

MICROSOFT IDENTITY MANAGER TRANSITION · HIGHER EDUCATION

Your MIM Transition Window is Open Today.

Extended support ends January 9, 2029. Higher education procurement takes two to three years. Your evaluation needs to start now, or the timeline slips past the deadline.

Jan 12, 2021

Mainstream support ended

Jan 9, 2029

Extended support ends

2-3 years

Higher ed procurement cycle

— WHY ENTRA ID GOVERNANCE IS NOT ENOUGH

You will use Microsoft Entra ID. You will still need Bravura Security for what it does not cover.

Entra ID Governance is cloud-first and Microsoft-centric, the same constraint MIM carries. On-premises provisioning runs through an agent, with less depth in legacy systems, and advanced separation of duties leans on partner tools. For institutions running LDAP, SQL, SAP, Oracle, PeopleSoft, and non-Microsoft directories, migrating from MIM to Entra ID trades one Microsoft-scoped platform for another. Bravura Identity covers what both leave out.

We see the same pattern across the identity governance market. Cloud-first platforms cover your cloud and Microsoft estate well. Broad coverage of your on-premises and non-Microsoft systems is what sets a platform apart.

— THREE OUTCOMES WHEN YOU CHOOSE BRAVURA IDENTITY

01

Broad coverage.

A broad out-of-the-box connector library across Microsoft and non-Microsoft systems. A standard Python connector SDK and customer-verified connectors extend it. Higher education adds a standard Banner pattern.

02

Automated lifecycle.

Rule-driven joiner-mover-leaver workflows across your full environment on your migration timeline, not a vendor mandate.

03

Advanced governance.

Separation-of-duties controls, multi-tier role hierarchies, and affiliation modeling built for complex, decentralized institutions.

Extend beyond MIM. The same migration carries into privileged access with Bravura Privilege and secrets management with Bravura Safe. You modernize identity, privilege, and secrets on one platform and one timeline, not three separate projects.

— PROOF POINT: HIGHER EDUCATION

APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY

"We used this moment of temporary chaos to not just fix IAM, but to make the university work better together."

Matt McNaney, IT Manager, IAM, Appalachian State University

Source: Appalachian State University IAM case study, published at bravurasecurity.com

NEXT STEP

Modernize Your Higher Education Identity and Privileged Access Program

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