

## **Kevin Kane**

Kevin Kane is the Associate Director of Enterprise Systems at Wesleyan University. His responsibilities include the student and faculty information system, Wesleyan's internal portal, and integrations. Kevin has been a key partner in establishing change and configuration management, cloud computing best practices, and data governance initiatives at Wesleyan. In his role he is keenly aware of the myriad of challenges facing many of the NERCOMP members. Among them are changes in the fundamental technologies used by the higher education practitioner, increasingly higher expectations of technology, and rising costs. Additionally, institutions are struggling to attract the most capable talent because of stiff competition from the private sector. Kevin believes that NERCOMP is uniquely positioned through its goals and strategic plan to enable its members to meet these challenges through programming, professional development, and collaboration.

Kevin is honored to be considered for membership on the NERCOMP board and is looking forward to contributing to an organization that has been an instrumental part of his development as an IT leader. NERCOMP and its programs have been a crucial part of his professional development, from the new manager series to presenting at the annual conference and mentorship by numerous NERCOMP colleagues. He believes that NERCOMP is a truly unique organization that provides a tremendous value for its members, and he hopes that if elected to the board he can give back to an organization that has provided so much for him.

In addition to his role at Wesleyan, Kevin is a Major in the Connecticut Army National Guard where he has served for the last 12 years. He holds a BS in Computer Science from King's College and an MS in Computer Science from Southern Connecticut State University. Kevin would like to thank his NERCOMP colleagues for their consideration and would be honored to receive their vote.