

Feb 17, 2026 | 📍 CoSE Chairs & Directors Mtg

Attendees: Mary Lou Dunzik-Gougar Bruce Savage Logan McDougall Chad Pope
Dustin McNulty April Robinson Patrick Rault Rene Rodriguez Janet Loxterman
Steve Chiu Anish Sebastian Andy Holland Blair Devenberg Mikel Mecham
Shannon Kobs Evan Johnson Jim Widmann

Notes

1. Introduction of Presley Arrowood, marketing lead- Logan
 - a. Reach out to Logan and Presley to promote cool CoSE stuff and handle swag ordering.
 - b. A future hire reporting to Strategic Enrollment Management under Craig Chatriand will handle recruiting and recruitment events. That person has not been hired yet, but once they are, Logan's participation in recruitment events will taper. He will still organize Bengal Stem Day.
2. Bengal Giving Day - Student Help Needed- Presley and Logan
 - a. Student clubs might be a good start to find CoSE students for short videos and to attend events.
 - b. Presley and Logan asked Chairs to forward the names of students who would be interested.
 - c. Event is March 10 & 11
3. GTA Allocations- Jim
 - a. CoSE can supplement an additional 10-12 GTA's in AY2026-27
 - i. Evan will send a request for feedback to the Chairs
4. Summer Grad Student Support - Jim
 - a. Must be paid out by June 30th
 - b. Rene is gathering requests for support from chairs.
5. Adjunct costs- Jim
 - a. \$365k spent on adjuncts this year. This \$100k more than the previous year.
 - b. Looking to decrease this for next year
6. CoSE 3-yr plans - Due Now to CoSE, Due to AA March 15th- Jim
 - a. Geo will meet w/ Jim to discuss dept plan
7. Restructuring update - Jim
8. Blair is now the development officer for both CoSE and the Museum

Action items

- Steve will review the PhD in Cybersecurity on the year plan.
- June 20- layoffs take effect

Jim will work w/ Fred re: central funds 1% holdback