

College of Computer & Information Technology
Virtual Advisory Board/Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, November 10, 2021 8:30-10:00 a.m.

Facilitator: Chris Paul

Attendees: Will Freeman, Sara Sabourin, Scott Talcott, PToomey, Nathan Heinze, Muslim Gadiwalla, Marilyn Browne, Lori Browne, Leisa Rasmussen, Laurie Hill, Keith Archibald, John Long, John Just, Heather Callaway, Dan Brown, Brad Yourth, Ameyon Hawkins, William Waas, Mike Gordon, Lionel Plaisance, Thomas Ma, Harold Schomaker, Chris Paul, John Duff, Chrissy Risberg, Joe Hall, Kyle Donovan (Guest)

Welcome and introduction of new members: Heather Callaway, Dominic Patruno, Will Freeman, Leisa Rasmussen, Guest: Shannon Tufts, Guest: Kyle Donovan, Guest: Laurie Hill, Collaborative Labs

Dean Duff provided an update on SPC and CCIT that highlighted new hires Vera Goodacre and Dana McPherson, the good performance of the Cybersecurity Club at the Raymond James CTF during which the team finished 5th out of 14 teams, enrollment trends, and upcoming development of the curriculum in the area of cloud computing.

Bill Waas provided an overview of the advisory committee web pages and resources available there.

Each Sub Committee provided an update. The marketing committee reported on the status of marketing efforts, the mentorship team reported on the progress towards a formal mentorship program for CCIT students, and the curriculum team reported on the emphasis on the cloud computing initiative.

The group recognized the following for their contributions to the program:

- John Just - appreciation for Micro-credentialing program
- Keith Archibald - Ransomware featured event speaker

Chris Paul shared that there will be a Spring Recognition Event

Laurie Hill shared an overview of the SPC services available through the SPC Collaborative Labs

Open Discussion followed during which Dean Duff shared that a follow up round table regarding the cloud computing initiative would be scheduled in the near future.