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## Monthly Meeting September 25, 2019

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Please respect the speakers and other members,

Silence or turn off cell phones and electronic devices,

No video or audio recordings.

Questions are welcome; please keep them on-topic and brief. Further discussion should be taken off-line with the presenters so as to allow them the courtesy of being able to finish their presentations within the allotted time without being rushed.

Sidebar discussions should be constrained. If you must discuss something, allow your fellow members (and the presenter) the courtesy of doing so outside or on break.

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## Agenda / Announcements

- Welcome to The Hub Spot
- Any guests or new members in attendance?
- (ISC)<sup>2</sup> CPE Submissions – Individual Responsibility
- CISSP Chapter Badges / Shirts and Jackets with ISSA-Central MD Logo
- CISSP & Study Group
- Future Meeting schedule

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## 2020-1 CISSP Study Group



**Start: February 18, 2020**

**End: May 19, 2010**

**UMBC Training Center**

**Review and Practice Exam**

**14 Sessions Total**

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# ISSA Central MD Chapter Morning Breakfast Meeting

Sponsored by: GuidePoint Security

Tuesday, October 8, 2019  
8:00 AM to 10:00 AM

The Hub Spot

6724 Alexander Bell Drive, Suite 105, Columbia, MD 21046



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## ISSA Central MD Chapter October Monthly Meeting

Sponsored by: Jazz Networks &  
LogRhythm

Jazz  Networks

Wednesday, October 16, 2019  
5:00 PM to 7:00 PM

 **LogRhythm**<sup>®</sup>  
The Security Intelligence Company

**National Electronics Museum**  
1745 West Nursery Rd, Linthicum MD 21090

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# 2019 Central Maryland Chapter of ISSA Board of Directors Elections

## Election Held at 20 November Meeting

### Secretary

- **Vacant**
- Record and keep minutes of meetings
- Maintain the official records of the Chapter.
- Transmit and respond to all correspondence of the Chapter,
- Make official records available to members upon request.

### Vice President of Professional Development:

- **Vacant**
- Recommend, initiate, and oversee programs for professional development to include monthly meetings, security conferences / seminars, and interaction with peer organizations
- Work with the VP of Outreach to schedule any speakers identified by that officer
- Evaluate and organize any career development events.

### Treasurer:

- **Vacant**
- Receive membership dues
- Keep an accurate account of all treasury receipts, expenditures, and deposits as well as other monies or articles of value belonging to the Chapter

### Vice President of Operations:

- **Incumbent - Sidney Spunt**
- Attend to the duties of the President in his / her absence
- Attend to any other duties as the President may require

**If interested and would like to know more, please email the secretary at [secretary@issa-centralmd.org](mailto:secretary@issa-centralmd.org)**



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2019 ISSA INTERNATIONAL SUMMIT

# Making Security a Top Priority

Join cyber security professionals from around the world on October 1 - 2, 2019, in Irving, Texas, for the 9th annual ISSA International Summit

October 1 - 2, 2019 | Irving, Texas

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# Central Maryland ISSA Chapter Information Security Conference

**SAVE THE DATE!!**

Looking for Speakers and Sponsor

January 29, 2020

8:30-4:00 pm

USRA, 7178 Columbia Gateway Drive, Columbia, Md

Cost: \$100, \$90 for ISSA Members

More details soon!!

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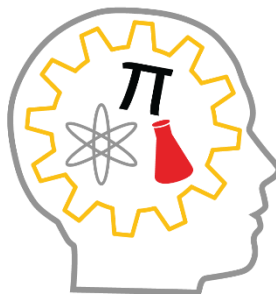


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# Central Maryland ISSA Chapter Maryland STEM Festival October 11<sup>th</sup> – November 10<sup>th</sup>

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## 2<sup>nd</sup> State-Wide Virtual HS Cybersecurity Competition

Test your cyber knowledge against  
High School students across the state!  
Teams will consist of 4 students.  
Bring your laptop. Prizes for the  
winners!!!



November 2, 2019  
12:00-4:00 PM  
All Over Maryland

<http://marylandstemfestival.org/>

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## ISSA 2017-2018 Meetings and Events

Date	Speaker	Organization	Topic
September 25, 2019	Branko Bokan	DHS	.govCAR: Threat Based Cyber Capability Review
October 8, 2019	Jonathan Villa	GuidePoint Security	A Security Walkthrough of IAM in Light of Data Breaches in the Cloud
October 16, 2019	Charles Finrock Darren Cathey	Jazz Networks LogRhythm	Taking a holistic approach to an insider threat program Security Operations Maturity Model (SOMM)
November 20, 2019	Michael Long II	Mitre ATT&CK Team	Threat Informed Defense with MITRE ATT&CK™
December 18, 2019			

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## October 8, 2019 Speaker **Jonathan Villa, Practice Director, Cloud Security at GuidePoint Security**

Jonathan Villa has over 19 years of experience as a technology consultant including 17 years of working experience in the information security field. For over 10 years Jonathan consulted to a large municipality as a senior consultant in several competencies including PCI compliance and training, web application architecture and security, vulnerability assessments, trained developers in secure coding, web application firewall administration, and co-architected and managed an automated continuous integration environment that included static and dynamic code analysis for over 150 applications deployed to several distinct environments and platforms. Jonathan has worked with virtualization and cloud technologies since 2005 and his main focus has been on cloud security since 2010. Jonathan has worked with clients across the USA, in South America, and Asia to design and implement secured public and hybrid cloud environments, integrate security into continuous integration and continuous delivery methodologies, develop custom security solutions using the AWS SDK, and provide guidance to customers in understanding how to manage their environments under the Shared Responsibility Model.

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October 8, 2019

## **A Security Walkthrough of IAM in Light of Data Breaches in the Cloud**

Identity has become the new perimeter in the world of api-driven infrastructures (cloud computing). Understanding the challenges and complexity of least privilege is critical to securing your organization against data breaches in the cloud.

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September 25, 2019 Speaker

## **Branko S. Bokan, Department of Homeland Security**

Branko Bokan is a Cybersecurity specialist with the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA) at the Department of Homeland Security (DHS). In his role, Branko assists federal agencies to adopt the .govCAR methodology. A proud holder of all three ISC2 CISSP concentrations (ISSAP, ISSEP, ISSMP), Branko also teaches cybersecurity as an adjunct professor at a local university.

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## **.govCAR: Threat Based Cyber Capability Review**

There's policy, and then there's reality. All too often, security teams find their efforts overridden or bypassed. Here's some unconventional wisdom and tips on how to engage your stakeholders and keep your program moving forward. The Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA) developed the .govCAR methodology to take a threat-based approach to cybersecurity risk management. .govCAR represents an evolution in managing cybersecurity —an advancement from the traditional consequence (compliance) and vulnerability (cyber hygiene) based approaches. This next-generation approach looks at cybersecurity capabilities the same way an adversary does to directly identify areas where mitigations should be applied for best defense. .govCAR creates opportunities for organizations to make their own threat-informed risk decisions and develop a prioritized approach to reducing risk to known threats. .govCAR is vendor agnostic and does not evaluate specific vendors or products.

The speaker will walk the audience through the concept of threat-based architecture reviews and will discuss how cybersecurity threat framework and architectural cybersecurity capabilities come together to allow organizations to improve their cybersecurity posture.

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