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## GTISC names advisory board

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The Georgia Tech Information Security Center (GTISC) has created a 19-member board of industry advisors to give GTISC advice and strategy as it grows as an academic research organization in information security.

GTISC's board of advisors features security and technology executives from top organizations in the IT industry and the global business community:

- Chairman, Christopher Rouland, chief technology officer of IBM Internet Security Systems.
- George W. Cox, strategist/architect at Intel Corp.
- George L. Heron, vice president and chief scientist for McAfee.
- Paul Q. Judge, chief technology officer of Secure Computing.
- David Ladd, principal security program manager at Microsoft Corp.
- Sanjay Macwan, AT&T Inc. chief security officer.
- Edwin Marcial, chief technology officer for IntercontinentalExchange Inc. (NYSE: ICE).
- Sam Phillips, information security business continuity at Bank of America (NYSE: BAC).
- Tom Place, director of information of security & reg. com. for The Coca Cola Co. (NYSE: KO).
- Jon R. Ramsey, CTO of Secureworks.
- Josyula R. Rao, senior manager of the security department at the IBM Thomas J. Watson Research Center
- Christopher Ray, second vice president of IT for Aflac Inc. (NYSE: AFL).
- David Rowan, senior vice president and director of enterprise technology risk management for SunTrust Banks Inc. (NYSE: STI).
- Anthony Michael Rutkowski, vice president for regulatory affairs and standards at Verisign Inc.
- Darren Shou, senior manager of the research lab at Symantec.
- Caleb Sima, co-founder and CTO of S.P.I. Dynamics Inc.
- Tony Spinelli, chief security and compliance officer at Equifax Inc. (NYSE: EFX).
- Aurobindo "Robin" Sundaram, vice president of Information Security at ChoicePoint Inc. (NYSE: CPS).
- W. David Thomas, vice president of Product Strategy for AirDefense.

"We are fortunate to have a prominent group of industry leaders with a diverse range of expertise who will be able to advise the Georgia Tech Information Security Center faculty and students as we continue to grow our programs to become a world class center in the information security field," said Mustaque Ahamad, director of GTISC. "The feedback and direction provided by this high-caliber group will be extremely beneficial as we grow the center's activities in the years ahead."

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