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ESTABLISHMENT OF THE IIT CENTER FOR CYBER SECURITY AND FORENSICS EDUCATION (C²SAFE)

As per the attached Charter, the IIT Center for Cyber Security and Forensics Education (C²SAFE) is established as a multi-disciplinary center within the IIT School of Applied Technology for purposes as are stated in the Charter. Industry Professor of Information Technology & Management William Lidinsky is appointed as Interim Director of the Center, and Industry Professor of Information Technology & Management Raymond E. Trygstad is appointed as Interim Associate Director of the Center. Additionally Professor Lidinsky is confirmed to continue as Director, IIT School of Applied Technology Security and Forensics Laboratory which under the Charter is now the IIT Center for Cyber Security and Forensics Education Security and Forensics Laboratory. Appointments as Distinguished Members of the Center and Members of the Center are effective as of this date as indicated in the Charter. Invitations to Invited Members of the Center shall be extended as soon as is practical.

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Encl: 1) Charter of the IIT Center for Cyber Security and Forensics Education (C²SAFE)

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The Mission of the Center for Cyber Security and Forensics Education

The Center for Cyber Security and Forensics Education shall:

- x Develop, promote and support education and research in cybersecurity technologies and management, information assurance, and digital forensics across all academic disciplines at Illinois Institute of Technology (IIT).
- x Engage with business and industry, government, professional associations, and community colleges to enhance knowledge, awareness and education in cybersecurity and digital forensics and improve practices in information assurance.
- x Coordinate the designation of Illinois Institute of Technology as a National Center of Academic Excellence in Information Assurance by the National Security Agency and the Department of Homeland Security.

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University faculty and graduate students shall comprise the membership of the Center and shall be in two categories: Distinguished Member of the Center and Member of the Center. Invitations for membership shall be extended by the Director to any faculty member whose research and teaching activities are congruent with the goals of the Center. Any university faculty member, full-time or adjunct, or graduate student with a research interest in cyber security or forensics may apply for Center membership through written application to the Director.

The IIT School of Applied Technology Security and Forensics Laboratory shall be operated by C ²SAFE. The Director of this laboratory shall report to the Director of the Center for Cyber Security and Forensics Education.

The Center for Cyber Security and Forensics Education shall closely coordinate operations and educational and research efforts with IIT s Institute for Science, Law and Technology, and the Center for Law and Computers, and with any other university body with a primary focus on security or digital forensics.

The Dean of the IIT School of Applied Technology and the Director of the Center for Cyber Security and Forensics Education shall appoint an Advisory Board whose members shall be drawn from business, industry, government and academia and who are experts in the information assurance, cyber security and GLJLWDO IRUHQVLFV ILHOGV 7KLV % RDUG VKDOO DGYLVH present and planned activities. Board members shall be appointed for renewable two year terms. The Dean of the IIT School of Applied Technology, the Director of the Center, the Director of IIT School of Applied Technology Security and Forensics Laboratory, and Distinguished Members of the Center shall serve as ex-officio members of the Advisory Board.

Activities

The Center shall plan, organize and conduct the annual Forensecure conference in the Spring of each year, as well as additional activities and student competitions that advance the mission of the Center.

The Center shall actively cooperate and coordinate activities with agencies of the Federal government and with professional organizations and programs such as the Information Systems Security Association (ISSA), the Information Systems Audit and Control Association (ISACA), the Association of Information Technology Professionals (AITP), the Association for Computing Machinery (ACM), the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE), UNIFORUM, CompTIA, Infragard, and others. The Center shall make every effort to engage in joint activities with these organizations and to encourage them to engage with the Center whenever possible.

Resources for education and research as well as published student and faculty research in the form of technical reports and white papers will be made available

Members of the Center for Cyber Security and Forensics Education (with Security Teaching and Research Interests)

Distinguished Members of the Center

William Lidinsky

Invited Members of the Center for Cyber Security and Forensics Education

(with Teaching and Research Interests)

Invited Distinguished Member of the Center

Lori B. Andrews, Ph.D. Distinguished Professor of Law and Director of the Institute for Science, Law and Technology Emerging Technologies, In