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Dennis Depew, Dean of the College of Technology, Leah Jamieson, John A Edwardson Dean of Engineering, and Gerry McCartney, VP & CIO of the University are pleased to announce the merger of the IT support in the College of Technology with ECN of the College of Engineering. As part of the Campus IT Plan from the Sustaining New Synergies initiative, this merger will allow us to share knowledge and expertise, leverage infrastructure, and reduce duplication of effort.

The transition will take place over the next 12 months beginning immediately. The College of Technology will maintain an Ad-Hoc Faculty Advisory Board providing input to ECN and governance over the IT needs of the College. Within the next 3 months, it is expected that all IT staff from the College of Technology will transition into ECN. The College of Engineering is developing an IT governance model that will be implemented in the near future and will address strategic governance and operational oversight for ECN.

We welcome the opportunity for these IT groups to share their expertise and knowledge while continuing to work towards increased efficiencies and synergies.

