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EXECUTIVE ADVISORY BOARD

DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND MANAGEMENT

ILLINOIS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY | COLLEGE OF COMPUTING

Illinois Institute of Technology is committed to excellence in degrees and programs offered by the the Department of Information Technology and Management in the College of Computing. To help us achieve this goal, we reach out to leaders in business, industry, government, and academia by asking them to work with us in an advisory capacity to improve our information technology program, curriculum, and facilities.

To this end, the Executive Advisory Board to the Department of Information Technology and Management in the College of Computing at Illinois Institute of Technology is hereby established. Senior information technology executives from business, government, academia, and non-profit organizations will be invited to serve on this Board. Their appointment shall be for a period of two years and they may be reappointed. The Board will meet a minimum of twice per year in the early evening on a weeknight, and additionally as circumstances warrant but normally no more that four times per year.

The purpose of the Executive Advisory Board is to provide oversight, assistance, and recommendations for the continuous improvement of degrees and other programs offered by the Department of Information Technology and Management in the following manner:

Provide leadership in the areas of program and curriculum.

Review and evaluate strategic goals, plans, and new initiatives.

Provide real-world input for the formation and revision of each program's curriculum, educational objectives, and learning outcomes.

Promote the department's goals and objectives in business, industry, and government.

Support the expansion and strengthening of mutually beneficial relationships with industry, present and former students, and government agencies.

Develop resources for the department.

Assist in securing endowments, gifts, scholarships and fellowships, faculty development grants and awards.

Assist in locating and securing equipment, external funding, and software donations to maintain a "state-of-the-art" information technology educational environment.

Provide guidance in the translation of students to professional careers.

This Board will provide oversight for the following degrees from the College of Computing:

- Bachelor of Information Technology and Management
- Bachelor of Science in Applied Cybersecurity and Information Technology (information technology curriculum)
- Master of Information Technology and Management
- Master of Science in Information Technology and Management

Additionally, the Board will advise on Graduate Certificate programs offered by the Department of Information Technology and Management. Oversight for cybersecurity degrees in the Department of Information Technology and Management will continue to be provided by the Center for Cyber Security and Forensics Education Advisory Board.



C. Robert Carlson, Chair