Managed Print Service (MPS)
Unfortunately the MPS tender process is still progressing and it is hoped that an announcement will be made by the time of this meeting.

Information Security Management System - ISMS
Following feedback received through the ISMS information sessions attended by Faculty and Divisional staff, the project has modified some of its processes. Over the next three months parts of the Faculties of Medicine and Engineering and one divisional unit will be part of a pilot roll out of the system. Lessons learnt from the process will help to further refine the system ahead of the UNSW wide rollout and adoption of the system.

In parallel to the pilot the Faculty of Science will be working with the project co-ordinator to investigate how to introduce and implement the system within the Faculty of Science. Being involved this way allows the Faculty to provide additional feedback and establish background processes tuned to the needs of the Faculty ahead of the planned 2017 rollout.

Further information is available at [http://ISMS.unsw.edu.au](http://ISMS.unsw.edu.au)

IDAM UAT completed
A number of Faculty staff were involved in the user acceptance testing of the new system. The system received mixed reviews and it was commented that the system does provide the basic functionality for end user password resets however it lacks refinement. The end user documentation was reported to be easy to read and along with screen shots was well received.

HPC at UNSW
Funding has been granted for the purchase of 8 million compute hours of HPC processing from the National Computing Infrastructure (NCI) for use over the next 3 months. This allocation will hopefully be the start of a regular 3 month purchase cycle to provide the bulk of UNSW HPC capacity over the next few years.

The allocation will be shared between Engineering, Medicine, Business School and Science. Researchers/projects will be able to apply for access to either move off local systems on to the national facility, expanding existing compute resources used to fast track a research project or introducing new researchers to the facility with appropriate HPC jobs.

This is a step in the plan to remove the need to develop any new on campus HPC systems and expand the current HPC service available to researchers.

2025 – World Class Environments
Below are extracts from a recent presentation explaining the World Class Environment stream and attached is a powerpoint slide listing the current 47 initiatives in order of priority.

“World Class Environments is a critical element of the 2025 Strategy, aiming to develop
and integrate the physical and digital campus”

Vision:
“Provide a sense of place and pride in UNSW. UNSW will have an outstanding set of connected places, physical and digital, where students, staff, alumni, members of the local community and our diverse range of partners can come together to innovate, transform, learn and contribute to society.”

Objectives:

• “Integrate our physical and digital campuses to provide a world-class environment, flexible in adapting to changing circumstances”

• “Provide a campus environment that promotes safety, social engagement and collaboration, and that contributes to environmental sustainability”

• “Provide a holistic, individualised experience utilising physical and digital assets and providing fully integrated services to students and staff”