

## INFORMATION SYSTEMS ADVISORY BOARD

September 28, 2018

Laura Lee Room

11:30am-12:30pm

### ATTENDANCE

Nick Chatterton; VVEDS, Sean Conklin; Krupp-Gerlach Company, Terri Cummings; DACC, Kathy Franklin; DACC, Mike Gragert; Watchfire Signs, Dave Kietzmann; DACC, Bob Mattson; DACC, Jeff Primmer; DACC, Cristin Prince; DACC, Scott Williams; Danville District #118, Jeff Wise; DACC

### NEW BUSINESS

#### Computer Programming & Web Design

Kathy proposed some upcoming changes to her degree. First changing the required gen eds to IAI transfer courses for students interested in transferring for a bachelors at Southern or Franklin. She would like to work with Bob in Institutional Effectiveness to change the INFO prefix to COMP and change the name to “Applied Computer Science.” She envisions a pathways process where the first semesters are the same courses and then the last semesters the student can pick the area they are interested in. Kathy is working to offer a Game Design elective for Spring '19 and co-teach with Jung Ae Merrick.

The members talked about the importance of certificates and stackable credentials and how important these are for career students, especially as they relate to job placement and advancement.

With Dave Kietzmann there the group was able to discuss internships and their necessity. Kathy asked if a student was unable to be placed in an internship could they do a capstone project instead. Watchfire, Krupp, and Dist. #118 are still very supportive of internships. Employers want to see the students work, it is important to see what they know and how well they can use their critical thinking skills.

#### Computer & Network Administration

Not many changes to this degree at this point. Jeff continually updates as the technology changes.

#### Cisco Certificate

Cisco will get a massive overhaul for the Fall2019 year with ICND1 and ICND2.

### ITEMS FROM THE FLOOR

Some items from the industry partners included asking about API's. If students will be taught to navigate cloud and be able to do project management.

The members express certainty about our students' technical skills. Some soft skills that always need to be worked on are honesty, time

management, stress management, professional management, and entitlement.

**DATE of NEXT MEETING**

Mr. James Eyrich expressed interest in being a guest speaker.  
TBD

**MINUTES SUBMITTED by:**

Respectfully submitted,

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