

The George Washington University  
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America the Cyber-Vulnerable

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736 Phillips Hall, GW Academic Center, 801 22<sup>nd</sup> St. NW, Washington, DC

"... Spies can operate remotely from anywhere in the world over cyberspace. Operatives have already shown their ability to penetrate power plants, steal submarine technology, rob banks, and invade the Pentagon's secret communications systems. As the ... inspector general of the National Security Agency, Joel Brenner knows first hand about the new faces of war and espionage and the dangerous implications for government, business, and all of us." -- <http://thedianerehmshow.org/shows/2011-10-03/joel-brenner-america-vulnerable>

This description accompanied Mr. Brenner's appearance on the Diane Rehm show over a year ago. He will provide and update this information. He will also provide his opinions on what has happened since and what will happen in the future, and why, at this event.



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