

NAME: **JAMES C. COLLINS, JR.**

RANK: **SENIOR LECTURER**

PRIMARY FIELD OF TEACHING: **INFORMATION SYSTEMS and OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT**

- A. Education:
 - Highest Degree: MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING
 - Year Earned: 1966
 - Where Earned: SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY
 - Major field of highest degree: INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING
 - Minor: ECONOMICS
- B. Journal articles, proceedings, other publications, and books published during academic years 2005/2006 through 2014/2015.
- C. Papers presented during the academic years 2005/2006 through 2014/2015.
- D. Research in progress.
- E. Professional memberships and offices held during academic years 2005/2006 through 2014/2015.
 - Register Professional Engineer (Texas)
 - American Production and Inventory Control Society
 - (Certified Fellow in Production & Inventory Management)
- F. Significant consulting and community service activities during academic years 2005/2006 through 2014/2015.
 - Faculty Senate Academic Calendar Committee Chairperson on two occasions (service)
 - McCormack & Dodge (consulting)
- G. Major areas of research.
 - Computer software
 - Web Design
 - Production systems
 - Database design and implementation
 - Mathematical Modeling
- H. Honors and awards academic years 2005/2006 through 2014/2015.
 - HOPE (Honoring Our Professor's Excellence) recognition in November, 2007.
 - Distinguished Professor Award from Delta Sigma Pi in April, 2010

Brief Biography:

Jim Collins has been teaching at SMU since 1964. He taught in the SMU School of Engineering from 1964 through 1972 and moved over to the Cox school after that time. While continuing to teach, he started his own consulting firm in 1984, specializing in developing information systems for small businesses. On a part-time basis, he also served as Vice-President of Manufacturing for Dowco Corporation, a metal fabricating firm, from 1985 through 1988.