

## **MIM Program Committee Report**

November 7, 2016

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Present committee members: Andrea Wiggling, Taverekere Srikantiah, Kathy Weaver, Jeff Waters, Jasbir Thiara, Anish Balasubramanian, Lindsay Sarin

Absent committee members: Brian Butler, Vanessa Frias-Martinez

The MIM program committee met on November 7, 2016 to:

1. Review and vote on proposed changes to INST 631 and INST 632
2. Review MIM 2016-2017 Scholarship applications and choose a winner
3. Get MIM Fall 2017 admission updates and hear about MIM 2017-2018 and 2018-2019 admission goals
4. Discuss the future of MIM course offerings at the Shady Grove campus

### **1. Review and vote on proposed changes to INST 631 and INST 632**

INST 631 Fundamentals of Human Computer Interaction has been proposed to be one of the prerequisites for INST 632 Human-Computer Interaction Design Methods. The proposal was approved by the MIM Committee.

### **2. Review MIM 2016-2017 Scholarship applications and choose a winner**

The committee reviewed 2016-2017 MIM Alumni Scholarship applications. Two MIM students were selected to receive a \$1,000 scholarship award.

### **3. Get MIM Fall 2017 admission updates and hear about MIM 2017-2018 and 2018-2019 admission goals**

As of 11/07/2016, the MIM program had 2 submitted applications (compared to as of 11/01/2015 -- 18 applications) and 65 in-progress applications (compared to as of 11/01/2015 -- 32 applications).

*MIM Admission Goals 2017-2018:*

- 60 enrolled (~40% domestic vs 60% international)
- 170 admitted (30 domestic vs 140 international) - this number may change due to the current economy condition in the countries our international students are coming from. We are still discussing whether those conditions may affect our admission process (student enrollment decision); this number may be increased to 200.

*MIM Admission 2018-2019:*

- 60 enrolled (~50% domestic vs 50% international)
- 170 admitted (40 domestic vs 130 international)
- If the Cybersecurity specialization will be moved forward and offered in the Fall 2018 semester, we would start marketing it to our students during the next admission cycle. Cybersecurity target (in addition to the above mentioned 2018-2019 targets):
  - 30 enrolled (60% domestic vs 40% international)

- 90 admitted (20-25 domestic and 65-70 international)

#### **4. Discuss the future of MIM course offerings at the Shady Grove campus**

- Current SG course demand (7 Shady Grove students -> 2 graduating in December 2016)
- Predicted future demand (*how crucial it is for us to offer Shady Grove courses to recruit domestic students*) – **further discussion required**