The Software Center is an application loaded on every University PC workstation that allows a user to install approved software at their convenience. Some standard applications will be automatically available while others will need to be requested by submitting a ticket with IT at ITRequests@tamucc.edu. The following steps will walk you through installing programs using the Software Center:

1. Click the **Start** button, scroll down to **Microsoft System Center**, open it and click **Software Center**. (All Programs >Microsoft System Center>Configuration Manager>Software Center if using Windows 7)

2. All available software can be managed by selecting the **Applications** tab.
3. Select any application for version details and click the **Install** button to begin the installation.

4. You may check on the status of the software install at any point time by selecting the **Installation status** tab.

5. Once the application has finished installing, it will then be listed under the **Installed software** tab.
6. Once the applications are installed, you can access them by typing the name in the Search bar or by clicking the **Start** button, and then scroll through the list of apps as shown below.