**Executive Summary of Program Assessment**

**Campus:** MU

**College/School:** College of Engineering

**Academic Unit:** Department of Computer Science

**Date Submitted: 0**4/18/13

**Person Responsible for Success of Program:** Dong Xu, Chair

**Person Submitted Executive Summary:**

Patricia Okker, Faculty Fellow for Program Assessment and Accreditation, Office of the Provost

**Degree Programs**

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| **Degree (e.g., BS, MA, PhD)** | **Degree Program** | **Enrollment** | | **Number of Degrees Awarded** | |
| **Most Recent Fall Semester**  **(Fall 2011)** | **5-Year Fall Semester Average** | **Most Recent Academic Year**  **(Fall 2011)** | **5-Year Average** |
| BS/BA | BS in Computer Science, BS in Information Technology, and BA in Computer Science | 458 | 393 | 81 | 65.4 |
| MS | Computer Science | 44 | 43.8 | 12 | 12.6 |
| PhD | Computer Science | 56 | 49.6 | 8 | 5.4 |

**Changes Since Last Review**

* The number of majors has increased by 47% in the last five years, while the number of faculty has been basically unchanged.
* Research expenditures have increased from $1,641,185 in 2007 to $2,921,029 in 2012.

**Strategies or Plans for Improving Program**

* Expand curriculum through use of NTT faculty.
* Encourage new research initiatives with large collaborative teams.
* Improve visibility of department through newsletter and award nominations (both national and international awards).

**Other Comments**

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