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Wayne Raskind Begins Role as Director of IDA's Center for Communications Research-Princeton

ALEXANDRIA, VA (September 2020)—Wayne Raskind assumed duties today as Director of IDA's Center for Communications Research-Princeton (CCR-P), one of three research centers that comprise the Center for Communications and Computing, a Federally Funded Research and Development Center managed by IDA.

“Wayne has extensive research and academic experience and has served in numerous faculty and administrative roles at top universities,” said IDA President, Norton A. Schwartz. “He is familiar with Center operations, having participated in SCAMP, a summer program that brings together top PhD mathematicians to bring practical solutions to critical, real-world problems for the Nation.”

Raskind comes to IDA from Wayne State University in Detroit, where he has served since 2012 in the roles of Professor of Mathematics, Associate Provost, and Dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. His area of research is arithmetic algebraic geometry, and his work has been supported by grants and fellowships from the National Science Foundation, National Security Agency, Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique, Alexander von Humboldt Stiftung, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science, and the Mathematical Sciences Research Institute. He replaces David Saltman, who served as the CCR-P Director since June 2007.

Raskind holds a doctoral degree in mathematics from the University of Cambridge and a bachelor's degree in mathematics from the University of Pennsylvania.

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