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  "Public and Private Cloud Network Security: Mitigating Virtual Machine Vulnerabilities"
  
  **Date:** May 13, 2015  
  **Time:** 12 noon  
  **Location:** Rush Building  
  **Room:** 014

**Abstract:**  
VM security is a major issue for both public and private cloud deployments. Virtual Machines may have particular risks regarding data at rest and in motion, and the credentials and certificates that protect them. The risks to VMs increase as IT's control over their compute environments decreases. This talk highlights some of those risk factors and presents an approach to mitigate them.

**Click link to read full story and see video**

Sources Claims Attack on White House Unclassified System by Russia

As late as last October, the White House noticed suspicious activities on its unclassified network. Sources claim hackers working for the Russian government was able to breach the White House unclassified system and was able to receive sensitive information including the president's non-public email parts in real-time. Even though the unclassified system is not a high priority as the classified system, this information is still considered valuable to foreign spys.

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Overcoming Shame to Address Cyberbullying

Speaking bravely about her now infamous scandal with then President Bill Clinton that came out to the public through social media in 1998, Monica Lewinsky courageously speaks about this painful experience. Admitting her past mistakes, addressing cyber bullying and public shaming through social media, Monica Lewinsky today is now a more confident and stronger woman because of it.

**Click link to read and view video of Monica’s Story**

Scholarship Opportunity for current Cybersecurity students:

- CSX North America by ISACA Student Scholarship 2015 Info
- 2015 ISACA Scholarship Competition

Ex-Spies, Ex-Governmental Military Personnel Sought Out To Combat Cyber Hacking

Cyber hackers are responsible for stealing over 1 billion personal records last year from businesses alone. Cyber security companies are aggressively hiring hundreds of ex-governmental spies, ex-military personnel and those from the intelligence community with excellent hacking skills to combat this problem. This strategy is expected to bring in more than $48 billion in revenue this year.

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Past Events:

1. **April 13, 2015** - Big Data, Cybersecurity & Privacy
2. **March 31, 2015** - The Future of Digital Money Laundering
3. **March 26, 2015** - Data Privacy Technology Challenges in 2015