

Creating an Intellectual Hub for Computing and Information Science at the University of Pittsburgh



Monday, January 11, 2016

2:00pm-3:00pm, IS Building, 3rd floor
135 North Bellefield Ave Pittsburgh, PA

In this presentation, **Harry Bruce** (Dean and Professor, UW Information School) will share his experience with the restructuring of intellectual areas at the University of Technology, Sydney and at the University of Washington, Seattle. Based upon his observation of these efforts to create an integrated, highly

productive, highly effective intellectual community from multiple constituencies, he will share his thoughts on why this goal is so difficult to achieve. Professor Bruce will identify important issues to be considered with a proposal to merge Computer Science and the School of Information Sciences at the University of Pittsburgh.

**Harry
Bruce**

Harry Bruce is the Dean of the University of Washington Information School. His research and teaching focus on human information behavior, information seeking and use, and personal information management in networked information environments. Dr. Bruce's research has been funded by the National Science Foundation, the Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS), the Washington State Library, and the Australian Department of Employment Education and Training.

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