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TO: All VSU Faculty and Staff

RE: Introduction of the New LAN messenger

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As we work to improve our network performance and security, and as recommended by the Information & Communication Technology Management Center, we will be discontinuing the use of IPMsg, our LAN messenger that has served us since 2007. Over the years, our network has grown significantly, and unfortunately, IPMsg is no longer optimized for our larger, more segmented network. This has resulted in issues with message delivery and file sharing across different parts of the network.

To ensure smooth communication in our daily operations, we will be introducing a new LAN messenger with enhanced features, including secure file transfers, group chats, instant messaging, video conferencing, polls, announcements, and mobile app compatibility. This upgrade will also allow us to include VITA campuses, as well as VMO and VCO liaison offices, in our instant messaging system.

Our ICTMC technicians will soon begin installing the new messaging app in your respective offices, units, and departments. A demonstration on how to use the app will follow.

For your information and guidance.

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