Subject Designation Changes for ITM

Information Technology and Management (ITM) courses have been numbered according to a subject-area schema; i.e., 54x courses are Networking and Communications, while 57x are Management of Information Technology. We are running out of numbers.

In order to fix this problem, we have added a fourth character to the subject designation (ITM), e.g., ITMS will indicate Security and Forensic courses, ITMD will be used for Data Management and Application Development courses, etc. The entire list appears below. Since many departments already use four-character subjects, this will not pose any problems in the system.

Here is the complete list:

ITMD – *Development*
Application development, web development, multimedia, data management

ITMO – *Operations*
Networking, communications, operating systems and system administration

ITMM – *Management*
Management of information technology, business, law and ethics

ITMS – *Security*
Security and forensics

ITMT – *Theory and Technology*
Theory, systems, system design and general topics in information technology

Additionally, we are adding the subject designation **TECH** for courses that are offered across departments, particularly between INTM and ITM, such as technical consulting and advanced project management.

TECH – *Applied Technology*
Courses offered in common by the School of Applied Technology and not by a specific degree program

Only new courses will use these subject designations until the next revision of the bulletins, when all existing courses will be renumbered to fit within this scheme. A new course numbering scheme based on these subject designations is in work.

These new subject designations were viewed as informational by the Undergraduate Studies Committee and were approved and published by the Registrar on November 9, 2010.