Role of the Security Liaisons

The Security Liaison:

- Appointed by Vice Presidents, Deans, and Directors
- Understands responsibility for two-way communications, to the department and to the ITU
- Understands the balance between security and business needs
- Pursues clarity in policy development and revisions
- Understands the impact of policy on departmental business process and communicates areas of concern

The Role of Security Liaison:

- Point of contact in their unit for security recommendations and requests coming from the VPIT. Responsible for disseminating this information to the unit’s leadership and their offices.
- Point of contact in their unit for security incidents, suspected, and real. Act as a conduit to the Computer Security Incident Response Team (CSIRT).
- Inform the VPIT and the President’s Chief of Staff of possible gaps in training and support programs necessary to carry out requirements set forth in Policies and Directives.
- Advocate within the Business Unit for risk assessments, remediation, and compliance. Initiate Security Risk Assessments by contacting the IT Security Office.
- Point of contact for communication about desired, proposed, and approved policies. Review proposed Security Policies. Provide guidance on how to put a new or revised policy into practice in the Business Unit.