



# IT Briefing

8/19/10



## Agenda

- SMCC Updates
- SMCC – Incident Preview
- Exchange / Eagle Update
- One IT
- Joel Thomas
- Tiffany Kady
- Jay Flanagan/Felicia Bianchi
- Rich Mendola



# Service Management Competency Center (SMCC)

Joel Thomas

Tiffany Kady

## Agenda

- Communications
- Roadmap
- Phase II Project Updates
  - Request-Lite
  - Configuration Management
  - Incident Management



## Communications Update



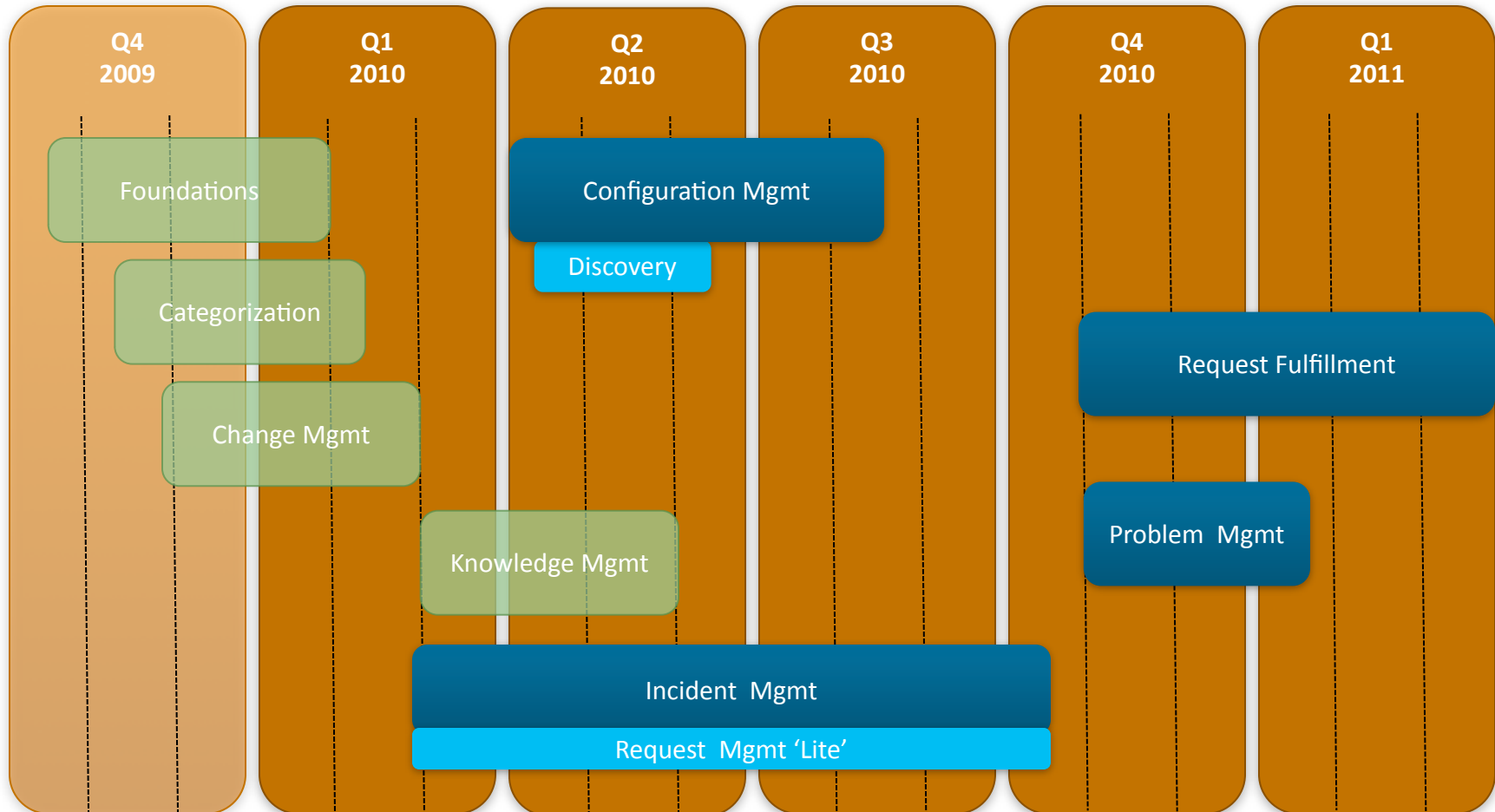
## Communications

- Website [smcc.emory.edu](http://smcc.emory.edu) is LIVE: August 4, 2010
- SMCC News Bulletin to Local-L: July 29, 2010
- SMCC Blackboard site
- Road-Shows 98% complete. Still scheduling.



## Road Map Update

## IT Service Management: Road Map – August 2010







## Request-Lite Update

## Why Request-Lite ?

- It's either **BROKE** or **I NEED IT**
- Request-Lite Scope is only to duplicate existing functionality within Remedy.
- No enhancements until Request Fulfillment goes live.

### Forms currently in Remedy that will be available in Service-now

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Premium Exchange</li><li>• Clean Room</li><li>• iTunes U</li><li>• Sponsored Account</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• DNS</li><li>• Internet</li><li>• Security</li><li>• Learn Link</li></ul> |
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## Configuration Management Update

## Configuration Management

- Project scope change approved:
  - Include the analysis of Remedy Product names to cater for routing and queue management
- Facilitated two Focus Groups:
  - UTS Coordination Team: August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2010
  - Local-L: August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2010
- Development underway: 50% of the functional requirements completed

## Configuration Management

- ART (Architecture Review Team) Review scheduled for Service-now Discovery: August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2010
- Configuration Management Documentation:
  - Blackboard: *Service Management Competency Center* → *Configuration Management*



## Incident Management Update

## Incident Management

- Completed Agile Development Cycle for Phase I
  - Interface, Notifications, Surveys, Reporting, People Data, Integration to KM articles, Hierarchy of People/Support Groups, Service-Desk module
- Begin Agile Development Cycle for Phase II
  - Assignment (Support) Groups, Interface, IT-Alert, Roles and Responsibilities, Routing Rules, Self-Service Website, Mobile View, Clean Room forms

## Incident Management

- Participation Agreement

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**X Out**

Emory Health Care, OIT-Finance, Law School, Office of Research Administration IT



## Incident Management

- Training
  - 153 People Currently Trained on Incident Management Process, Categorization, and Tool Training
  - Sign-up for Training at: [http://smcc.emory.edu/training/training\\_form.php](http://smcc.emory.edu/training/training_form.php)
- Sneak Peek of the Tool (Quick Highlight Overview)
  - Interface
  - SLM Dashboard



# Questions

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# The IT Recommendations Report and the “One IT Initiative”

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Rich Mendola  
August 19, 2010



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# Agenda

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- Background
- Guiding Principles
- Organizational Alignment
- IT Governance
- Assessment phase
- Summary



# Background

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- Several of the chairs and center directors sent a letter to President Wagner expressing their concerns with the discontinuities in the IT support structures at Emory
- As a response to that letter, I was asked by President Wagner to work with the group, along with the EVPs, Tom Lawley and John Fox, on crafting a set of recommendations that would address the group's concerns



# Guiding Principles

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- All members of the Emory Community should be able to obtain high quality, customer focused IT services anywhere within the IT organizational structure.
- Matching the right service with a customer request should be the responsibility of the IT organization and every effort should be made to make this process as seamless as possible.
- Information Technology should be governed through a consistent, transparent and representative process that aligns with Emory's missions and allows for the prioritization of initiatives that cut across missions.
- The Information Technology functions at Emory should report to a single Corporate CIO and should foster an aspiration of being a “uni-versity” rather than a “multi-versity.”

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# Guiding Principles

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- Service offerings will improve if they are assessed by what works best for the customer instead of in the context of what part of the IT organization “owns” the services due to history, location within the University or EHC organization, or funding source.
- From a funding standpoint, every effort should be made to maximize the effectiveness of Emory’s existing IT spend so that savings can be reinvested, and in a context of complete transparency showing all sources and uses of funds. Further investments in IT will need to be done in the context of limited discretionary resources and will require the reallocation of funds from other activities.



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# Organizational Alignment

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- In order to promote a more seamless delivery of IT services, to acknowledge an emphasis on incorporating the research and education missions into the work of the EHC-IS organization, and to clarify the accountabilities to the VP of IT and enterprise CIO, the EHC CIO will now also carry the *additional* title of “Deputy CIO,” with more specific accountability to Emory’s academic mission in the VP of IT’s Office of Information Technology (OIT).



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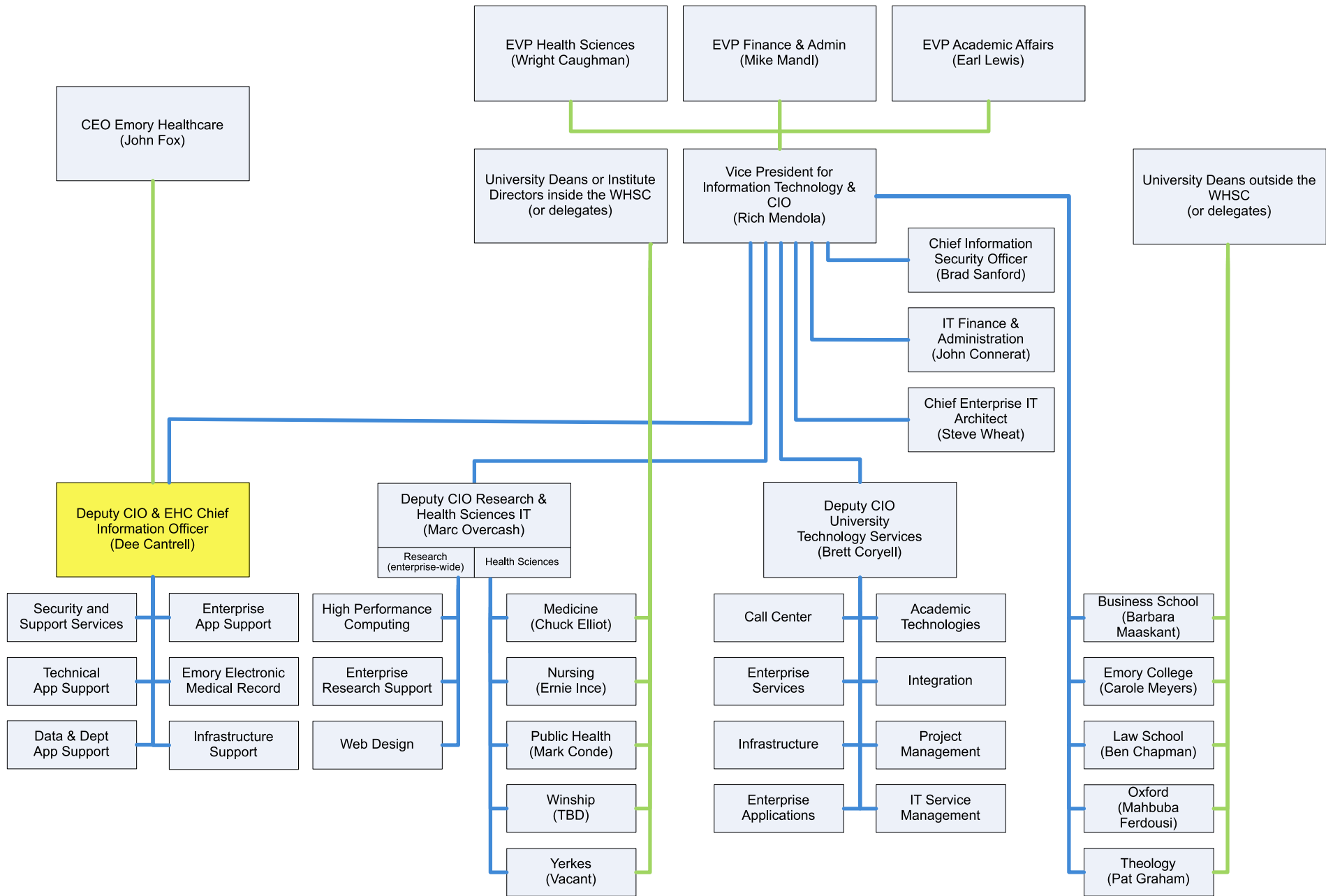


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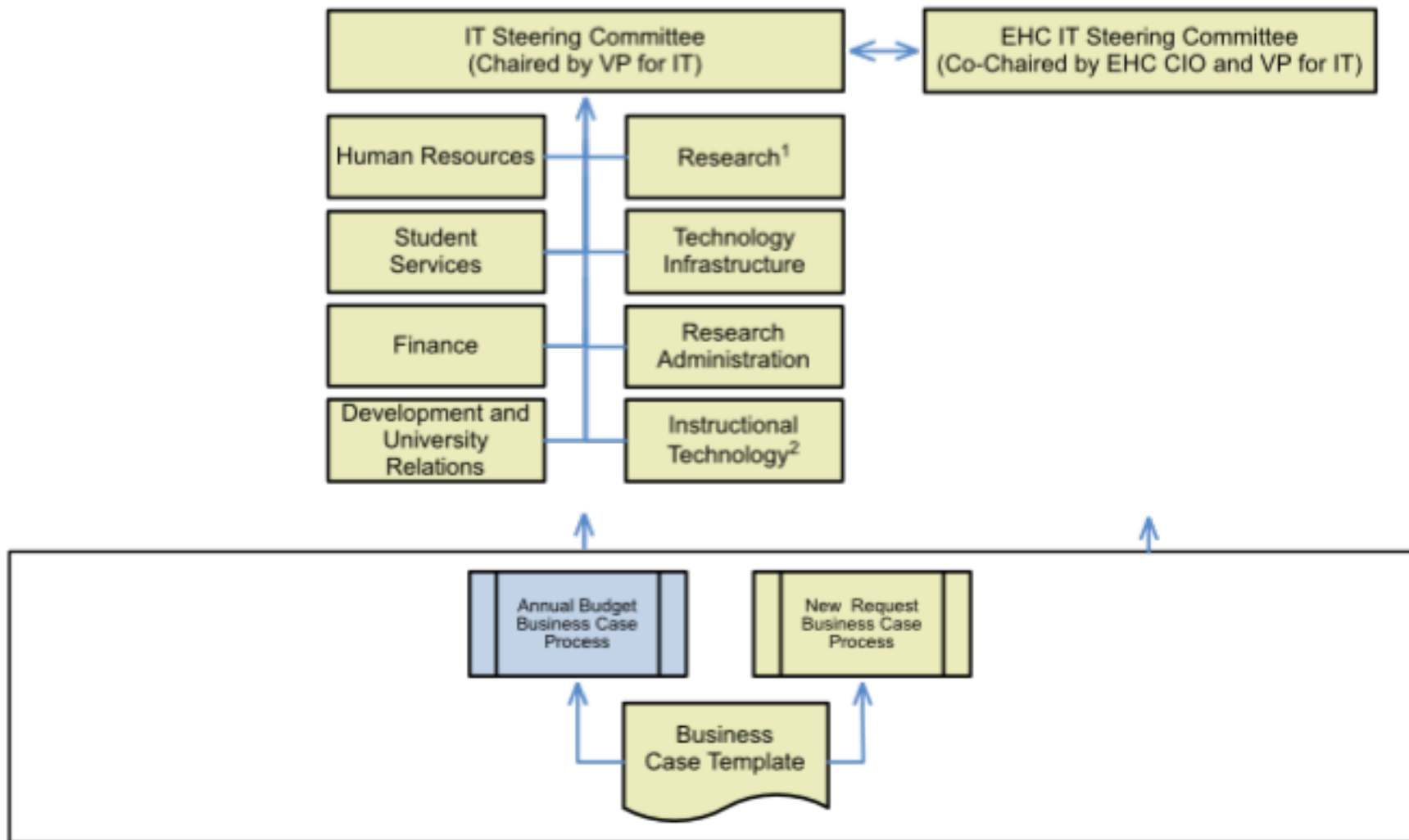


# IT Governance Process Changes

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- All business cases will be documented with the same form, for the sake of consistency. The common form will have explicit questions on whether any given project might have impacts on more than one mission and how the suggested initiative will be configured to maximize the value to those missions.
- All business cases will also be evaluated against a documented, unified IT architecture, operational plan, and common project schedule. This will avoid the introduction of duplicative systems and those that are at odds with our common IT architecture, IT operational plans, or staffing models in any of the IT divisions.
- Business cases will be available on the web for review by Emory faculty or staff who were involved in any part of the IT governance process, thus adding an element of transparency to the identified priorities in IT.





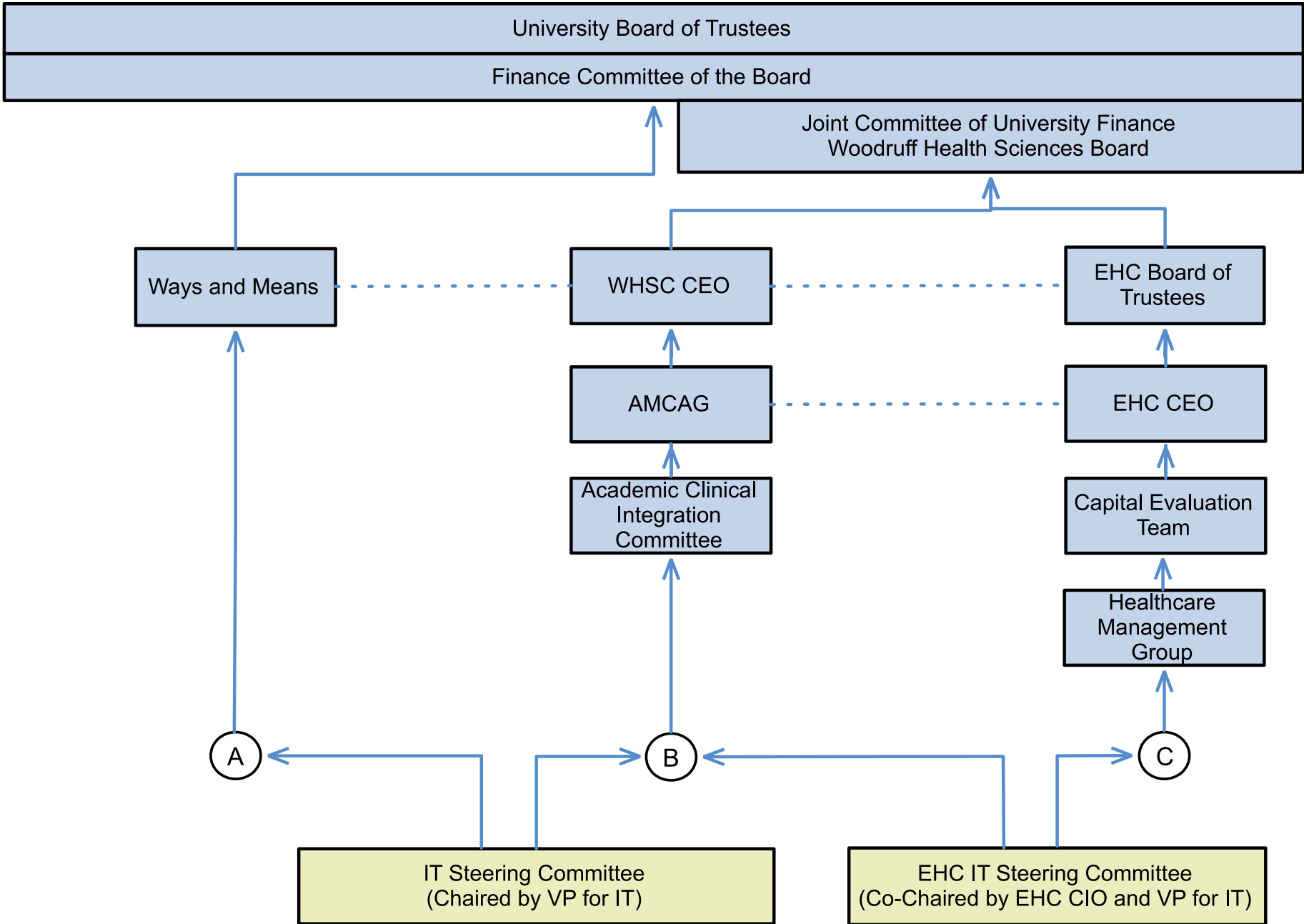
Notes:

<sup>1</sup> The research subcommittee also reports to the ACTSI and CCI steering committees

<sup>2</sup> The Instructional Technology subcommittee receives and provides input into Library governance structures

Executive governance, funding bodies and processes

IT-specific governance, funding bodies and processes



# Assessment Phase

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- President Wagner has approved the report and we have now started our six month assessment phase, focused on:
  - Identifying customer-facing service improvements
  - Reviewing internal IT process improvements that will reduce duplication and create efficiencies that can be reinvested
  - Documenting the IT spend in SOM departments
  - Preparing documentation for the FY12 budget cycle



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# IT Planning Retreat (July 12)

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- Identified focal areas and working groups
  - Identity Management (simplify access; single sign-on)
  - Collaboration (document sharing, wikis, Sharepoint)
  - Help Desk
  - Desktop Management
  - Data Management
  - Network Zone Simplification
  - Architecture/Security Reviews
  - Data Integration
- Agreement that multi-channel communication plan must be a priority



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# Summary

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- The organizational and governance changes outlined in the IT Recommendations report will better align IT with the multiple-mission nature of the institution and will improve the stewardship of our IT expenditures
- Combined with an appropriate level of investment, IT will be poised to realize its full potential



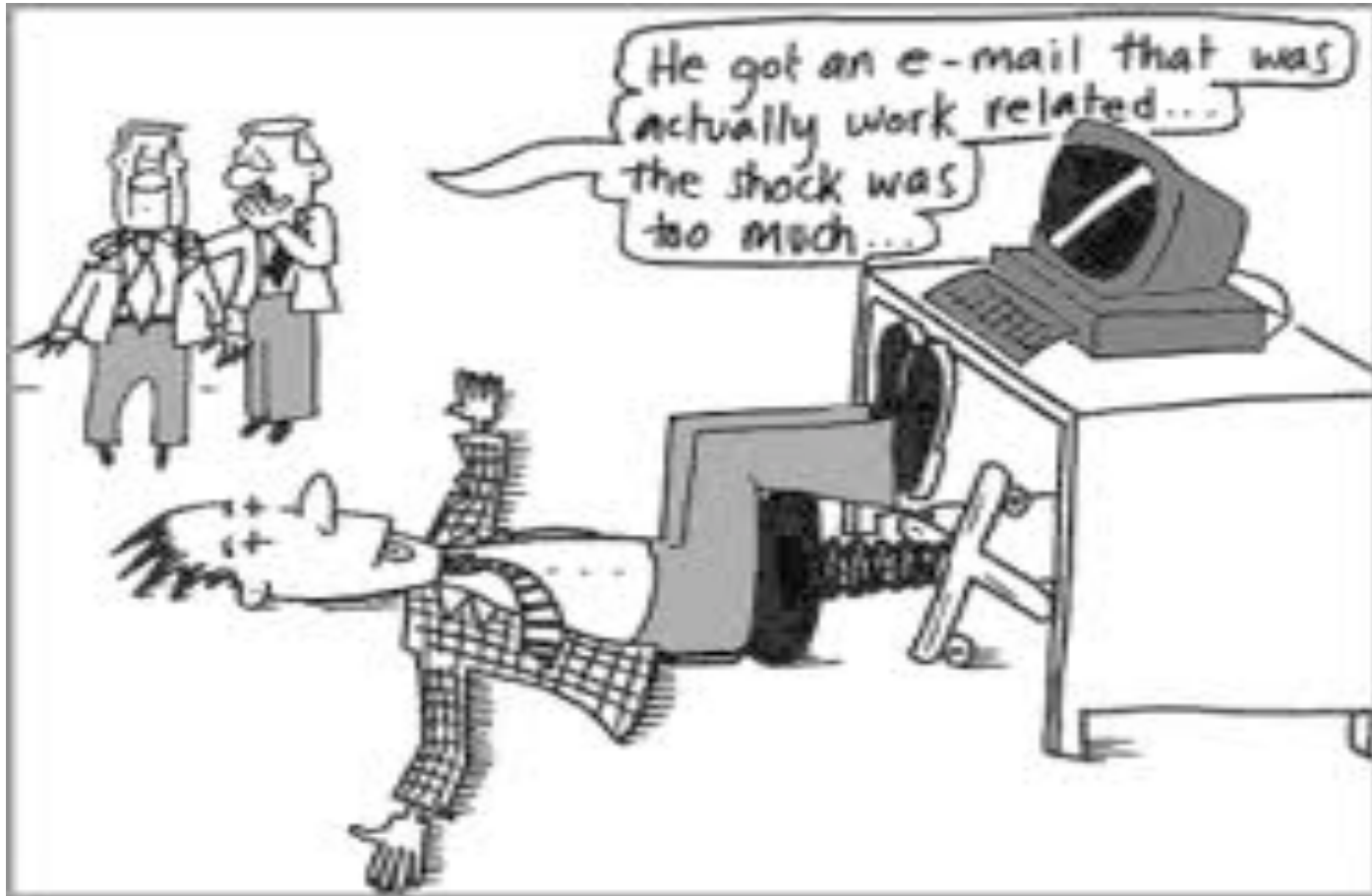


# Exchange 2010 Project

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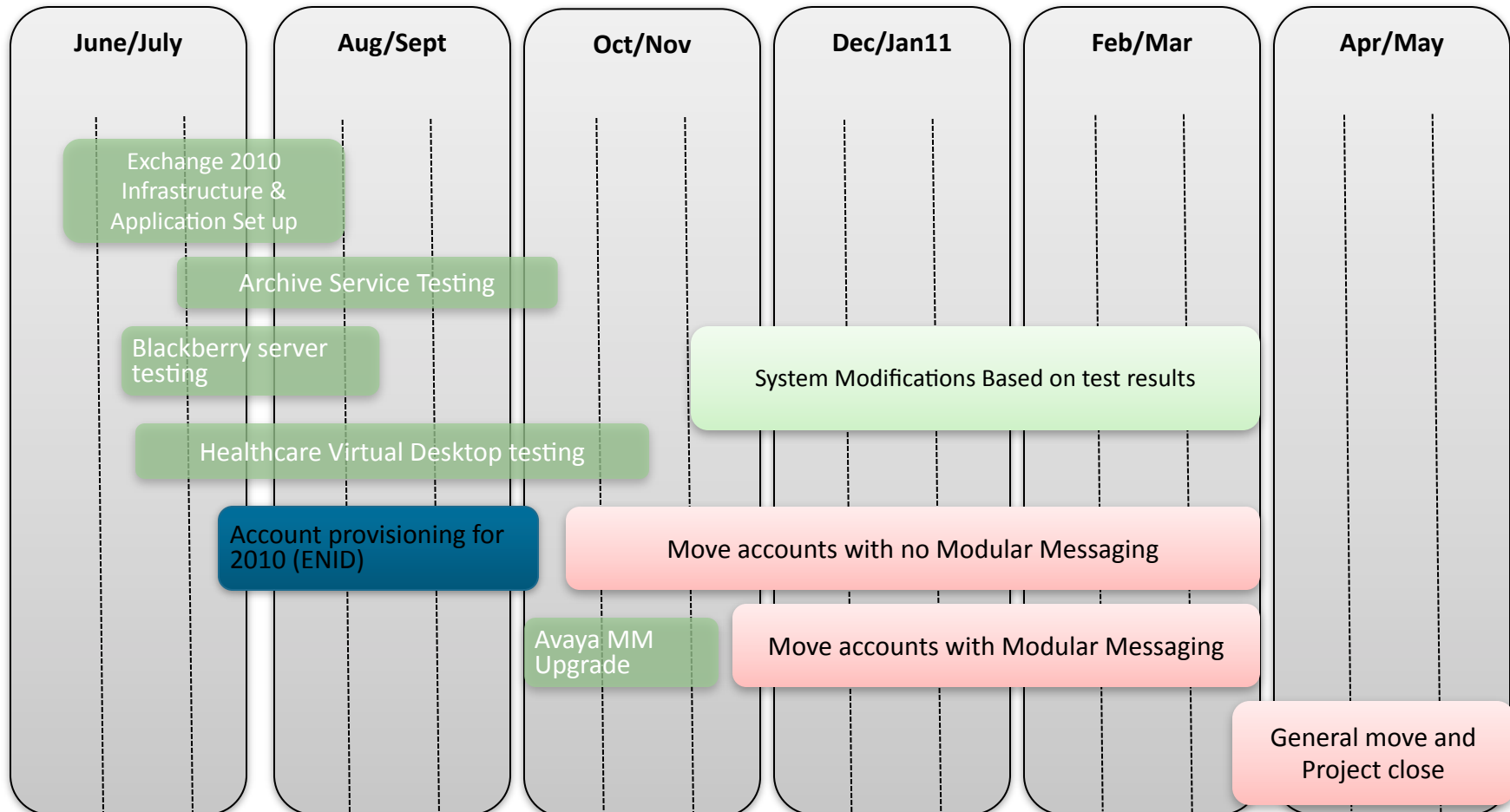




## Monthly Updates

- CAS VIP Upgrade Detail Q&A Meeting
  - Reviewed issues and discussed
- ENID Code Update part one Aug. 14
- EAS Update
- Volunteers
  - Need your names
- Eagle users – may be as early as October

## High level schedule





# Questions



# Eagle Mail Decommission

Or I am finally going to the big  
roost in the sky.....

Jay Flanagan





## Eagle is Dead, Long Live Eagle





## Project Update

- Deleted initial accounts that could be deleted – over 20k+ accounts since last November
  - Regular delete processes
  - Review and deletion of forwarding users
  - Lack of use





## Project Update

- Meeting with schools and departments
- Migrated over 500+ accounts to Exchange and deleted the corresponding Eagle accounts





## Accounts Still in Eagle

- Current total is 10,552
- An estimated 3000+ accounts to be deleted during the fall delete process
- Leaving approximately '7,552' left





# Questions



# Discussion on Removing External Authenticated SMTP

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David Gottschalk

Graham Wells

# Ext. Authenticated SMTP



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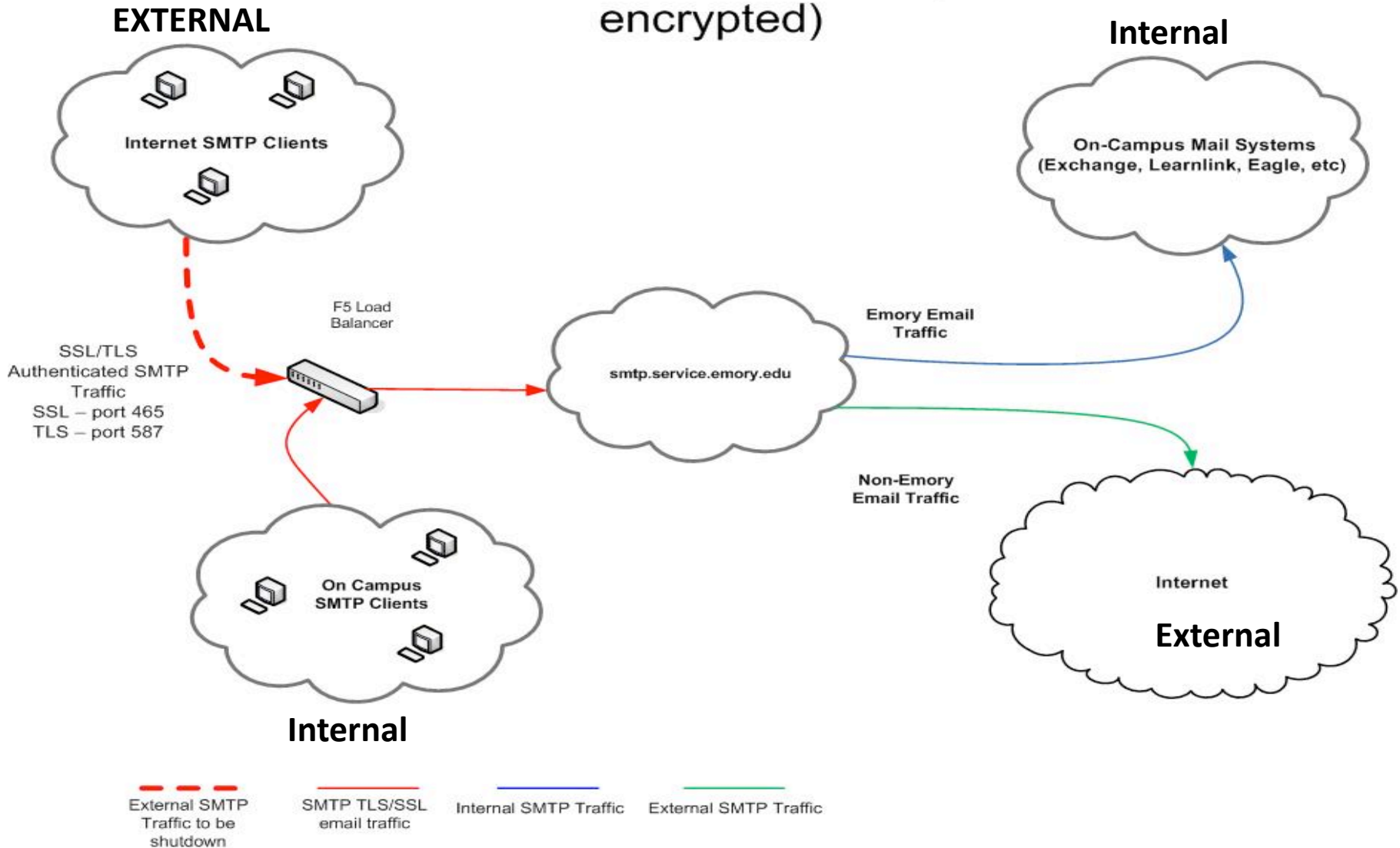
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# Ext. Authenticated SMTP



## External Authenticated SMTP (SSL/TLS encrypted)





- **How does it work?**
  - Can be accessed both internally and externally
  - Allows users who are roaming to send email regardless of physical location
  - Users can send mail as long as they authenticate with their NetID and Password
  - Once authenticated they can send encrypted mail via the SSL (port 465) or the TLS (port 587) via `smtp.service.emory.edu`



- **Why shut this service down?**
  - It is important to note that this service is only being shut down for users accessing from the Internet.
  - To prevent this service from being compromised by hackers as it is exposed directly to the Internet and presents a risk.
  - Phishers have used this service from the Internet to send out large amounts of spam.
  - Our email reputation is hurt on the Internet, and disrupts service for all of Emory (we are often blacklisted by major email domains, Gmail, Hotmail, etc.)



- **What are alternatives?**
  - Non-IMAP Exchange User's are not affected
  - Users will be able to still access this service from Emory's networks, and if they are connected to the VPN.
  - Users who are using this service can alternatively use their ISP's relay
    - Contact ISP to determine relay
    - Reconfigure mail client to use provided relay
  - Some email providers allow authenticated SMTP from anywhere
    - Sign up for account
    - Determine relay server address
    - Reconfigure mail client to use provided relay





# Questions

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