## Joe Kalinowski

Joe Kalinowski is the Vice President for IT & CIO at Clark University in Worcester, Massachusetts where he is responsible for the application of technology and management of information to help drive the mission of the university. This includes academic and administrative technologies, client support, infrastructure, unified communications, and information security. In addition to his administrative work, Joe previously taught Management of Information Systems in Clark's MBA program. He has been at Clark for nineteen years, in his current role since 2019, and has been a Certified Information Systems Security Professional since 2018. Prior to his time at Clark, Joe worked in Academic Technology at Worcester Polytechnic Institute for nine years. Over his tenure, he has presented at Educause and other regional conferences as well as participating in the Program Committee for Educause and NERCOMP annual conferences, chairing the Security track for NERCOMP in 2015.

Joe's entire career has been dedicated to evangelizing and supporting the use of technology in higher education. His understanding and history in the educational sector, combined with his experience in technology, positions him well to contribute to NERCOMP's mission of fostering collaboration and innovation among educational institutions in the northeast.

Higher education is at a unique point in its history. The landscape is changing, and we must all find new ways to add additional value to our organizations. Collaboration is key. Sharing knowledge is in the DNA of higher education and NERCOMP provides structure to bring the best of our organizations together, to learn from each other, and act as one to deliver efficient resources. Being able to serve member institutions to help them deliver on their missions is a privilege. Joe is proud to have the opportunity to be part of NERCOMP's future, building on its successful past, sharing his experiences, and learning from members. He respectfully asks for your vote to serve the organization that has provided opportunities, knowledge, and relationships to him and to so many others.