



"Bruce Mehman"
<bruce@mvc-dc.com>
07/13/2006 06:10 AM

To: <RCresanti@technology.gov>
cc:
bcc:
Subject: Confirming our 2pm Meeting today

We look forward to seeing you at 2pm. Should not need more than 30 minutes.

If this is not still good we can reschedule easily too.

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Bruce Mehman
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"Bruce Mehlman"
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07/06/2006 10:10 AM

To <RCresanti@technology.gov>
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bcc
Subject RE: Visit on Health IT

Great!

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From: RCresanti@technology.gov [mailto:RCresanti@technology.gov]
Sent: Thursday, July 06, 2006 10:03 AM
To: Bruce Mehlman
Subject: Re: Visit on Health IT

Great

----- Original Message -----

From: "Bruce Mehlman" [bruce@mehlmanvogel.com]
Sent: 07/06/2006 09:47 AM
To: Robert Cresanti
Subject: RE: Visit on Health IT

Might we make it 2:30-3:30pm? His scheduler just said "when I told you 2, I meant 2:30pm"... typical!

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From: RCresanti@technology.gov [mailto:RCresanti@technology.gov]
Sent: Thursday, July 06, 2006 8:38 AM
To: Bruce Mehlman
Subject: Re: Visit on Health IT

2-3 on the 13th sounds great. I'd love to catch up, just let me know what looks good.

Robert

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"Bruce Mehlman" <bruce@mehlmanvogel.com>

To: <RCresanti@technology.gov>

cc

07/05/2006 09:24 PM

Subject: Visit on Health IT

Robert --

Greetings!

[REDACTED]

Separately, I hoped to visit with Greg Simon, a tech guy in his own right and now the CEO of FasterCures.org. These guys are focused on the research benefits of HIT and bring a new angle so-far under-exploited by policy types... the perfect angle for TA to make their waves. You'd enjoy the meeting, I expect, and learn as much as I have.

Here are some near-term possibilities:

July 13th: 2-4pm

July 14th: 1pm or later

July 18th: anytime from 11am-4pm

We can find more times later, either for Greg or me and you. I hope you and your family are well and look forward to getting together again.

Bruce



Jennifer Jazwinsk/TA/Osnet

07/25/2006 09:31 AM

To reresanti@technology.gov, cchang@technology.gov

cc

bcc

Subject phone call w/ Chris Caine this afternoon

Robert would like to proceed with the scheduled phone call w/ Chris Caine of IBM this afternoon at 2:00 (I apologize for the scheduling it during the Council on Competitiveness, my mistake). For the phone call this afternoon, you can both dial [REDACTED], pass code [REDACTED].

If this doesn't work, Alex Lallas is Chris's assistant and can be reached at 202-515-5150, and Chris's number is 202-515-5800.

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"Wultich, Donna M"
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07/28/2006 04:09 PM

To <Robert.Cresanti@technology.gov>
cc
bcc

Subject FW: Invite your clients: IAM workshop, August 9 @ Ronald Reagan Building

History: This message has been replied to.

Robert:

Thanks for taking the time to meet with us today. I'm working on getting a meeting set with you and our "security and policy contact" within CA. In the meantime, I've attached information on an Identity and Access Managers Practitioners workshop that I believe you would find interesting on August 9th. The workshop is being held in the Ronald Regan building right across the street.

Is there anyone else within Commerce that you think would be interested that I could invite?

Have a great weekend!

Donna Wultich
Sales Executive
703-708-3640 (office)
703-622-1669 (cell)



IAM Workshop DC - detailed agenda.doc

----- Message from "Turcotte, David P" <David.Turcotte@ca.com> on Mon, 17 Jul 2006 17:40:12 -0400

To: "Sargeant, Melissa H" <Melissa.Sargeant@ca.com>
Subject: Learn best practices in identity management for your agency



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Identity and Access Man
@ Solutions Workshop

Wednesday, August 9, 2006
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Event Location: Marriott
International Trade Cent
Horizon Rooms A & B
1300 Pennsylvania Aven
Washington, DC 20004
202-312-1426

Directions to Event

For more information,
please contact
Jessie Malkin at
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or 216-798-9009.



Identity and Access Management Workshop

IAM READY

Identity and Access Management Workshop Agenda

Date: Wednesday, August 9, 2006

Location: Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center
1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Horizon Rooms A & B
Washington, District of Columbia 20004
202-312-1426

8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Registration

8:30 a.m. Workshop Starts

Module 1: Business Drivers -- Productivity, Efficiency and Security

Workshop Overview

IAM definition

The functions of a complete IAM platform

IAM role

IAM business drivers

- Enabling business
- Increasing security
- Increasing operational efficiency
- Complying with regulation

What are Your Business Drivers — Individual Exercise

Review and Summary — Discussion

Module 2: Technology Building Blocks

The scope of a complete IAM strategic solution

The functionality of the different IAM components

Industry standards and considerations

Key challenges of an IAM solution

IAM evolving trends

Review and Summary — Discussion

Module 3: Business and Financial Benefits

The business impact of IAM
Savings and Costs reduction delivered by IAM
The questions every organization must consider
The cost of "Doing Nothing"
Build your financial business case — Individual Exercise
Review and Summary — Discussion

Lunch provided

Module 4: Organizational View — Working Together

The organization-wide view
Identify your stakeholders — Individual Exercise
Review — Discussion
Different stakeholders — Different agendas and aspirations

- Security Executives
- IT & Help Desk
- Business Executives
- Human Resources

Managing the decision process
Share your experience
Review and summary — Discussion

Module 5: Planning and Implementation

Project planning — Stages and Phases
Phases in details

- Define
- Design
- Develop
- Deploy

People Policy Platform — Stages of Execution
Review and Summary — Discussion

Module 6: Key to success

Success Check List
Pitfalls To Avoid
Share Your Experience — Discussion
Success Stories
Review and Summary — Discussion

Module 7: Starting the path to success

Your Organizational Ecosystem
Change Management Considerations
Selling IAM in the Organization — Group Exercise
Selection Criteria
Launching Your Strategy
Launching Tools
Growing Momentum
Tomorrow Morning
IAM Strategy Summary
You Are The Champion — Individual Exercise
Review and Summary — Discussion
Final Q & A — Open Forum



Connie Chang/TA/Osnet
07/28/2006 07:15 PM

To "David M Hart" <dhart@gmu.edu>
cc "Kent Hughes" <Kent.Hughes@wilsoncenter.org>, "Bill Bonvillian" <bonvill@mit.edu>, "Robert Cresanti" <rcresanti@technology.gov>
bcc

Subject Re: Follow-up memo

David,

Thanks so much for sharing your thoughts ... I found the discussion to be exactly what I had hoped and in fact I could have stayed for several more hours.

Let's continue the dialogue ... I know that Robert and I will reflect on your thought and others.

Kent/Bill -- thank you! I'll call you next week to follow up.

Best,

Connie

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----- Original Message -----

From: David M Hart [dhart@gmu.edu]
Sent: 07/27/2006 09:56 PM
To: Connie Chang <CChang@technology.gov>
Cc: Kent Hughes <Kent.Hughes@wilsoncenter.org>; Bill Bonvillian <bonvill@mit.edu>
Subject: Follow-up memo

Dear Connie:

Thanks for organizing today's meeting. I found it stimulating, and I hope your boss did, too. I wrote up the attached while it was fresh. Pass on or edit as you like - I leave it to you.

See you soon,
David

Calendar Entry

Meeting Change Connie Chang has rescheduled this meeting

This reschedule notice has been applied to the meeting.

Subject	Discussion with the "Innovation Group" affiliated with the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars -- led and organized by Kent Hughes, Director, Project on Science, Technology, America, and the Global Economy
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Organizer	Connie Chang/TA/Osnet
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Invitees	
Required (to)	Robert Cresanti/TA/Osnet@osnet
Optional (cc)	

When	Date	Thursday 07/27/2006
	Time	08:15 AM - 10:00 AM (1 hour 45 minutes)

Where	Location	Woodrow Wilson Center, Ronald Reagan Building, 5th floor conference room
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Note additional information.

All,

Below are three new pieces of info: original email invitation, the questions that will be addressed this Thursday and a list of the members of the Wilson Center Innovation Working Group (aka "The Tuesday Group"):

It'll be an open discussion. It's an opportunity for Robert (and us) to meet with and learn from the folks who are there and to share our thoughts about changes in the global economy and industrial practices that might lead us to think about our current policies and changes that might be necessary.

Best,

Connie

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=====email invitation from Bill Bonvillian and Kent Hughes to the Innovation Working Group=====

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Date: Fri, 14 Jul 2006 17:41:37 -0400
From: Lynn Sha <Lynn.Sha@wilsoncenter.org>
Reply-to: Lynn Sha <Lynn.Sha@wilsoncenter.org>
Subject: Innovation Group meeting with Under Secretary for Technology Robert Cresanti

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Innovation group participants--

JULY 27TH MEETING REMINDER

The next session of our discussion group on innovation policy issues will take place at 8:15 AM on Thursday, July 27th, with breakfast at the Woodrow Wilson Center, at 1300 Pa. Ave. in the Reagan building, in the 5th floor conference room.

DIRECTIONS:

The Wilson Center is located near the Federal Triangle Metro Stop and two blocks from Metro Center. Parking is available in the building, and the parking entrance is from 13 and 1/2 Street, off Pa. Ave. For further instructions and a map, go to: www.wilsoncenter.org/directions

DISCUSSION TOPIC:

We will have the opportunity to speak informally and off the record with the Department of Commerce's Robert Cresanti, Under Secretary for Technology. In addition to overseeing the Office of Technology Policy, the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the National Technical Information Service, Secretary Cresanti is active in promoting the President's American Competitiveness Initiative. For a more complete bio, please go to www.technology.gov/Leadership.htm.

Secretary Cresanti would be particularly interested in hearing our thinking about how the emergence of the global corporation and globally dispersed research and development chains will affect the innovative capacity and competitiveness in the United States. A list of initial questions will be sent out in advance of the meeting.

OTHER PRESENTATIONS:

Please think about a presentation you might like to make to the group, and let us know so that we can add it into the fall schedule.

YOUR BIOS:

Please email to stage@wilsoncenter.org at the Wilson Center a short bio that can be posted on the webpage so the group has information on each other's background.

If you can't make the July 27th session, please email us so we have enough coffee for everyone.

Thanks,

Bill Bonvillian (MIT), Kent Hughes (Wilson Center), and Lynn Sha (Wilson Center)

====Discussion questions sent by Kent Hughes to Working Group====

The Tuesday Group

The Tuesday Group will next gather on **Thursday, July 27 at 8:15 AM in the 5th Floor Conference Room of the Woodrow Wilson Center.** Yes, of course there will be coffee.

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Global Corporations and U.S. R&D:

Coordination: How do global companies coordinate internationally dispersed researchers and research facilities?

Global Research and National Security: What aspects of basic or applied research should be kept in the geographic confines of the United States from the standpoint of national security? What aspects of civilian research are important enough for national security that they too should be kept in the geographic United States?

Global Corporations Spreading Technology: Can the global corporation act as a more effective conduit to spread emerging technologies to all parts of the world including the United States?

Overseas Manufacturing and Domestic R&D: As corporations shift their manufacturing facilities overseas to what extent will research and development activities follow? What kinds of research are best served by having a close geographic link to manufacturing?

Virtual Corporations: Some business thinkers see the current corporation developing into an ever more flexible set of pieces.

Movie Production Model: At an extreme, they see corporations working along the lines of movie productions or political campaigns where specialized skills are pulled together for a specific project or projects.

New Core Competence: One of the core competencies of companies becomes their ability to assemble and shed pieces as needed.

Virtual Research: How will innovation, research and development fit into the deconstructed corporation?

Innovation and the Location of Jobs?

Governors of U.S. states are already frustrated when state universities produce ideas that migrate to other locations where they stimulate growth and job creation.

Creating Jobs: How can public support for research and development translate into better jobs for American citizens?

Possible Steps Linking Domestic R& D to Domestic Growth: Some advocates suggest three steps to create the economic environment that will encourage the translation of innovation into American-based growth and jobs:

- 1) Over time, move from deficit to current account and trade balance.
- 2) Respond to other nations' use of incentives to attract production and research facilities through negotiations or adoption of similar incentives;
- 3) Adopting tax incentives to encourage innovation, investment, and job creation.

=====Members of the Wilson Center Innovation Working
Group=====

Jane	Alexander
Rob	Atkinson
Phil	Auerswald
Gary	Bachula
Claude	Barfield
Ronald	Blackwell
Bob	Boereger
Bill	Bonvillian
Kelly	Carnes
Carl	Dahlman
Kevin	Finneran
David	Goldston
David	Hart
Christopher	Hill
Ron	Hira
Kent	Hughes
Kenan	Jarboe
James	Kadke
Henry	Kelley
Taffy	Kingscott
Bradley	Knox
Rey	Koslowski
Catherine	Mann
Merrilea	Mayo
Carol	Meares
Bruce	Mehlman
Steve	Merrill
Egils	Milbergs
Tom	Palley
David	Peyton
Mark	Regets
Corothy	Robyn
Peter	Rooney
Howard	Rosen
Arun	Seraphin
Lynn	Sha
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Greg	Tassey
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Mike	Telson
Jim	Turner
Dick	Van Atta
Jason	Van Wey
Nicholas	Vonortas
Mitch	Waldrop
Chuck	Weiss
Chuck	Wessner

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Robert,

More info to follow on a list of members of the "Innovetier Group" and the topic we will discuss (most likely something to the effect of: "What are Squarely the Nation-State's Interests in an Increasingly Globally-Integrated World? What

Should Government Policy Look Like?"). I am working closely with Kent on a short list of questions we'd like to use to provoke thinking and gnoshing of the brains.

The discussion will key off of a recent article by Sam Palmisano, Chair of the Board, President, CEO of IBM, in Foreign Affairs (May/June 2006).

I'm working with Kent to secure a large enough, but intimate enough, room so that our policy analysts, core team members, and interns can attend, share, and learn.

Connie



"Boggs, JC"
<Boggs@BlankRome.com>
07/10/2006 09:28 AM

To <Robert.Cresanti@technology.gov>
cc
bcc
Subject Health IT

History: This message has been read/forwarded

Robert,

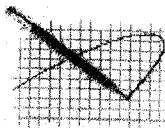
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Cheers, JC

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Robert Cresanti/TA/Osnet

07/11/2006 07:06 PM

To "Boggs,JC" <Boggs@BlankRome.com>

cc david.brantley@technology.gov, JJazwinsk@technology.gov

bcc

Subject Re: Health IT

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<Boggs@BlankRome.com>
07/11/2006 08:57 PM

To <RCresanti@technology.gov>
cc
bcc
Subject Re: Health IT

Thanks. He took the train back this afternoon. Let me get him back soon. I will get you some dates.

Hope you had a good trip, JC

----- Original Message -----

From: RCresanti@technology.gov <RCresanti@technology.gov>
To: Boggs, JC
Cc: david.brantley@technology.gov <david.brantley@technology.gov>; JJazwinsk@technology.gov <JJazwinsk@technology.gov>
Sent: Tue Jul 11 19:06:00 2006
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Robert Cresanti/TA/Osnet
08/02/2006 11:12 AM

To: Jennifer Jazwinski/TA/Osnet@osnet
cc
bcc
Subject: Re: JC Boggs

Yes

----- Original Message -----

From: Jennifer Jazwinski
Sent: 08/02/2006 10:55 AM
To: Robert Cresanti
Subject: JC Boggs

A few weeks ago, JC Boggs asked you if he could bring a client by to speak with you and David Brantley regarding Health IT. That day, you were out of the office and you couldn't meet. He is going to come by on August 24 with his client to meet at 11 and he wanted to know if you would want to grab lunch after. Sound ok?

Jennifer Jazwinski
Intern
U.S. Department of Commerce, Technology Administration
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JJazwinski@technology.gov

Calendar Entry

Meeting

Notify me



Mark Private

Pencil In

Subject Meeting w/ JC Boggs et. al re: Health IT (cell: 202-441-5200)

When
Starts Thu 08/24/2006 11:00 AM
Ends Thu 08/24/2006 12:00 PM 1 hour
 Specify a different time zone

Invitees
Invited The following invitees have been invited
Required (to) David Brantley/TA/Osnet@osnet
FYI (bcc) cchang@technology.gov,
diane.simmons@technology.gov

Scheduler [Click to see Invitee status](#)

Description

This meeting was rescheduled from 8/9 due to Robert's San Diego trip

Chair Robert Cresanti/TA/Osnet
Sent By Jennifer Jazwinski/TA/Osnet

Where
Location 4824
Reserved No rooms or resources have been reserved

Categorize



"Nevett, Jonathon"
<jnevett@networksolutions.com>

09/01/2006 01:35 PM

To <robert.cresanti@technology.gov>

cc "Ed Kutler" <ekutler@cwdc.com>

bcc

Subject: Thanks

Robert:

I want to thank you again for your time yesterday. It was a pleasure to speak with you. Ken told me how impressive you were, and considering how quickly you grasped our issue I understand why.

Have a good safe trip to China.

Best,

Jon

Jonathon L. Nevett
Vice President and Chief Policy Counsel

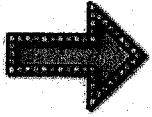
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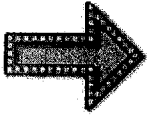
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Diane Simmons/TA/Osnet
09/08/2006 09:28 AM

To: Robert Cresanti/TA/Osnet@osnet
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Subject: Ed Kutler 202-261-4000 - PI call him



Diane Simmons/TA/Osnet
08/22/2006 09:48 AM

To: Robert Cresanti/TA/Osnet@osnet
cc
bcc

Subject: Ed Kutler (a friend) 261-4000 re: discuss a potential mtg
w/Network Solutions.

Calendar Entry

Meeting Invitation Accepted

Connie Chang has accepted this invitation

Subject Ed Kutler re: discuss a potential mtg w/Network Solutions 202/261-4004 (direct line)


Chair Robert Cresanti/TA/Osnet

When
Date Thursday 08/31/2006
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Connie
Optional (cc) Chang/TA/Osnet@osnet, Jay Riskind/TA/Osnet@osnet

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Subject David Isaacs, Hewlett Packard & other co reps - 202-378-2513

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Mr. Isaacs will call or send an e-mail in the a.m. with names of other company representatives.

Robert Cresanti/TA/Osnet

07/26/2006 02:27 PM

To "Doug Farry" <dfarry@mckennalong.com>

cc

bcc

Subject Re: Thanks for the call

Will do.

----- Original Message -----

From: "Farry, Douglas" [dfarry@mckennalong.com]

Sent: 07/26/2006 02:20 PM

To: rcresanti@technology.gov

Subject: Thanks for the call

And for squeezing in the time. This is Thales, the huge communications firm providing mutli-band radio phones to the military. They are interested in the Interoperability grant program. They have a new model that fits local state and local safety wireless bands as a transition technology that can immediately help different agencies in different jurisdictions communicate quickly. They want to know whether they will be eligible for the program, who will make decisions, timing, priorities etc. Bottom line : they need \$8 million to bring the prototype to production.

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"Heyman, Matthew"
<matthew.heyman@nist.gov>

07/31/2006 08:25 AM

To <RCresanti@technology.gov>

cc

bcc

Subject RE: Germany and Thales

Robert,

By the way, Bill Anderson has been on leave but may have some contacts for you soon.
Mat

From: RCresanti@technology.gov [mailto:RCresanti@technology.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, July 26, 2006 6:08 PM

To: Heyman, Matthew

Cc: Jeffrey, William

Subject: Germany and Thales

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"Heyman, Matthew"
<matthew.heyman@nist.gov>

07/27/2006 11:45 AM

To <RCresanti@technology.gov>

cc "Jeffrey, William" <wj Jeffrey@mail.nist.gov>

bcc

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Robert Cresanti/TA/Osnet
07/26/2006 06:23 PM

To "Heyman, Matthew" <matthew.heyman@nist.gov>
cc
bcc
Subject Re: Germany and Thales

Thanks so much Mat! He did a great job and I'm looking forward to visiting with his lab!

----- Original Message -----

From: "Heyman, Matthew" <matthew.heyman@nist.gov>
Sent: 07/26/2006 06:13 PM
To: Robert Cresanti
Cc: Jeffrey, William" <wj Jeffrey@mail.nist.gov>
Subject: RE: Germany and Thales

Robert,
We're on it... you'll hear back on both items.
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07/26/2006 06:12 PM

To <RCresanti@technology.gov>

cc "Jeffrey, William" <wj Jeffrey@mail.nist.gov>

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"Jeffrey, William"
<william.jeffrey@nist.gov>
07/27/2006 03:58 PM

To <RCresanti@technology.gov>, "Heyman, Matthew"
<heyman@email.nist.gov>
cc
bcc
Subject RE: Germany and Thales

Thanks! I appreciate the offloading of meetings – even if it is due to my personality (or lack thereof). ;-)

From: RCresanti@technology.gov [mailto:RCresanti@technology.gov]
Sent: Thursday, July 27, 2006 12:09 PM
To: Jeffrey, William; Heyman, Matthew
Subject: Re: Germany and Thales

Oh, heavens no, I wouldn't want them to see Bill. I meant technical people who were working on the standards part... [REDACTED] I know you don't have any grant money so that was never an issue.

Robert

----- Original Message -----

From: "Jeffrey, William" [william.jeffrey@nist.gov]
Sent: 07/27/2006 11:47 AM
To: Heyman, Matthew" <heyman@mail.nist.gov>; Robert Cresanti
Subject: RE: Germany and Thales

I agree (at least the part about how great a guy I am ...)

From: Heyman, Matthew
Sent: Thursday, July 27, 2006 11:46 AM
To: 'RCresanti@technology.gov'
Cc: Jeffrey, William
Subject: RE: Germany and Thales

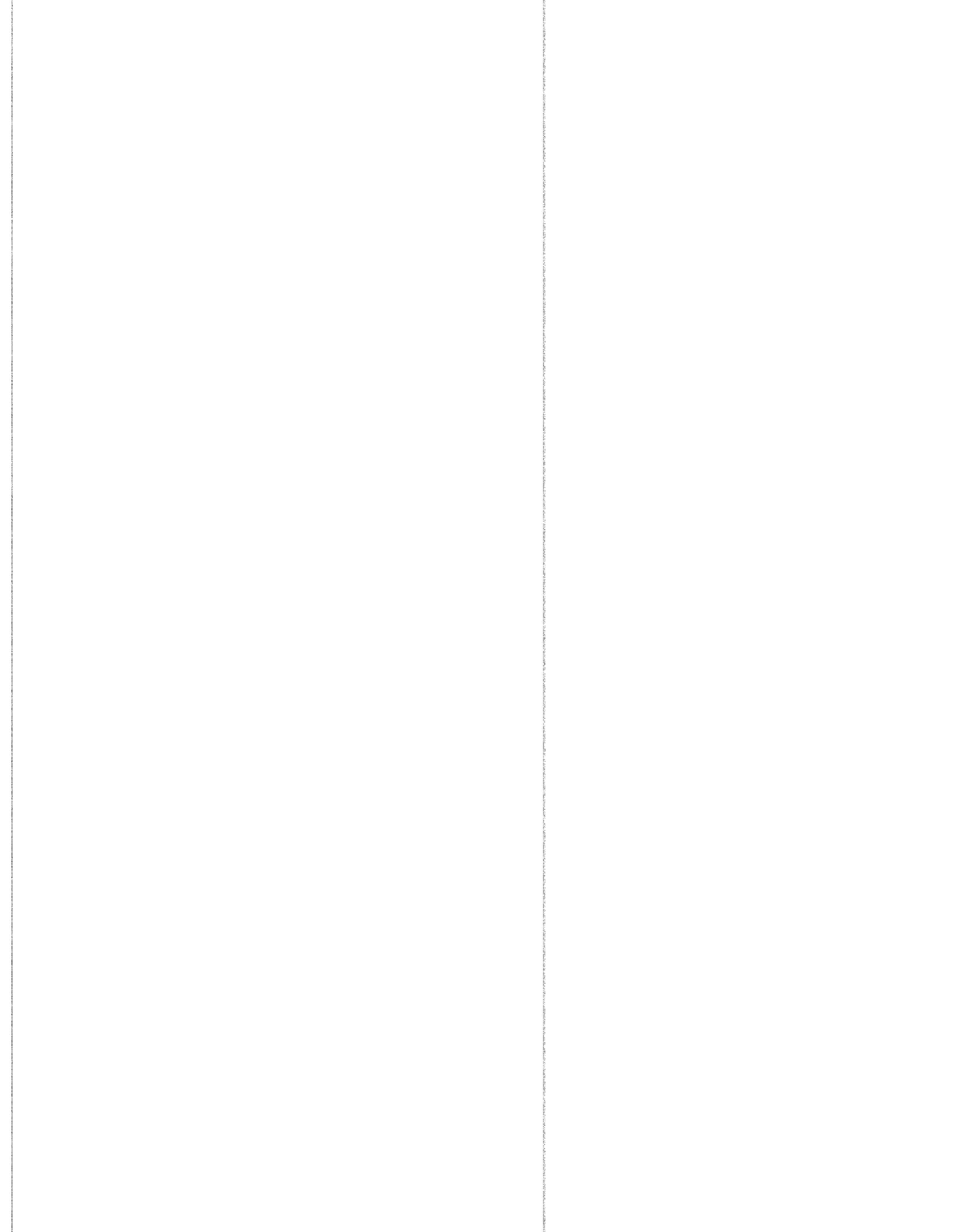
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Robert Cresanti/TA/Osnet
07/26/2006 05:57 PM

To mattwell@ntia.doc.gov
cc
bcc
Subject Thales

Hello and welcome back,

 I just met with the Thales guys on their refined product offering and they are asking for an interoperability grant for public safety for their Liberty Radio product. I am not an expert in these issues but it sounds like they may have a robust solution to help supply our first responders with a multiband, handy system. They are going to work with NIST to talk more about standards, they are only two exits away on HWY 270. Doug told me they were meeting with you soon and I am planning to try to be helpful with NIST going forward but NTIA controls the interoperability grants making process. This certainly seems like the type of product we would want to encourage interoperability on. Anyway, I'm sure you'll get an ear full from them! Thanks and it's good to have you back.

Robert

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Robert Cresanti/TA/Osnet
06/21/2006 01:57 AM

To: Connie Chang/TA/Osnet@osnet
cc
bcc
Subject: Re: Today's call/Seek meeting with Robert Cresant

Ok

Connie Chang

From: Connie Chang
Sent: 06/20/2006 05:22 PM
To: Robert Cresanti
Cc: Doug Devercaux
Subject: Fw: Today's call/Seek meeting with Robert Cresant

Robert,

This guy is interesting. I think we should set up a conference call with him. I thought Doug should read up on what's happening with this work on open source ... I can include an intern to help as well in getting us up to speed.

Let me know what you think ...

Connie

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----- Forwarded by Connie Chang/TA/Osnet on 06/20/2006 05:17 PM -----



Martin Pfahler
<martin@ibesi.org>
06/20/2006 04:40 PM

To: cchang@technology.gov
cc
Subject: Today's call/Seek meeting with Robert Cresant

Connie,

As requested during our phone call, attached is the longer explanatory paper. I would be happy to brief you on more details, not included, such as more about "who are we" (our coalition) and prior communications we have had with federal agencies.

IBESI thinks it is long overdue for key policy people within federal agencies, involved

with economic development (a community that knows little about leading edge software capabilities), and other entities involved with technology policy, to do some brainstorming, in effort to gain better economic development and social uplift with "technology".

Also it should be made clear what our new infrastructure effort is not doing. We are not trying to replace existing business processes that work just fine for all manner of today's high growth business model technology activity. For entities with such motives today's dynamics work. In contrast we are targeting a growing segment of the population where these existing dynamics simply don't work, they need underlying process changes to gain technology leverage that enable better work opportunities. In such regard a Presidential Appointee at the SBA, at highest level of policy said he thinks our effort can gain traction as part of the President's "American Competitive Initiative", and other social uplift issues that he (Porter Montgomery) told us resonate with the President.

Below I have also attached a sampling of talent that is today foreign to those in economic development communities, and in fact even in many computer communities. This talent represents the "leading edge" in novel automated group formation processes, with related algorithms that underlie some of the most popular web sites today (including Google). This automation represents only one element of our new infrastructure, but an important one (jargon terms are "collaborative filtering" and "recommender systems").

Your bio reads as one that has expertise in, and passion for, high level policy issues. From past experience IBESI has found that verbal communication is the fastest way to gain policy/needed solution understanding in others, because they can ask questions and gain instant feedback. Let me know when is a good time for you, and I'll try my best to make myself available for another phone meeting.

Warm regards,

Martin

Martin Pfahler, Executive Director
martin@ibesi.org

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Sincerely,

Martin Pfahler

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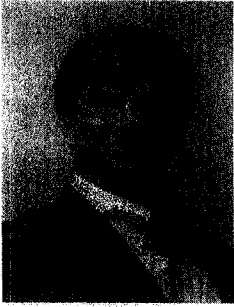
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Dr. John Riedl, University of Minnesota, Department of Computer Science

Research and expertise: Collaborative systems that support human interaction through computer systems. Johns career goal is to understand how to develop and apply computer technology to the problems of human organizations. We humans are hopelessly overmatched by the increasing volumes of information. Collaborative filtering is a technology that enables us to all work together. Collaborative filtering works by learning which kinds of documents or information each of us likes, and finding other people who share out interests.



Dr. Paul Resnick, University of Michigan, School of Information

Research and expertise: "Convening technologies" that help introduce people to other and/or coordinate their convenings. Paul is drawing on theories and data from social psychology and public goods economics to drive design decisions about on-line communities with the goal of increasing participants' contributions to the communal good. Recommender and Reputation Systems. A reputation system gives people information about others' past performance. It can enhance an on-line interaction environment by: helping people decide who to trust; encouraging people to be more

trustworthy; discouraging those who are not trustworthy from participating.



Dr. David C. Parkes, Harvard

Research and expertise: Computational mechanism design; electronic commerce; game-theory; auction theory; decentralized optimization; linear programming; agent strategies and emergent phenomena; Internet economics; multi-agent systems. Algorithmic mechanism design, focusing on the complexity of centralized implementations of game-theoretic mechanisms for distributed optimization problems. Designing mechanisms for online problems in which agents arrive over time and the mechanism is unaware of an agent until the agent announces its arrival. Automated agents to provide incremental information about preferences implementing the outcomes of mechanisms without a trusted center.



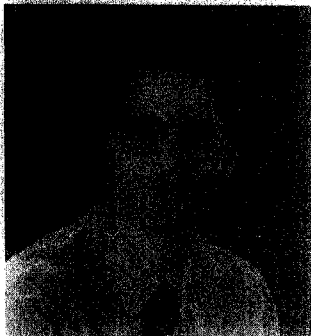
Dr, Thomas Hofmann, Brown University, Department of Computer Science.

Research and expertise: Information Retrieval and Machine Learning, Data Mining, Pattern Recognition, Natural Language Learning, Information Theory, and Computational Statistics. technologies to automatically annotate, classify, filter, retrieve, and deliver content. Special emphasis on personalized information access as well as robust and efficient methods of human-computer interaction.



Dr. Lyle H. Ungar, University of Pennsylvania

Research and expertise: Recommender systems and collaborative filtering, information extraction, machine learning and data mining, market-based methods for distributed scheduling and optimization of systems including human and computer agents.



Dr. Andrew I. Schein, University of Pennsylvania

Research and expertise: interested in machine learning and statistical approaches to data mining, focusing on recommender systems



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----- Message from Martin Pfahler <martin@ibesi.org> on Tue, 20 Jun 2006 08:48:51 -0700 -----

To: cchang@technology.gov

Subject: Seek meeting with Robert Cresanti

Ms. Connie Chang,

I am the Director of IBESI, a nonprofit organization in Oregon, trying to gain a phone meeting with Robert Cresanti.

The purpose of this meeting is to introduce our effort, involving creation of a national scale infrastructure that is a new way to do economic development, based on R&D activity and new computer automation.

At the TA web site it states the primary mission of the Technology Administration is to maximize the competitiveness and innovation of the U.S. technology industry. But at what price to the general populace?

Increasingly large numbers of people within the populace are unable to get involved with the underling R&D activity – which is the driver of technology. What about people that have no need to hire lots of employees, or not wanting to pursue a high growth business model? The fact is they simply cannot gain R&D leverage today, so as to enable better work opportunities for themselves. This is a social and economic justice issue that our new infrastructure addresses (I have attached a one page paper that summarizes).

The new Federal policy issue we expose and the required solution, is currently gaining high level attention in D.C., at agencies having economic development programs, such as the USDA, EDA, and SBA. Also the Office of Science & Technology Policy (OSTP) at the White House has expressed interest. We are also working with our Congressional Delegation and some champions in other federal agencies to gain relevant legislative change.

One question I will pose to Robert Cresanti is, "does the TA care about the 'small fries' wanting more and better R&D leverage, or only 'big business' or those with high growth business model start up motives? If the former is a concern, than what is the TA willing to do about it (help expose the federal policy issue, etc.)?"

Our infrastructure effort has many cross disciplines involved (computer scientists, attorneys, economists, business experts, human factor experts, etc.) and crosses the boundary of social uplift and leading edge technologies. I hope I can get a phone meeting with Robert Cresanti to explain further.

Ms. Chang, I reviewed your biography and noticed you are with NIST at their ATP program, and have led evaluation studies and policy reports. In such regard I am hoping you also take note of the issue we are exposing, and I would be happy to talk to you as well.



"Dan Loague"
<dloague@cfi-institute.org>

08/15/2006 01:04 PM

Please respond to
"Dan Loague"
<dloague@cfi-institute.org>

To <Robert.Cresanti@technology.gov>

cc "Devereaux, Doug" <Doug.Devereaux@technology.GOV>,
"Meyer, Dick" <rtmeyer@cicp.com>, "Maggard, Woodrow"
<wmaggard@buffalo.edu>, "Cassidy, Mike"

bcc

Subject CFI AudioBlog programs to explore SEC and other
technology investment climate issues

Mr. Cresanti,

I appreciated meeting with you to discuss the technology investment climate and how to improve access to capital for start-ups and entrepreneurs.

You mentioned the possibility of working with CFI to produce an AudioBlog style program (online on-demand) to explore SEC issues. CFI is pleased to produce a program on this issue and make it available to the public by bringing together leading experts in the field to highlight this issue, and provide information on possible alternative strategies and solutions.

Would there be funds available to support additional programs? CFI could provide longer term service in convening experts to explore other critical technology investment issues and report the results via AudioBlog programs. The estimated cost to produce a three-program series is [REDACTED]

In addition to the issue of SEC definitions and differences between qualified purchasers and accredited investors, other programs might focus on compliance effects of certain provisions of Sarbanes Oxley, and major factors contributing to the continuing \$300,000 to \$3,000,000 capital gap faced by small companies with high growth potential.

Best regards,

Dan

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Meeting Invitation Accepted

Connie Chang has accepted this invitation

Subject	Meeting w/ Dan Loague, CFI-institute
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Chair	Robert Cresanti/TA/Osnet
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When	Date	Friday 07/21/2006
	Time	02:00 PM - 02:30 PM (0 hours 30 minutes)

Invitees	
Required (to)	Doug Devereaux/TA/Osnet@osnet, Jennifer
Optional (cc)	

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David Brantley has accepted this invitation


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Doug
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FYI (bcc) Connie Chang/TA/Osnet@osnet

Chair Robert Cresanti/TA/Osnet
Sent By Jennifer Jazwinski/TA/Osnet

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Description

Meeting to discuss participation in an audio-blog for the CFI Institute, www.cfi-institute.org. Dan Loague is a member of the CFI Institute, and previously worked for NASVF.

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07/21/2006 09:57 AM

To David Brantley/TA/Osnet@osnet
cc Diane Simmons/TA/Osnet@osnet, Doug
Devereaux/TA/Osnet@osnet
bcc
Subject [REDACTED]

Thanks David, [REDACTED]

Robert

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David Brantley/TA/Osnet

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07/21/2006 09:43 AM

To Diane Simmons/TA/Osnet@osnet, Robert
Cresanti/TA/Osnet@osnet
cc Doug Devereaux/TA/Osnet@osnet
Subject Late arrival today

Robert,

[REDACTED] Will be trying my best to join you and
Doug in your meeting this afternoon with Dan Loague.

David

Marjorie Weisskohl/TA/Osnet
08/30/2006 11:00 AM

To Robert Cresanti/TA/Osnet@osnet
cc Connie Chang/TA/Osnet@osnet, Jay
Riskind/TA/Osnet@osnet
bcc

Subject TA week ahead for OPA -- are these open press?

Robert --

I'm not aware of any public events for you next week but wanted to check on two things that are on your calendar, just in case you are speaking at any open press events. OPA would want to include them in their internal Week Ahead notice that they issue on Fridays:

- 1) Thurs, Sept 7: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., High Performance Computing Users Conference, Wash DC
- 2) 1:15 - 2:00 p.m. Privacy Coalition, Wash DC

Pls advise.

Thanks,

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Remember, it doesn't cost a thing to smile!



Joe Bhatia
<jbhatia@ansi.org>
07/19/2006 03:48 PM

To "RCresanti@technology.gov" <RCresanti@technology.gov>
cc Gary Kushnier <GKUSHNIE@ansi.org>, Fran Schrotter
<fschrott@ansi.org>, Steven Bipes <sbipes@ansi.org>,
Steve Cornish <SCORNISH@ansi.org>,
bcc

Subject: Congratulations

Dear Bob:

It was a pleasure meeting you earlier today and to listen to your timely and focused remarks. Your message resonated with me and coincided with many of my goals for ANSI.

Congratulations on your being named as Chief Privacy Officer for the Department of Commerce. As I mentioned briefly this morning, ANSI is in the process of establishing the Identity Theft Prevention and Identity Management Standards Panel. For your reference, I have attached ANSI's recent announcement. I would like to have an opportunity to meet with you to identify and discuss areas of mutual interest and cooperation, including the Identity Theft Panel.

As per your request, I have also attached a copy of the comments I made at the Option for Action Summit at NIST for your reference. I would be glad to elaborate or discuss any of the key themes further with you.

Once again, congratulations on your new appointment and I look forward to meeting with you in the near future.

Best Regards,

Joe Bhatia

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ANSI-IDSP to be formed - press release.doc; Joe Bhatia Opening Remarks ANSI-NIST Summit.doc



"Rebecca Kush"
<rkush@cdisc.org>
08/21/2006 10:21 PM

To <RCresanti@technology.gov>
cc
bcc

Subject Fw: David Brantley is out of the office.

Robert,
This indicates that David Brantley is retired from Commerce. Should I still
try to contact him?
Regards, Becky Kush

Rebecca Kush, PhD
President, CDISC

----- Original Message -----

From: <David.Brantley@technology.gov>
To: "Rebecca Kush" <rkush@cdisc.org>
Sent: Monday, August 21, 2006 9:03 PM
Subject: David Brantley is out of the office.

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> I will be out of the office starting 08/18/2006 and will not return until
> 08/02/2016.
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> I am officially retired from Commerce effective 8/18/06 and will be
> working
> at BearingPoint from 8/21/06. Please feel free to eMail me at
> dvidebrantley@yahoo.com, or call me on my cell at (571) 641-9167
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"Rebecca Kush"
<rkush@cdisc.org>
08/22/2006 11:11 PM

To <RCresanti@technology.gov>
cc
bcc
Subject Re: CDISC - Met at HP Conference

Thank you, Robert.
Becky

----- Original Message -----

From: RCresanti@technology.gov
To: [Rebecca Kush](mailto:Rebecca.Kush@cdisc.org); [Ms. Connie Chang](mailto:Ms.Connie.Chang@cdisc.org)
Sent: Tuesday, August 22, 2006 9:06 AM
Subject: Re: CDISC - Met at HP Conference

Hello Rebecca,

David has left my staff. I am copying Connie to see if she can help make the connections. Thanks

Robert

----- Original Message -----

From: "Rebecca Kush" [rkush@cdisc.org]
Sent: 08/21/2006 05:50 PM
To: Robert Cresanti
Cc: David Brantley; <rkush@cdisc.org>
Subject: Re: CDISC - Met at HP Conference

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Best regards, Becky

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From: RCresanti@technology.gov
To: [Rebecca Kush](mailto:Rebecca.Kush@cdisc.org)
Cc: David.Brantley@technology.gov
Sent: Wednesday, August 09, 2006 11:48 AM
Subject: Re: CDISC - Met at HP Conference

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Calendar Entry

Meeting Change Connie Chang has rescheduled this meeting

Subject	Meeting with Rebecca Kush, President, CDISC		Chair	Connie Chang/TA/Osnet
When	Date	Thursday 09/07/2006	Required (to)	Robert Cresanti/TA/Osnet@osnet
	Time	04:45 PM - 05:30 PM (0 hours 45 minutes)		Optional (cc)
Where	Location	Robert's office.		

Robert,

I sent this invitation to you a while back, but I don't think you accepted it on your calendar. Becky Kush has arrived early from the airport. She'll wait to see you -- I suggest no more than 30 minutes -- when you are done with your meeting with Ron MacNeil.

Connie

Robert -- I've set up this meeting with you and Rebecca for after your return from the Council on Competitiveness's High Performance Computing Conference that day.

Connie

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>> To: <RCresanti@technology.gov>
>> From: "Rebecca Kush" <rkush@cdisc.org>
>> Date: 08/09/2006 09:29AM
>> Subject: CDISC - Met at HP Conference

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>> Dear Dr. Cresanti,

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>> Rebecca Kush, PhD
>> President, CDISC
>> 512-791-7612

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Connie Chang/TA/Osnet
08/31/2006 11:58 AM

To "Rebecca Kush" <rkush@cdisc.org>
cc diane.simmons@technology.gov, Robert
Cresanti/TA/Osnet@osnet
bcc
Subject Re: CDISC - Met at HP Conference

Rebecca,

Your scheduled to see Robert at 4:45 pm on Thursday, Sept 7th.

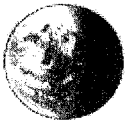
You should come to the 15th Street entrance, between Constitution and Pennsylvania Aves. There's a blue awning outside. Enter and check in with the guards. They will call us to send someone down to escort you to room 4824.

Diane -- please register Rebecca ... see info below ...

Best,

Connie

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"Rebecca Kush"
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08/31/2006 11:33 AM

To <CChang@technology.gov>
cc
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Connie,
Thank you very much. I will confirm the meeting at 4:45, if that is
the best for Robert. I will have plenty of time, so 4:30 should
also work.
My citizenship is U.S. Can you please give me the address for your location?
I appreciate your setting this up.
Best regards, Becky

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From: <CChang@technology.gov>
To: "Rebecca Kush" <rkush@cdisc.org>
Sent: Tuesday, August 29, 2006 5:36 PM

Subject: Re: CDISC - Met at HP Conference

> Becky,

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> Do you want to aim for 4:45 pm on that day since the conference that

> Robert

> will be attending will end by 4ish and getting from National airport to
> here will take you about half an hour.

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> We're located on 15th Street between Constitution and Pennsylvania
> Avenues.

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> Let me know if you think you can manage it and I'll put it on Robert's
> calendar. We will also need to know your country of citizenship to get you
> through security.

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> Best,

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> Connie

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> Connie,

> My flight is scheduled to arrive at Washington Reagan at 3:15 on the 7th.

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> assume it would be around 4:15 or 4:30 before I could be at a meeting

> location (depending on where that is)? Is that too late?

> Best regards, Becky Kush

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> To: "Rebecca Kush" <rkush@cdisc.org>
> Cc: <RCresanti@technology.gov>
> Sent: Monday, August 28, 2006 5:30 PM
> Subject: Re: CDISC - Met at HP Conference
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>> Rebecca,

>> Robert is slated to attend a conference on the 7th, but since it's in DC
>> he
>> can certainly skip out in the late afternoon.

>> Let me know what time you are thinking of for a meeting here at Commerce
>> and I'll check his schedule again to see if he can make it.

>> Best,

>> Connie

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