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“Hot” Topics in Information Security

Topics for future InfoSec Working Group meeting:

- Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI)
- Classified in the Electronic Environment
- Destruction Equipment and EPL
- Operational Technology



Security &
Think.
Assess.
Protect. **YOU**

Controlled Unclassified Information

Challenges:

- Identifying the entity at the contractor sites who will implement CUI policies.
- Acquiring resources to implement CUI.
- Partnerships with other agencies who already implement CUI requirements (e.g., DoD).
- CUI impacts on tools shared with others within the NSE (e.g., PRIME, Titus Marking Tool on ESN).



Electronic Environment

InfoSec policies in the electronic environment:

- Marking requirements in the electronic environment:
 - How to mark complex files?
 - How to address older files?
 - Opportunity to implement consistently at sites?
- Change in audit/assessment strategies?



Destruction Equipment for Classified

National Security Agency Evaluated Products List:

Discuss ways to effectively monitor the NSA's EPL:

- No notice when EPLs are updated
- No change history provided, requiring sites to reconcile the lists manually to identify changes.

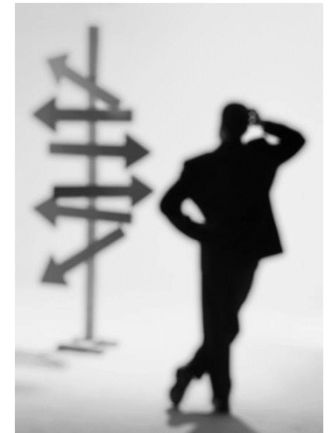


The screenshot shows the website for the Center for Storage Device Sanitization Research (CSDSR). The header includes the NSA/CSS logo and the tagline "Defending our Nation. Securing the Future." Below the header is a navigation menu with links for "About Us", "What We Do", "News & Features", "Resources", "Join our Team", "Doing Business With Us", and a "VENDOR PAGE" button. The main content area is titled "Center for Storage Device Sanitization Research" and includes a "Background" section, "Evaluated Products Lists" section, and "Evaluated Products List PDF" section. The "Evaluated Products Lists" section lists three documents: "NSA/CSS Storage Device Sanitization Manual" dated 4 December 2020, "NSA/CSS Evaluated Products List for Hard Disk Destruction Devices" dated January 2021, and "NSA/CSS Evaluated Products List for Magnetic Degaussers" dated January 2021.

Operational Technology

Equipment with storage capabilities- volatile vs. non-volatile memory:

- Policies for management of this equipment at your site.
 - Roles of S&S organizations?
 - Roles of Cyber Security organizations?
- Equipment with non-volatile memory, what processes are being implemented to authorize clearing procedures?
- How are sites dispositioning this equipment?



Stay Tuned.....

Working group meeting will be
scheduled to discuss these topics!



Questions?

