OCTOBER IS
National Cyber Security Awareness Month
OUR SHARED RESPONSIBILITY

The University of Arizona is once again participating in National Cyber Security Awareness Month (NCSAM) as a NCSAM Champion. The UA Information Security team takes its responsibility to the UA community seriously, particularly when it comes to identifying and mitigating risks to UA information assets.

While security threats are ubiquitous and ever-changing, you, as UA faculty and staff, have the power and responsibility to protect assets entrusted to you. Our team is here to make it easier for you to do so.

This month’s newsletter highlights the many resources provided by our team and on our website and social media pages, as well as tools and resources provided by other NCSAM champions.

WE CAN’T DO THIS ALONE
WE NEED YOU

SECURITY.ARIZONA.EDU
BEEN THERE LATELY?

We recommend visiting our website often, as we are always updating our content in response to the latest threats and security trends. Here are a few items you may want to bookmark.

FRONT PAGE
Our front page has a new Security Tip of the Day every morning. Other items on our front page include:

- **Spotlight**: News items on the latest threats, tips for keeping your information secure, or a new security awareness campaign or initiative.
- **Phishing Alerts**: This is one of the most active spots on our website. When we receive a phishing report from campus, we post the report here. You can view all phishing alerts, or subscribe to the alert feed, and have alerts delivered to your mailbox.
DID YOU KNOW?

UA faculty and staff are required to complete All-Employee Security Awareness Training. To access and complete this training, click here.

SECURITY FOR FACULTY AND STAFF

We have designed this page to provide all UA employees with the information they need to not only protect University information assets, but also to secure their home devices. Here you will find links to security by topic, policy and guidance, FREE computer security resources for faculty and staff, and All-Employee Security Awareness Training.

THINK!

SECURITY AWARENESS CAMPAIGN 2014-2015

UA Information Security is launching a new student security awareness campaign this month. You should be seeing flyers, table toppers, brochures and handouts urging members of our community to THINK! Before they click, post, reply, share, etc.

Interested in having materials to provide to your students? Would you like to have an information security expert speak to your class about online security, phishing, etc.? Please contact us (621-8476 or infosec@email.arizona.edu).

Even though the materials are geared toward students, faculty and staff can benefit from the campaign information as well. Check out the webpage.

Come and visit our tent on the mall Friday, October 10, 2014 from 10 am-2 pm, and pick up something fun and informative.

Thanks to The Office of the CIO and the IT Student Advisory Board (ITSAB) for their support of this important campaign.

SECURITY RESOURCES FOR UA DEPARTMENTS

(AND THEY’RE FREE!)

DESKTOP BACKGROUNDS AND SCREENSAVERS:
Our office can provide your department with images that can be used as desktop backgrounds or screensavers. If you are looking for ways to reinforce security messages in an attractive way, please contact us at infosec@email.arizona.edu.

DEPARTMENT BROWNBAG SESSIONS AND PRESENTATIONS:
Would you like a “security refresher,” or is your office concerned about a particular topic? Please contact our office (621-8476; infosec@email.arizona.edu), and we can schedule a session.

FLYERS AND BROCHURES:
Our latest flyers and brochures can be found on our THINK! Campaign page. Feel free to print these materials for posting and distribution, or contact our office to receive the materials.
MORE RESOURCES FROM NCSAM CHAMPIONS

STAYSAFEONLINE.ORG – TIP SHEETS
- Internet Safety and Security Tips for Parents
- STOP. THINK. CONNECT. TIPS & ADVICE

STAYSAFEONLINE.ORG AND EMC2/RSA – RISK CALCULATORS
As long as we are breathing, there is risk. However, if we understand what behavior or circumstances are “risky,” we are better able to mitigate that risk. Take a few moments to use these “calculators.” These can help you identify where risk mitigation should be focused.
- Online Identity Risk Calculator
- Workplace Security Risk Calculator

FREE SECURITY CHECK UPS
A variety of NCSAM champions have provided free security checkups for your computer. NOTE: Feel free to use these on your home computer. DO NOT use these on your work computer without first checking with your local IT support.
- Security Check Ups

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