

EABC Meeting

Minutes

Date:	September 21, 2015	Time:	7:30 – 9:00
Facilitator:	Mary Texer	Location:	Room 2-250 Hanson Hall Conference Room
Attendees			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gedas Adomavicius - UMN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ravi Bapna – UMN <input type="checkbox"/> Kristen Resman – UMN (resma016@umn.edu) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mark Huebsch – Club MIS (huebs037@umn.edu) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tim Boos - Medtronic <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chris Bretoi – 3M <input type="checkbox"/> Alex Carlon - Deloitte <input type="checkbox"/> Steven Christopher – US Bank <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corrie Fiedler – UMN <input type="checkbox"/> Rob Kehr - Securian <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Todd Loncorich – General Mills		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mike Mcfarlane – Cargill <input type="checkbox"/> Brent Murray - IBM <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tim Olson - UMN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ken Reily - UMN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Matt Schmidt – RBC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Zachary Silverman – Sogeti Consulting <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Kathy Shields – Boston Scientific <input type="checkbox"/> Kate Siegrist - Lurie Besikof Lapidus & Company <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mary Texer – BlueCross of MN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Paul Wellman – Tennant Company	

Agenda and Minutes

Topic	Description	Who	Purpose
Meeting Start	Call the meeting to order at 7:30	Mary Texer	Kickoff
Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduced Zach Silverman - He is joining the curriculum committee Gedas – semester has started. No big emergencies, which is good news. Undergrad program is #3 in the nation. MIT and CMU are #1 and #2. Arizona and UT-Austin are #4 and #5. Corrie’s 4204 students have a higher energy than she’s seen for a while. Good recruiting prospects. 		
SAP Enterprise Technologies Paul Wellman Mike McFarlane Chris Bretoi Corrie Fiedler	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student interest in attending SAP Professional events (Sapphire – May / Orlando, SAP Tech Edu – fall. Local account rep indicates it’s premature to lock in 2016 events. Paul’s contact is confident that he should be able to make at least a couple of tickets available for Carlson students. Another opportunity is for the students to attend the local ASUG meetings. Minnesota (MnSUG) has a very active chapter. Corrie shared that student Kwen Cheng earned the TERP10 Professional Certification. This is a two-week boot camp followed by a very in depth test. This is a major accomplishment! New collaboration with Supply Chain – interest by the Supply Chain faculty chair to learn more about SAP systems classes. U of MN department chair, Kingshuk Sinha (KK), connected with EABC for Supply Chain with interest in leveraging SAP UA. This alliance could provide the justification for adding a new class to the SAP curriculum. 	Paul Wellman	Update
CoMIS Tim Boos Alex Carlon Ken Reily Mary Texer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Team is further ahead vs. two years ago in January Capping teams at 16. Ten schools locked in. Hope to lock in the rest in October. Looking to centralize in one hotel U of MN will not compete this year Looking to change some of the rules to allow the 2nd and 3rd place teams in each room to do a lightening round with the winner moving to the final round. Teams will be from Canada and US. Explore inviting Singapore to the competition 	Tm Boos and Mark Huebsch	Update
Curriculum Todd Loncorich Steven Christopher	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nine on the committee Theme – continuing with last year’s efforts 	Todd Loncorich	Update

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<p>Rob Kehr Matt Schmidt Brent Murray Kate Siegrist Kathy Shields Zach Silverman Tim Olson</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Objectives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Review of course title and offerings – look at courses to see if accurately titled and represent the content of the course ○ Comparison of IT offerings across the University – continuing the work that Matt did last year – meeting set up with the U Advisors to share the matrix ○ IT Trends – three recommendations of topics to bring to capstone – how do you bring value to the trend – how do you internalize; how do you determine the value of these trends with your organization (Tim reached out to Steven – time is running out for the fall – need to finalize in the next two weeks) ○ Experiential learning – need to understand University’s definition and then apply the definition to see what would qualify with that definition – what more can we do. Zach has an idea that groups of five – three in US, two in India – need to do project together like building a website (Ravi - U currently has a similar 4 credit course at the graduate level). Discussion – what is the relationship with the Capstone? Need to consider undergrad experience – ensure they can be successful. Should build on the existing structure. This can be a great resume builder for the students. ○ Student readiness and placement evaluation – looking at what companies are looking for at this point. 		
<p>2015-2016 Meeting Dates</p>	<p>Dates for meetings include: September 21, 2015 – 7:30 – 9:00 am December 7, 2015 – 7:30 – 9:00 am February 1, 2016 – 7:30 – 9:00 am April 18, 2016 – 7:30 – 9:00 am</p>	<p>Mary Texer</p>	<p>Inform</p>
<p>IDSc Speakers Series</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First speaker this coming Friday, September 25 - Dr. George Westerman, principal research scientist for the MIT Sloan Initiative on the Digital Economy – 23 corporate attendees. Room for more. • Second speaker is Dr. Sam Ransbotham of Boston College Carroll School of Management on October 2 • Third speaker is Dr. Vijay Gurbaxani, director of UC Irvine’s Center for Digital Transformation on November 20 • Sign up and attend any of the sessions • Looking at spring speakers at this time. 	<p>Ravi Bapna</p>	<p>Inform</p>
<p>Adjourn</p>			<p>8:20</p>

Action Items from Previous Meetings		
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Action Items Today’s Meeting		
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