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Education

Edd, Johns Hopkins University, degree expected August, 2022
Research area: Agency and Privacy in Deployment of Learning Analytics

ME, Boston University, 2019
Major: Higher Education Administration and Leadership

BA, University of Wisconsin – Madison, 1997
Major: Economics, Slavic Languages

Professional Experience

Harvard University (2021-present)
Vice President and Chief Information Officer

Rice University (2015-2021)
Vice President for International Operations and IT and Chief Information Officer (2018 – Present)
Vice President for IT and Chief Information Officer (2015 – 2018)

The University of Chicago (2010-2015)
Senior Associate Vice President and Chief Information Officer (2010 – 2015)

Duke University (2006-2010)
Assistant Vice President, Shared Services and Infrastructure (2007-2010)
Interim CISO Director, Security (2007-2009) – concurrent appointment
Sr. Director, Computing Systems (2006-2007)

University of Wisconsin – Madison (1996-2006)
Senior Strategist for Research Computing (2004-2006) – concurrent appointment
Assistant Director, Systems Engineering (2005-2006)
Manager, Operational Integration and Support (2004-2005)
Technical Lead (1996-2004)

Software Publishing Corporation (1993-1996)
Support and Product Specialist

Agency for International Development – ACE Center (1992-1993)
Research Officer

Awards and Honors

ORBIE Houston CIO of the year - 2021

Internet2 Presidential Leadership Award, Internet2 (March, 2019).

CIO100 Innovation Award (August, 2018, August 2019).

RESEARCH

Grants

Klara Jelinkova (PI), Yingyan Lin (Co-PI), Meng Li (Co-PI), Christopher Tunnell (Co-PI), Jonathan Ajo-Franklin (Co-PI); CC* Compute: Interactive Data Analysis Platform (Award #2019007, Date: 07/01/2020)

Klara Jelinkova (PI), Moshe Vardi (Co-PI), Keith Cooper (Co-PI), Jan Odegard (Co-PI), Paul Padley (Co-PI): CC* Networking Infrastructure: Improving Network Infrastructure to Enable Large Scale Scientific Data Flows and Collaboration (Award #1659348, Date: 03/01/2017)

Klara Jelinkova (PI), Ian Forster (Co-PI), Robert Grossman (Co-PI): CC-NIE Network Infrastructure: High Performance Research Networking (HiPerNet) (Award#1246019, Date: 11/02/2012) and (Award #1440785 – initial PI)

SERVICE

University Service

Rice University

Rice University Board of Trustees (BOT) – IT Committee (Assigned University Officer) (2015 – Present)

Rice University BOT - Audit Committee (2017 – Present)

Rice University BOT - Digital Education Committee (2015 – Present)

IT Council and IT Executive Committee (2015 – Present) Ex-Officio

Emergency Management Committee (2015 – Present)

University of Chicago

Board of Computing Activities and Services (2010-2015)

Library Board (2010-2015)

Research Computing Oversight Committee (2011-2015)

Intellectual Property Committee (2011-2015)

Provost Committee on Online Learning (2012-2015)

Digital Humanities Oversight Committee (2014-2015)

Duke University

Duke University and Duke Medicine Security Steering Committee (2008-2010)

IT Advisory Committee (2007-2010)

Research Support Faculty Committee (2007-2010)

Duke University and Duke Medical Joint Identity Management Committee (2006-2010)

University of Wisconsin – Madison

Research Computing Initiative – Chair (2005-2006)

Equity and Diversity Committee – Chair (2003-2005)

Professional Service (2010 – 2019) earlier dates available upon request

Internet 2 Board (2013-2015 and 2017-Present) – Chair Nominations Committee (2019 – Present)

Lone Star Research and Education Network (LEARN) Board member (2015 – Present)
Treasurer (2016-2018)

Internet 2 Trust and Identity Program Advisory Committee (2017 – 2020)

EDUCAUSE Review Editor (2017 – 2018)

InCommon Steering Committee (2013-2018) Chair (2014 – 2017)

Internet 2 – International Strategy Program Advisory Group (2011-2017)

Getty Museum Digital Advisory Committee (2018 – 2019)

Google Higher Education Advisory Board (2017 – Present)

Oracle Education and Research Industry Strategy Council (2011-Present)

Cisco Higher Education Executive Board (2010-Present)

Published Intellectual Contributions

Non-juried Journal Articles

Jackson G, Jelinkova K, Moreau J, Stringer J (2019), “We Shoulda Known: Lessons for the Future from the Past”. EDUCAUSE

<https://er.educause.edu/articles/2019/3/we-shoulda-known-lessons-for-the-future-from-the-past>

Jelinkova K, (2017) “Spending Our Time and Using Our Voice”, EDUCAUSE

<https://er.educause.edu/articles/2017/1/spending-our-time-and-using-our-voice>

Klara Jelinkova “Rethinking the Traditional Classroom - A conversation with Salman Khan” Business Officer July-August 2013

Susan J. Foster, Klara Jelinkova, Clifford Lynch, Christopher Russel and Dallas Thorton “Considerations for Campus Cyberinfrastructure Data Management Policy and Procedure Development”, EDUCAUSE Policy Office Report 2009

Professional Publications

Jelinkova K. (2016) “Privacy and Identity – The Next frontier for the CIOs”, CIO Review <https://www.cioreview.com/cioviewpoint/privacy-and-identity-the-next-frontier-for-the-cios-nid-10322-cid-27.html>

Jelinkova K. (2016) “CIOs as Drivers of Digital Transformation”, Education Technology Insights <https://student-information.educationtechnologyinsights.com/cioviewpoint/cios-as-drivers-of-digital-transformation-nid-164.html>