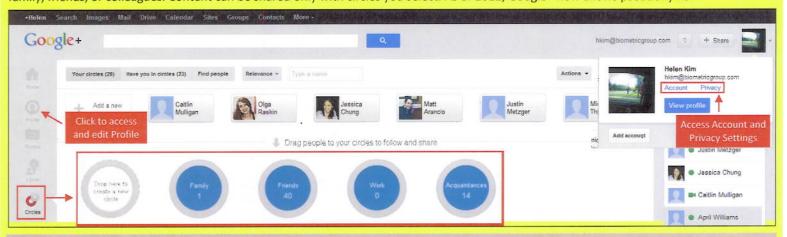


Social Networks - Do's and Don'ts

- · Only establish and maintain connections with people you know and trust. Review your connections often.
- · Assume that ANYONE can see any information about your activities, personal life, or professional life that you post and share.
- Ensure that your family takes similar precautions with their accounts; their privacy and sharing settings can expose your personal data.
- Avoid posting or tagging images of you or your family that clearly show your face. Select pictures taken at a distance, at an angle, or
 otherwise concealed. Never post Smartphone photos and don't use your face as a profile photo, instead, use cartoons or avatars.
- · Use secure browser settings when possible and monitor your browsing history to ensure that you recognize all access points.

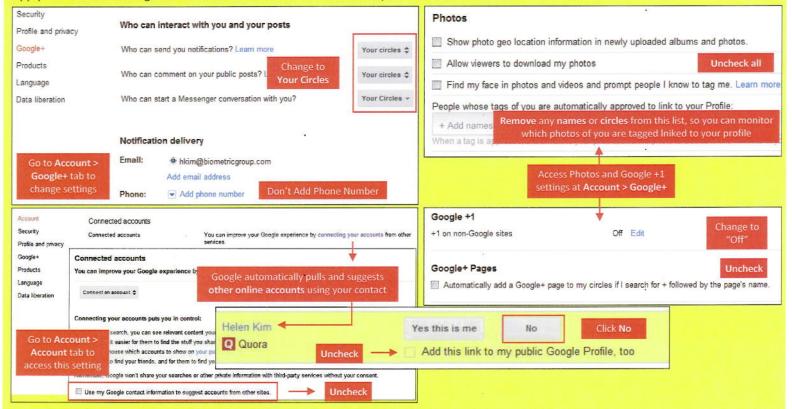
Managing Your Google+ Profile

Google+ provides privacy and sharing options using **Circles**. Circles are groups that users create for different types of connections, such as family, friends, or colleagues. Content can be shared only with circles you select. As of 2012, Google+ now allows pseudonyms.



Account Settings & Minimizing Your Activities

Apply the Account settings shown with arrows below to ensure that your information is shared in a limited fashion.



Deleting Your Google+ Profile or Google Account

Services

Go to Account > Account tab for settings

Delete profile and Google+ features

View, enable, or disable web history

Go to web history

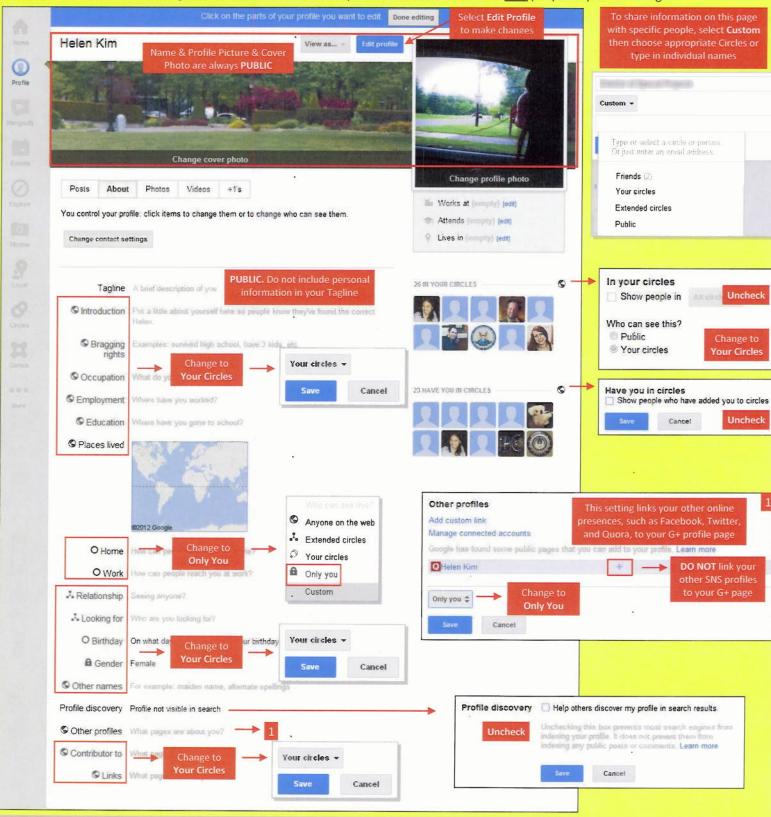
- Delete Google+ Content removes Google+ related information such as circles, +1's, posts, and comments
- Delete your entire Google profile removes all user data from Google services, including your Gmail
- Disable web history to prevent accumulation of your digital footprint



Google+ Smart Card

Profile Settings

Apply and save the Profile settings shown below to ensure that your information is visible to only people of your choosing.



Useful Links

A Parent's Guide to Internet Safety Wired Kids Microsoft Safety & Security OnGuard Online $\frac{www.fbi.gov/stats-services/publications/parent-guide}{www.wiredkids.org/}$

<u>www.microsoft.com/security/online-privacy/social-networking.aspx</u> <u>www.onguardonline.gov/topics/social-networking-sites.aspx</u>

