ISIT REQUEST 2018:		
Program or Service	COMMUNICATION PROGRAM	
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If you have multiple

requests, please submit multiple forms.

Please share as many details as possible such as room location(s), type of equipment and/or software requested. If you have a cost estimate, that would be helpful, we will contact you for more details.

You will have an opportunity to present your request to the ISIT committee.

I am requesting the following technology or software:

This request is for Communication Full-Time Faculty Offices:

• New computers

Rationale: Our offices have computers that are, in some instances, 7 years old. The Communication Department Foundation Account bought many of these computers years ago, and they are showing their age.

Larger displays to share information with students during office hours, touch screens to more easily navigate through information, faster processors to cut down on wait times, and solid-state drives to speed file access are a few of the technical advancements to find widespread adoption since our current computers were installed.

The Department is moving strongly to adopt Canvas in both hybrid and traditional course delivery and is involved in the e-Lumen pilot. Our computers need to be upgraded to enable our curricular upgrades.