

## CIS Advisory Committee [Minutes](#) for 2 February 2006

1. CIS students ready for internships. Suggestions for placements?  
[a good list of organizations and ideas, for example;](#)  
[google Seattle times top 100 companies, Zoo, Seattle Art Museum,](#)
2. CISSP review class Spring 6:00 PM Tues. & Thurs (CIS 182). Can you announce at your organizations? Other ways to advertise?  
[Send flyer to Marc and Jeannette & Chambers of Commerce , Technical outreach in WA. state, market to managers to get technical staff signed up,](#)
3. Currently teaching Java (language used to meet requirements for transfer to UW) and introductory VB.NET. Does the local IT industry need C++ training?  
[C#, Web express from Microsoft provides high productivity, C# rather than VB for all but non-professional programmers](#)
4. Multicultural component of our Curriculum: What do employers want students to understand?  
[Increase awareness that traditional cultural assumptions will change, awareness and sensitivity to differences is essential, "The world is Flat", enhance all communication skills in addition to core technical skills](#)
5. TGIF 2/17/06 (quarterly informal CIS student event). Winter event includes a presentation by an IT placement company. Robert Half? Volt? Other?  
[www.bridgwaycareer.com - Dr. Scarborough , \[craigslist.com\]\(#\)](#)
6. Professional Technical Programs Week at SCC included IT related events: auto-tech, bio-tech, bio-medical, public safety, computer illustration, entrepreneurship, digital film making, manufacturing/CNC/CAM, and--**our own**--creating animated, interactive programs (using "Alice").
7. We are working on possible articulation with the Danish EUC West college for IT classes and  
[investigating possible articulation with the new BA of Applied Arts degree from CWU, Lynwood campus](#)

[Next Meeting: 4:00PM, 18 May](#)