Ubiquiti First Install Checklist

Steps to take on your computer	Steps to take on your node hardware
Download the AREDN® factory.bin file for your device from arednmesh.org	None
Verify your computer has a working tftp client program	None
Set up a simple Ethernet switch to manage connections between your computer and the device being flashed	None
Set your computer's Ethernet interface to a static IP address in the same network range as your device (example: 192.168.1.10)	None (Most Ubiquiti devices use a default IP address of 192.168.1.20)
Connect your computer's Ethernet port to an open port on your Ethernet switch	 Connect the PoE's <i>LAN</i> port to an open port on your Ethernet switch With the PoE unit powered <i>off</i>, connect the PoE's <i>POE</i> port to the Ethernet port of the device
None	 Press and hold the <i>Reset</i> button on the device, then power on the PoE unit Continue holding the <i>Reset</i> button until the LEDs on the device begin alternating in a 1-3 2-4 1-3 2-4 pattern, then release the reset button
 Open a command window on your computer and execute the tftp command to upload the firmware image to your device Windows example: tftp.exe -i 192.168.1.20 put C:\temp\aredn-<release>-factory.bin</release> 	After the firmware image is uploaded to the device, it will process the image and reboot twice (this process takes several minutes)
 After the node has finished rebooting, verify it is reachable by pinging 192.168.1.1 Open a web browser and enter http://192.168.1.1 as the URL 	 Click the Setup button and login with user = root & pwd = hsmm Configure your new node with your callsign and password Click Save Changes and the node will reboot
 Set your computer's Ethernet interface to get an IP address automatically using DHCP, then disconnect & reconnect the Ethernet interface Open a web browser and enter http://localnode as the URL to begin using your new node 	None