Thoughts from the Director

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We're excited to highlight some of the most influential higher ed IT professionals who are using EdTech to inform, engage, and inspire their colleagues.

Influential IT Educator

Kosmas is exploring how to model and disrupt human trafficking with a goal of developing new solution methods that account for the nuances of how trafficking networks operate.

CINA Research Student Awarded Fellowship

To Support Research in Disrupting Human Trafficking Networks

Fellowship. The three-year award will support Kosmas' research in Trafficking Networks at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute mathematics.

CINA Distinguished Speaker Series - Spring 2021

Did you miss the last Distinguished Speaker Series? Watch speakers from Legitscript talk about transaction laundering and cybercrime.

Save the Date: CINA Distinguished Speaker Series - Spring 2022

Save the date for our upcoming Distinguished Speaker Series. More information, including event location and time, will be provided shortly.

CINA Welcomes 2020-21 Open OPP White Paper Submissions

CINA, DHS, and/or its federal partners are currently facing, or are expected to be facing in the near future. This rolling RFP provides an opportunity for submissions to be accepted at any time during the RFP open period (June 2020 – June 2021).

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CINA continues to welcome white paper submissions presenting original research that is expected to impact the future of law enforcement and cyber security.

Research to Support Transition of CINA Center Projects

The Transition Advisory Board met for the third time on November 5, 2020 to take action on a number of items. We're excited to highlight some of the most influential higher ed IT professionals who are using EdTech to inform, engage, and inspire their colleagues.

The Transition Advisory Board meeting included input from key stakeholders, including representatives from top universities, other government agencies with potential future interests in CINA research results, and CINA research team members.

The board reviewed four center projects nearing transition-ready status, including the CINA Network Data Tells Us About Gangs" session.

Our first Transition Advisory Board meeting provided a wealth of ideas, directions, and possible industry and commercialization paths.

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United States Department of Homeland Security. The Transition Advisory Board is made up of experts in technology, education IT leaders, bloggers, podcasters and social media personalities you should follow. If you're on the list, spread the news.

The CINA Science Committee is charged with disseminating information about CINA’s work, including the development and use of the database of high-quality research papers the center produces. The committee will also engage with various stakeholders to determine the best way to disseminate the results of CINA’s work.

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