

## CIA Triad

Confidentiality



Confidentiality

- permitting authorized access to information while at the same time protecting it from improper disclosure.

Integrity

- property of info whereby it is recorded, used, and maintained in a way that ensures its completeness, accuracy, internal consistency, & usefulness for a stated purpose.

Availability

Systems & data are accessible at the time users need them.

## Privacy

• the right of an individual to control the distribution of info. about themselves.

- Privacy legislation can impact companies regardless of location.
- In 2016, the EU passed legislation that addresses personal privacy, deeming it an individual human right
- EU's General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) - Applies to anyone dealing with or in the EU, on top of national & state-level laws.

## Risk Management

- Evaluate risk,
- Implement security controls to mitigate risk.

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Impact

- Cyberattacks,
  - malware
  - social engineering
  - denial of service
- Other
  - fire
  - violent crime
  - nat. disasters

If a pickpocket is threatened, their technique and approach is their attack vector.

## Ex. of Threat & Impact.

- Unauthorized charges on your credit card.
  - don't store credit info on phone or browser
- mitigation
- multi-factor authentication

## Booking Vacation

Threat: Bad weather cancelling cruise.

Mitigation: Travel Insurance to transfer risk

## Protecting Information

PII - Personally identifiable information

- Information that, when combined with other pieces of data, significantly narrows the possibility of association with more individuals.

## Making Connections

### Threats to CIA trial

- Sharing password
  - could lead to various individuals deleting company files or intro. of software full of malware.
- Remote workers laptop left unlocked and/or unattended.
  - could lead to compromised integrity.
- Power outage
- Fires
  - \* Can destroy digital/analog info.

### Solution

Assessments of technical, human and environmental threats must be completed, then steps to mitigate those risks could be put in place

## Code of Ethics

States that information security professionals must act honorably, honestly, justly, responsibly, and legally.

- Violating the code of ethics is not acceptable.

## Authentication

### Confidentiality

When users have stated their identity, it's necessary to validate that they are the rightful owners of that identity. Verifying or proving the user's identification is called authentication.

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Common methods of auth.

- Something you know: passwords or pass phrases
- Something you have: tokens, memory cards, smart cards
- Something you are: Biometric, measurable characteristics

## Privacy in the Working Environment

- Information has different levels of confidentiality
- Different regions have different policies on personal information.

Privacy of Medical Info. ~~in U.S.~~

• governed by HIPAA

## Risk Management Terminology

- An asset: is something in need of protection
- A vulnerability: is a gap or weakness in those protection efforts.
- A threat: something or someone that aims to exploit a vulnerability to thwart efforts.

## Professional Code of Conduct

### ISC2 Code of Ethics Preamble:

- The safety & welfare of society and the common good, duty to our principles, and duty to each other require that we adhere to the highest ethical standards of behavior.
- Therefore, strict adherence to this code is a condition of certification

### ISC2 Code of Ethics Canons:

- Protect society, the common good, necessary public trust and confidence, and the infrastructure.
- Act honorably, honestly, justly, responsibly, & legally
- Provide diligent & competent service to principles.
- Advance & protect the profession.

## Decision Making Based on Risk

### Prioritizing

- Organizations must evaluate the likelihood and impact of the risk as well as their tolerance for different sorts of risk.
- Determining risk tolerance is up to the executive management and board of directors.

### Importance of Risk Management

- A threat can harm an asset by exploiting a vulnerability
- In order to mitigate the risk associated with a threat, it is recommended to evaluate how likely an event is to take place and take appropriate actions to mitigate the risk associated with the threat.

### Importance of Governance Elements

Regulations and associated fines can be imposed by governments at the national, regional or local level

Organizations with a presence in multiple jurisdictions must comply with the most restrictive regulations.

Standards cover a broad range of issues and ideas ~~issues~~

ISO - Internat'l. Org. for Standardization

NIST - Nat'l. Institute of Standards & Tech

IETF - Internet Engineering Task Force

### Risk Identification

- Recurring process of identifying different possible risks, characterizing them, and then estimating their potential for disrupting the organization.
  - Identify risk to communicate it clearly
  - employees at all levels are responsible for identifying risk.
  - identify risk to protect against it
- Security professionals are likely to assist in risk assessment at a system level, focusing on process, control, monitoring or incident response & recovery.

### Governance Elements

- Procedures are the detailed steps to complete a task that support departmental or organisational policies.
- Policies are put in place by organizational governance, such as executive management, to provide guidance in all activities to ensure that the organization supports industry standards and regulations
- Standards are often used by governance teams to provide a framework to introduce policies & procedures in support of regulations
- regulations are ~~imposed by government~~ ~~regulations~~ commonly issued in the form of laws, usually from government and typically carry financial penalties for non-compliance