

Joint Committee on Information Technology

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To develop a comprehensive picture of the current architecture of the State of Kansas IT and assess future risk, we have engaged with Truss Works to deliver an inventory of:

- ✓ All digital systems
- ✓ Supporting skill sets and resources
- ✓ Hosting environments

Architecture Inventory Project Outline

Stage 1

Broad inventory of systems and people

Gathered an inventory of 1,300+ systems across the executive branch, spanning 12 cabinet departments and 45 non-cabinet agencies.

Stage 2

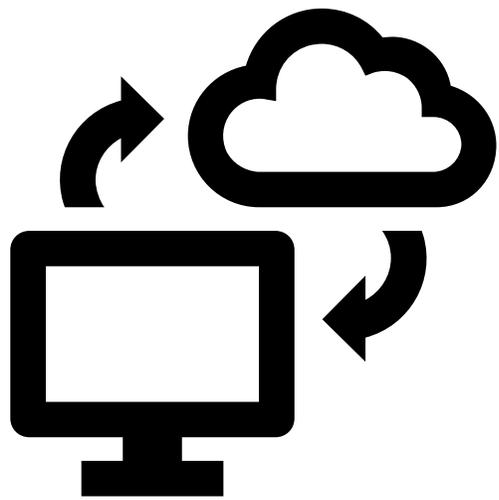
In depth discovery

25 hours of qualitative interviews using a risk assessment questionnaire. Met with teams from all cabinet departments, representative non-cabinet agencies, and within OITS.

Stage 3

Outcomes

- Categorized risk in four categories:
 - Security and Privacy
 - Availability and Access
 - Skills
 - Continuity
- Final Inventory into existing system for future use.



CITA Update

Travis Rail, Chief Information Technology Architect

Chief Information Technology Architect (CITA) position is accountable for proactively and holistically leading the formal Enterprise Architecture (EA) program which includes business, information, solutions, application, technical and security architectures.

- Kansas Technical Architecture Review Board (KTARB)
- Information Technology Executive Council- policies, procedures, data management, strategic direction
- Kansas Information Technology Architecture (KITA) requirements- manages and monitors.

**Travis Rail,
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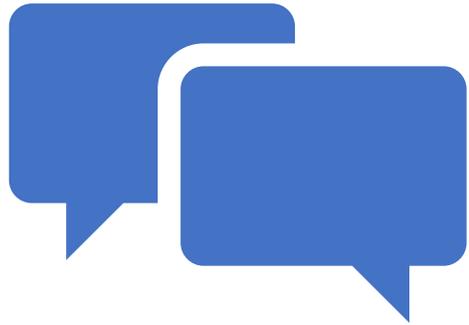


Priorities:

- Increase communication and collaboration
- Expand the role of KITO within the IT enterprise
- Reviving KTARB
- Updating blueprints and standards

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