

MEMORANDUM

To: Social Security Advisory Board
Subject: Biography of Dr. Ephraim Feig, CEO, Topwhats, Inc.
Date: July 20, 2015



Dr. Ephraim Feig is CEO of Topwhats, Inc., producing cloud based applications and consulting on Information Technology. Previously, he was a political appointee of the Obama administration, serving as Associate CIO for Vision and Strategy at the Social Security Administration (2010-2011); Senior Director of Services Architecture at Motorola (2006-2008); CTO and Chief Marketing Officer of Kintera (2000-2006), a pioneering Cloud-based company he helped start and then take public in 2003; and research scientist and manager at IBM (1980-2000). He is a Fellow of the IEEE, a founding member of the

IEEE Technical Committee on Services Computing, Associate Editor of the IEEE Transactions on Services Computing, and Associate Editor of the International Journal on Web Services Research. Recent professional activities include Chair of the IEEE Technical Committee on Services Computing (2012-2014) and General Chair of IEEE-SERVICES (2009-2015). Dr. Feig served on the board of directors of the San Diego Symphony (2006-2008) and was on advisory boards at IBM, UCSD, USD and CUNY. He has a PhD in Mathematics, has published over 100 technical papers, is an inventor on 33 US patents, and has taught at 8 universities, including Columbia University, the City College of New York, and the State University of New York.