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Education:

B.S. Electrical Engineering (with Honors), University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 1988

M.B.A., Middle Tennessee State University, 1998

Ph.D. (in progress), University of Georgia, 2003-present

(Expected Graduation Date: May 2007)

Dissertation:

Title: Understanding the Health of Technological Ecosystems: The Case of Professional Open Source Software

Committee: Richard T. Watson (co-chair), Marie-Claude Boudreau (co-chair), Elena Karahanna, Daniel Robey (Georgia State University)

Proposal Defended: June 20, 2006

Research Interests:

Open Source Software Ecosystems

Information Security Behaviors

Information Technology Innovation

Peer-Reviewed Journal Publications:

Watson, Richard T., Donald Wynn, and Marie-Claude Boudreau. 2005. JBoss: The evolution of professional open source software. *MIS Quarterly Executive*, 4(3):329-341.

Watson, Richard T., Marie-Claude Boudreau, Martina Greiner, Donald Wynn, Paul York, and Rusen Gul. 2005. Governance and global communities. *Journal of International Management*, 11(2):125-142.

Pitt, Leyland, Pierre Berthon, Richard Watson, Donald Wynn, and George Zinkhan. 2006. The Penguin's Window: Corporate Brands from an OS Perspective, *Journal of the Academy of Marketing Science*, 34(2), 115-127.

Watson, Richard T., Marie-Claude Boudreau, Martina Greiner, Donald Wynn, and Paul York. The Business of Open Source, *Communications of the ACM*, forthcoming.

Peer-Reviewed Conference Proceedings:

Wynn, Donald. 2004. Leadership and Motivation in Open Source Projects, Southern Association of Information Systems, Savannah, GA, Feb 27-28. (*Nominated for Best Conference Paper/Best Conference Theme Paper*, Presented at Conference).

Wynn, Donald. 2004. Organizational Life Cycle of Open Source Software Projects”, Southern Association of Information Systems, Savannah, GA, Feb 27-28. (Presented at Conference).

Watson, Richard T., Marie-Claude Boudreau, Martina Greiner, Donald Wynn, Paul York, and Rusen Gul. 2004. Governance, leadership, and management in adaptive and inventive digital communities: A research agenda to reduce waste in graduate education. In Proceedings of the 17th Bled eCommerce Conference. Bled, Slovenia.

Watson, Richard T., Marie-Claude Boudreau, Martina Greiner, Donald Wynn, Paul York, and Rusen Gul. 2004. Governance and global communities. 5th Annual International Business Research Forum, Mar 27, at Temple University, Philadelphia, PA.

Other Research

Flury, Marc, Richard Watson, Donald Wynn, Marie-Claude Boudreau. 2005. JBoss: The evolution of professional open source. Third Place, Society for Information Management Paper Awards Competition.

Papers Under Review

Watson, Richard, Marie-Claude Boudreau, Paul York, and Martina Greiner, and Donald Wynn. Opening the Classroom. Under review at Academy of Management Learning and Education.

Wynn, Donald, Assessing the Health of an Open Source Ecosystem. Book Chapter for Emerging Free and Open Source Software Practices. Sulayman K Sowe, Dr. Ioannis Stamelos and Ioannis Samoladas, eds. Idea Group Publishing (Under revise and resubmit).

Niederman, Fred, Ashley Davis, Martina Greiner, Donald Wynn, Paul York. Open Source Research: A Multi-Level Framework. Under 2nd review at Communications of the AIS.

Niederman, Fred, Ashley Davis, Martina E. Greiner, Donald Wynn, and Paul York. Open Source: A Research Agenda Through the Lens of Referent Discipline Theories. Under 2nd review at Communications of the AIS.

Working Papers

Predicting Information Security Behaviors: A Cognitive Model Based on Health Behavior Research (with Elena Karahanna).

Information Security: A Multi-Theoretical Assessment (with Clay Williams).

Teaching Interests

Telecommunications and Network Management

Data Management

Information Security

Courses Taught

MIST 4610, Data Management, Summer 2005
(Student Evaluations: 4.875/5.000)
MIST 5640, Network Management, Fall 2005
(Student Evaluations: 4.81/5.00)
MIST 4610, Data Management, Summer 2006
MIST 5640, Network Management, Fall 2006 (scheduled)

Conference and Service activities

Reviewer, Southern Association of Information Systems, Savannah, GA, 2004
Reviewer, SIG-LEAD Conference, Athens, GA, 2004
Reviewer, AMCIS IS Leadership Track, New York, NY, 2004
Reviewer, DIGIT conference, 2005
Reviewer, ICIS (Valuing IT Opportunities track), 2006
Mini-Track co-chair, “Open Source Software Development, Adoption, and Use” (with M-C. Boudreau & L. Jin), Americas Conference for Information Systems, (AMCIS), Omaha, NE, 2005
Mini-Track co-chair, “Open Source Software Development, Adoption, and Use” (with M-C. Boudreau, L. Jin, & S. Daniel), Americas Conference for Information Systems, (AMCIS), Acapulco, Mexico, 2006
Co-Editor, Journal of Database Management, Special Issue on Open Source Software (scheduled publication: October, 2007)
Parliamentarian/Conference Planning Committee/Website Committee, KPMG Information Systems Doctoral Students Association, 2004-5
Vice President/Conference Planning Committee/Website Committee, KPMG Information Systems Doctoral Students Association, 2005-6
Panelist, KPMG PhD Project Conference, 2004
Student Recruiter, KPMG PhD Project Conference, 2005
Panelist, Terry PhD Minority Recruitment Day, 2005, 2006
MSDNAA Administrator, MIS Dept, Terry College of Business, 2004-present

Grant Activities

Advanced Practices Council, Society for Information Management, \$50,000 grant (w/ R. Watson, M-C Boudreau, P. York and M. Greiner), “The Business of Open Source” (researcher, panel moderator), 2005-6

Honors and Awards

Robert R. Neyland Scholarship 1984-1988
National Achievement Scholarship, 1984-1988
Alpha Lambda Delta honor society, 1985
Phi Eta Sigma honor society, 1985
Tennessee Higher Education Commission Scholarship, 1986-1988
Beta Gamma Sigma Honor Society, 1998
Graduate Assistantship, Jones College of Business, Middle TN State University, 2003
Biscoe Fellowship, 2003-2004

Graduate Recruitment Opportunities Assistantship, 2003-2005
Comer Fellowship, 2003-2005
Etheredge Scholarship, 2003-2005
Terrell Award, 2005-2006
Outstanding PhD Student Researcher, MIS Dept, 2005-2006
Terry College of Business Summer Research Assistantship, 2006
Academy of Management OCIS Division, Doctoral Consortium, 2006
International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS) Doctoral Consortium, 2006

Professional Experience

Manager, BellSouth Telecommunications, Nashville, TN (2000-2002)

Coordinated installation and capacity of interoffice facilities and equipment for Frame Relay, ISDN, DSL/ADSL, SONET, and other technologies

Business Analyst, Electronic Data Systems, Nashville, TN (1999-2000)

Coordinated implementation, testing, tech support, and training for a trouble tracking and asset management application for 175 IT professionals in the Field Support organization.

Systems Administrator, Electronic Data Systems, Nashville, TN (1997-1999)

Performed problem resolution and project management for corporate network clients. Developed and taught TCP/IP certification course for peers.

Technical Manager, BellSouth Telecommunications, Nashville/Brentwood, TN (1990-1997)

Performed problem resolution and project management for internal clients. Obtained Certified Novell Engineer (CNE) and Microsoft Certified Professional (MCP) certifications. Developed training for new users on corporate network.

Outside Plant Engineer, BellSouth Telecommunications, Chattanooga, TN (1988-1990)

Provisioned new telecommunications facilities in field for residential, business, and internal customers.

References

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