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Sylvester joined the Center in 1989. As former Director, Technology Innovation Projects, he served as a resource to the Center for internal project leaders and for technology strategy. From 1993 to 1999, he served as Director of Information Technology. During his time at CCL, he has also worked as a Research Associate in what was formerly the Innovation and Creativity Group.

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