open tabs Pressing Ctrl + Tab while in a browser will flip between each one (Ctrl + Shift + Tab to go backwards). This can be much faster than moving the mouse and clicking on a tab.
- Scroll through pages with the spacebar Tapping the spacebar on a website will scroll down in full page chunks and hitting *shift + space* will take you back up.
- 5. Instant image search (Chrome only) If you hold down the "S" key and right click on an image, it will open an image search on a new tab.
- 6. Use private browsing. The uses for not having cookies and history saved are obvious for certain activities, you know, like shopping for gifts on a shared computer (of course!). Pressing Ctrl + Shift + N will launch a new private in Chrome, Ctrl + Shift + P will do it in Firefox and Internet Explorer.



## You've gone incognito

Now you can browse privately, and other people who use this device won't see your activity. However, downloads and bookmarks will be saved. Learn more

Chrome **won't save** the following information:

- Your browsing history
- Cookies and site data
- Information entered in forms

Your activity might still be visible to:

- Websites you visit
- Your employer or school
- Your internet service provider