



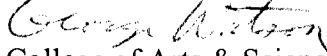
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To: Dallas G. Hoover
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From: George Watson 
Sr. Associate Dean, College of Arts & Sciences

Re: Permanent Status Program Review
B.S. in a major in Information Systems (INSY)

I write to add my enthusiastic endorsement of the request from the Department of Computer and Information Sciences for granting permanent status to the major in Information Systems. This major is a rigorous, new, interdisciplinary major that complements existing majors in both the College of Arts & Sciences and the Lerner College of Business and Economics. This is exactly the type of interdisciplinary effort that we wish to promote from the Dean's Office and we are pleased that it has established a solid foothold in our curriculum.