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BC Gov web resources

Spotting a Fake Quiz: <https://bcgov.github.io/SecurityAwareness/June2021Quiz/index.html>

Awareness Website: <http://www.gov.bc.ca/InformationSecurityAwareness>

Our awareness theme for June is: *"It's phishing season for cybercriminals...Don't take the bait!"*

"Malicious hackers and scammers are getting craftier at creating and sending phishing emails that trick even the most cautious users." In fact, recent studies show that **91% of information security breaches begin with a phishing scheme** of some kind. With so many high-profile phishing and ransomware attacks that are costing companies, organizations, and individuals millions of dollars, one point is very clear: **it's phishing season for cybercriminals.**

If we all learn to recognize and avoid the phishing bait, we can make phishing unprofitable and a waste of time for the criminal.

Let's put an end to phishing season.

- Have a contest and challenge your team with the [June Phishing Quiz](#)
- Send your colleagues the 'Phishing Season: Don't Take the Bait' Poster (attached)
- Share our "[5 ways to spot a phishing email](#)" Video
- Watch (or view) iluli's "[What Is Phishing and How to Avoid the Bait](#)" Video
- Check our [Information Security Awareness](#) website for the latest information and updates.

SharePoint sites (requires a BCeID – all Security Services clients should have access)

Security Threat and Risk Assessments (STRA) SharePoint -

<https://citiz.sp.gov.bc.ca/sites/ES/ISB/VRM/GPS-STRAS/SitePages/Home.aspx>

Vulnerability and Risk Management SharePoint -

<https://citiz.sp.gov.bc.ca/sites/ES/ISB/VRM/vulnerability-reports/SitePages/Home.aspx>

Security Awareness SharePoint -

<https://citiz.sp.gov.bc.ca/sites/Shared/Program/SecAware/SitePages/Home.aspx>

Events

Miscellaneous events – multiple dates

<https://www.meetup.com/>

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/d/online/security/>

<https://www.scmagazine.com/home/events/webcasts/>

<https://www.scmagazine.com/home/events/virtual-conferences/>

<https://securityscorecard.com/blog/best-cybersecurity-conferences-to-attend-in-2021>

ISACA

ISACA VICTORIA: Diversity in Tech Careers and What Province of BC and BC Tech are Doing,
Thurs, June 24, 2021 at 12:00 PM

https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/diversity-in-tech-careers-and-what-province-of-bc-bc-tech-are-doing-tickets-158270694909?aff=odeimcmailchimp&mc_cid=42418eea76&mc_eid=a779e3cbbc

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ISACA VANCOUVER: Day in the life of a SIEM analyst Tickets, Thu, 27 May 2021 at 5:00 PM

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/isaca-vancouver-day-in-the-life-of-a-siem-analyst-tickets-154760981261?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch>

June, 2021 – Code Ninjas Westshore – Coding for Kids

<https://www.codeninjas.com/westshore-bc-ca>

June 21 –Secure Your Organization – Best Practices in Information Privacy and Security

FEE: FREE for IWIST members, \$5.00 students, \$10.00 all other attendees.

WHEN: Monday, June 21, 2021 - 12:00 – 1:15pm PDT

WHERE: Online Zoom. Meeting link provided with registration.

<http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07ehzhlv5v2711bec8&llr=o6corpsab>

June 23 – Security Day ← note the new date

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/governments/services-for-government/information-management-technology/information-security/information-security-awareness/security-day>

July 21 – Assume Breach – A Necessary Mindset

https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/assume-breach-a-necessary-mindset-tickets-159309070719?ref=enivtefor001&invite=MjA1MDY3MDMvdHJhY2UubXVsZG9vbkBnb3YuYmMuY2EvMA%3D%3D%0A&utm_source=eb_email&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=inviteformalv2&utm_term=eventimage&ref=enivtefor001

Resources

Watch Information Security Branch's "5 ways to spot a phishing email" Video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=XsOWczwRVuc>

Watch Iluli's "What is Phishing and How to Avoid the Bait" Video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=XsOWczwRVuc>

BC Gov's Defensible Security Program:

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/governments/services-for-government/information-management-technology/information-security/defensible-security>

also has a BCP component:

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/governments/services-for-government/information-management-technology/information-security/defensible-security/security-directives/business-continuity-and-disaster-recovery-plan>

GAAD → Global Accessibility Awareness Day (May 20) resources

- Watch Microsoft's video on improving email accessibility
https://support.office.com/en-us/article/video-improve-email-accessibility-ebf3730a-18f8-4b57-81d1-730086231775?wt.mc_id=otc_accessibility_video_training&ui=en-US&rs=en-US&ad=US
- Watch Microsoft's video on creating accessible file names
<https://support.office.com/en-us/article/video-create-accessible-file-names-4e73d73a-aedc-47af-88e4-8f2375a69fad?ui=en-US&rs=en-US&ad=US>
- Microsoft guide on making emails more accessible
<https://support.office.com/en-us/article/make-your-outlook-email-accessible-to-people-with-disabilities-71ce71f4-7b15-4b7a-a2e3-cf91721bbacbf?ui=en-US&rs=en-US&ad=US>

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- Watch Microsoft's video on creating accessible links
<https://support.office.com/en-us/article/video-create-accessible-links-in-word-28305cc8-3be2-417c-a313-dc22082d1ee0?ui=en-US&rs=en-US&ad=US>

USGS → earthquake notifications to keep you in the know

<https://earthquake.usgs.gov/>

Vulnerability Link Resources and References

[Vulnerability and Risk Management SharePoint](#)

AL21-005 UPDATE 1 - Exploitation of Fortinet FortiOS vulnerabilities (CISA, FBI) –

[https://citiz.sp.gov.bc.ca/sites/ES/ISB/VRM/vulnerability-reports/Shared%20Documents/FLASH%20and%20ALERTS/2021%20Flashes,%20Alerts%20and%20Information%20Notes/AL21-005%20UPDATE%201%20-%20Exploitation%20of%20Fortinet%20FortiOS%20vulnerabilities%20\(CISA,%20FBI\).pdf](https://citiz.sp.gov.bc.ca/sites/ES/ISB/VRM/vulnerability-reports/Shared%20Documents/FLASH%20and%20ALERTS/2021%20Flashes,%20Alerts%20and%20Information%20Notes/AL21-005%20UPDATE%201%20-%20Exploitation%20of%20Fortinet%20FortiOS%20vulnerabilities%20(CISA,%20FBI).pdf)

- [CVE-2018-13379](#), [CVE-2020-12812](#), [CVE-2019-5591](#)
- [APT Actors Exploit Vulnerabilities to Gain Initial Access for Future Attacks \(CISA, FBI\)](#)
- [Cyber Centre Alert on Active Exploitation of VPN Vulnerabilities \(AL19-016\)](#)
- [APT Actors Exploiting Fortinet Vulnerabilities to Gain Access for Malicious Activity \(CISA, FBI\)](#)

IN21-003 New sophisticated email-based attack from NOBELIUM -

<https://citiz.sp.gov.bc.ca/sites/ES/ISB/VRM/vulnerability-reports/Shared%20Documents/FLASH%20and%20ALERTS/2021%20Flashes,%20Alerts%20and%20Information%20Notes/IN21-003%20New%20sophisticated%20email-based%20attack%20from%20NOBELIUM.pdf>

- [New sophisticated email-based attack from NOBELIUM](#)

N21-366 Microsoft Security Update for June 8, 2021 -

<https://citiz.sp.gov.bc.ca/sites/ES/ISB/VRM/vulnerability-reports/Shared%20Documents/Daily%20VRM%20Vulnerability%20Reports/2021%20Notifications/N21-366%20Microsoft%20Security%20Update%20Summary%20for%20June%208,%202021%20.pdf>

- <https://msrc.microsoft.com/update-guide/>
- <https://krebsonsecurity.com/2021/06/microsoft-patches-six-zero-day-security-holes/>

N21-245 UPDATE CRITICAL Vulnerability: Multiple Vulnerabilities in Pulse Connect Secure -

<https://citiz.sp.gov.bc.ca/sites/ES/ISB/VRM/vulnerability->

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reports/Shared%20Documents/Daily%20VRM%20Vulnerability%20Reports/2021%20Notifications/N21-245%20UPDATE%20Multiple%20Vulnerabilities%20in%20Pulse%20Connect%20Secure.pdf

- [CVE-2021-22893](#), [CVE-2021-22894](#), [CVE-2021-22899](#), [CVE-2021-22900](#)
- [Alert \(AA21-110A\)](#)
- [SA44784 - 2021-04: Out-of-Cycle Advisory: Multiple Vulnerabilities Resolved in Pulse Connect Secure 9.1R11.4](#)
- [KB44781 - Multiple functionalities/features fail for End-Users with a Certificate error.](#)
- [KB44755 - Pulse Connect Secure \(PCS\) Integrity Assurance](#)

N21-322 macOS Big Sur Security Notification

- [About the security content of macOS Big Sur 11.4](#)

N21-326 vmware Security Advisory

- [CVE-2021-21985](#), [CVE-2021-21986](#)
- [VMSA-2021-0010 vmware Security Advisory](#)

N21 328 IBM Security Guardium

- [Security Bulletin: IBM Security Guardium is affected by multiple vulnerabilities](#)

N21-329 IBM Spectrum Control Security Advisory

- [Security Bulletin: Vulnerabilities in XStream, Java, OpenSSL, WebSphere Application Server Liberty and Node.js affect IBM Spectrum Control](#)

N21-334 Red Hat Security Advisory

- [CVE-2020-10771](#), [CVE-2020-26258](#), [CVE-2020-26259](#), [CVE-2021-21290](#), [CVE-2021-21295](#), [CVE-2021-21341](#), [CVE-2021-21342](#), [CVE-2021-21343](#), [CVE-2021-21344](#), [CVE-2021-21345](#), [CVE-2021-21346](#), [CVE-2021-21347](#), [CVE-2021-21348](#), [CVE-2021-21349](#), [CVE-2021-21350](#), [CVE-2021-21351](#), [CVE-2021-21409](#), [CVE-2021-31917](#),
- [RHSA-2021:2139 - Security Advisory](#)
- [Authentication bypass on REST endpoints when using DIGEST authentication mechanism](#)

N21-338 MesaLabs AmegaView Security Advisory

- [ICS Advisory \(ICSA-21-147-03\)](#)