New Information Technology Director Appointed at Hauptman-Woodward Medical Research Institute

Daniel P. Degnan To Be Responsible for all Facets of the High-Tech Biomedical Facility’s Systems

Daniel P. Degnan has been appointed as the new Director of Information Technology for the Hauptman-Woodward Medical Research Institute (HWI). Degnan previously had served at HWI as a Senior Systems Administrator and prior to that had been a Computer Systems Administrator.

Degnan will be responsible for the overall coordination and direction of the IT department which includes managing team members, all budget-related responsibilities, all network oversight, as well as responsibility for all facets of the hardware and software at HWI including: VOIP, email, servers/desktops/laptops/handhelds, printers, network security, videoconferencing, network cabling and end-user support.

In addition to his current position at HWI, Degnan is a Clinical Laboratory Scientist at Kaleida Health’s Buffalo General Hospital. He previously held a Technical Support Specialist position at Ingram Micro and also had served as a staff Medical Technologist at Koul Laboratory.

Degnan received his bachelor’s degree in medical technology from the University at Buffalo in 1991 and completed the Tech 2000 program at IKON Office Solutions in 2001.

He has earned a number of certifications including: Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer (MCSE), Microsoft Certified Professional (MCP), A+ Certified Professional in hardware and operating systems, and the American Society of Clinical Pathologists Board of Registry.

An active team player, Degnan has served as: a member of the Building Move Committee for HWI; a member of the Stat Lab Implementation Committee at Buffalo General Hospital; an instructor for the Medical Technology and Nursing students in the various daily operations of the Chemistry Laboratory at Buffalo General Hospital and also organized and led a team that was developed to promote National Medical Laboratory Week in 1994 at Buffalo General Hospital.

Degnan resides in Kenmore, New York.

About HWI

Celebrating 50 years of exceptional crystallographic research, HWI is an independent, non-profit facility specializing in the area of fundamental biomedical research known as structural biology. Our team of more than 70 staff members is committed to improving human health by studying the causes of diseases, as well as potential therapies, at their basic molecular level. We are located in the heart of the Buffalo Niagara Medical Campus in downtown Buffalo, New York, in a new state-of-the-art structural biology research center at 700 Ellicott Street. For more information, visit HWI’s website at www.hwi.buffalo.edu or call 716-898-8600.

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