UNT Information Science Seminar, Fall 2025

Can be found online through https://informationscience.unt.edu/research/meetings.html

The UNT Information Science Seminar series is held on **Tuesdays at 11:30 am - 12:50 pm in Discovery Park E265** unless otherwise noted - any deviation is in red. The seminar events are open to anyone, but IS students and faculty are particularly encouraged to attend. All topics are tentative until one week before the event.

Graduate students can receive 1 credit toward graduation by enrolling in <u>INFO 5900/6900-100:</u> <u>Special Problems (Syllabus link here)</u>. Can be repeated for credit. All events with dates/times in red are available for extra credit with recorded attendance.

Date (red if special day/time)	Topic
Aug 26	Stepping through the Syllabus link above for those taking the class for credit. (only for those enrolled or interested in enrolling). Individual meeting with the Chair
Sep 2 DP G150	IS Student Social / mixer Discovery Park G150 (Learning Technologies / Agora room) Food and beverages covered. Be sure to RSVP via Amethyst's email. Online student social for those unable to attend in-person. More details to come (may be crashed by some faculty) Sponsored by: Rita Patterson, Associate Dean for Research, Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine [sponsor statement]
Sep 9 Canceled	Canceled, as students are encouraged to attend the "code & culture" event at 2pm noted below (events outside the seminar time are not required for those taking the seminar for credit, but they are available for extra credit)
Sep 9 2-4pm DP D201	Code & Culture, an Information Science Keynote and Panel Event Dr. Howard S. Rosenbaum (Indiana University), Some Reflections on the Grounds of Social Informatics, followed by a panel discussion on "Bridging the Technical and the Social in Information Science Research." [flier] [schedule]
Sep 16	Creating Serendipity in Science *tentative* Mark V. Albert, Chair, Information Science Director, Biomedical AI Lab [slides]

Sep 23	PhD panel
Sep 30	MS research panel
Oct 7	IS Faculty research presentation TBD
Oct 14	IS Faculty research presentation TBD
Oct 21	IS Faculty research presentation TBD
Oct 28	IS Faculty research presentation TBD
Nov 4	Full IS Council meeting
Nov 11	IS Faculty research presentation TBD
Nov 18	IS Faculty research presentation TBD

Sponsorship statements or videos:

Sep 2

Rita Patterson is covering your food and drink today, so we'll take a few moments to recognize her sponsorship and reflect on her interests and connection with our department. Dr. Patterson is the associate dean for research in the Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine in UNT HSC. She has been working closely with Dr. Albert on a variety of grants and published projects including "Predicting Fall Risk in Older Adults Using Machine Learning" and "Predicting UPDRS Motor Symptoms in Individuals with Parkinson's Disease from Force Plates Using Machine Learning" and "Utilizing Technology and AI Approaches to Facilitate Independence and Resilience in Older Adults." She is always looking for collaborators to help her teams sift through the vast collection of health information collected clinically, and is also working with Dr. Albert on a number of initiatives to do so including a likely Fall meeting at UNT HSC connection HSC and UNT main campus researchers with opportunities to apply their skills to curated health information of interest to HSC clinical researchers.