CSU Policy Project

What is it?

This is an attempt to develop a set of common policies relating to information security and privacy that will apply to the entire CSU.

It consists of three key draft documents:

1. Responsible Use Policy – describes the proper use of information resources by CSU faculty, staff, and students.
2. Information Security Policy – policies related to access to and protection of campus information and technology resources
3. Information Security Standards – detailed set of procedures that campuses will be required to follow to assure that policies are carried out

Why now?

Response to the embarrassing “hacking” incidents that have affected many campuses including some within the CSU; has been under discussion for many years.

How does it affect us?

At the moment, these are drafts. However, if adopted, the security documents in particular may require CSUCI to change some business processes and to put significantly more resources towards information security than we have in the past.

CSUCI Response

Campuses have been requested to engage in a broad-based process to communicate these drafts broadly on campus and to collect responses to the draft that will be considered in developing the final policy. All responses must be collected and provided to the CO by March 2, 2009.

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