



# Building an Information Security Library

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# What Constitutes a Library?

- ◆ A set of meaningful reference materials
  - Not just books!
- ◆ Includes –
  - Web links
  - White Papers
  - Copies of presentations
  - Contemporary notes

# The Challenge

- ◆ How to organize?
- ◆ What to include?
- ◆ How/where to acquire?
- ◆ How to maintain?





# How to Organize

- ◆ Carefully, not helter-skelter
- ◆ Develop major topics
  - Consider using the CISSP domains
  - Available from the (ISC)<sup>2</sup> web site ([www.isc2.org](http://www.isc2.org))
- ◆ Document

# What to Include

## ◆ Your choice

- First & foremost – variety
- Secondly – go beyond your base of expertise (expand your horizons)
- Thirdly – Do not limit your selections exclusively to titles that include “Security” in the title (You are more than an a security professional)



# Remainders

- ◆ How/where to acquire?
- ◆ How to maintain?
- ◆ Suggestions/Recommendations



# Conclusion

- ◆ Stop being random
- ◆ Develop a plan
- ◆ More to come
- ◆ Your Thoughts?





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