CDM Central Live: Chapter One

CDM Central: Tales from the Frontlines is going virtual! Health and safety are priorities we just can't turn the page on, which is why we're transitioning our program to a virtual platform.

From filling gaps in CDM capabilities and prioritizing cloud security, to introducing high-value asset (HVA) pilots and securing mobile devices, the CDM story is far from finished. But as the CDM plot thickens, what's on the next page for Federal cyber protagonists?

In the second edition of CDM Central, our **free** half-day virtual conference will feature key agency leaders and their journey ahead in the evolving CDM program for FY20 and beyond – including Federal dashboard expansions, new authentication mechanisms, and more.

The virtual CDM Central event will offer the full conference program, including keynotes, industry and government panels, and government spotlight sessions, all while giving attendees the opportunity to interact with sponsors, speakers, and other participants in the safest way possible.

CDM Central Live will take place on **Tuesday**, **June 9** from **8:30 a.m.** to **12:15 p.m. ET.** You can view the full agenda here.

At the conference, you'll be able to:

➢ Watch government keynote addresses
➢ Ask speakers questions
➢ Download related resources
➢ Attend networking discussions
➢ Enter group chat rooms
➢ Visit sponsor booths and engage
➢ Win prizes

Read on as we explore more about what to expect in this virtual conference experience.

What will sessions cover?

We have a jam-packed lineup of speakers across the public and private sectors, who are on the frontlines of CDM. As we hear from top cyber experts on the chapters ahead for the CDM program, we'll also cover the Federal dashboard expansions, task order developments, new authentication mechanisms, and more.

Speakers include:

➢ **Judy Baltensperger**, Project Manager, CDM Program, CISA
➢ **Bo Berlas**, CISO, GSA
➢ **Sean Connelly**, TIC Program Manager and Senior Cybersecurity Architect, CISA
➢ **Kevin Cox**, CDM Program Manager, CISA (CDM Keynote)
➢ **Erik Floden**, Director, Federal Civilian Agencies, Forescout Technologies
➢ **Neil Graves**, Principal Computer Scientist, Department of State
➢ **Larry Hale**, Director, IT Security Subcategory, Office of Information Technology Category, GSA
➢ **Bill Harrod**, Federal CTO, MobileIron
➢ **Matt Hartman**, Associate Director, Cybersecurity Division, CISA (CISA Keynote)
➢ **Wayne Llyod**, Federal CTO, VP Sales Engineering & Professional Services, RedSeal
➢ **Dennis Reilly**, Vice President of Federal, Gigamon
➢ **Grant Schneider**, Federal CISO, Office of Management and Budget (OMB Spotlight)

What is a virtual conference anyway?

At CDM Central Live, our mission is to provide an experience as close to the real in-person event as we can. Just as in-person conferences play out, sessions will begin at a designated time allowing you to join at the start of each session or arrive a little early. The Intrado platform allows attendees to ask questions during each session, similar to a live event with a Q&A portion following the speaker's remarks.

The event will include engaging and interactive sessions, live exhibitor demos, games and trivia, and chat features to keep us all connected throughout the day. Attendees will have virtual name badges containing their name, company, and title, to use as they navigate the space and interact with speakers, sponsors, and other attendees.

With working from home being the new norm, we know that distractions are inevitable – a dog barking, kids begging for a snack, etc. If at any time throughout the event you are unable to watch a session, you have the option to view it on demand, which will be streamed on our website immediately after it's completed – convenient!

What will the virtual platform look like?

When you login to CDM Central live, you will be directed to the virtual lobby. The lobby will be your access point to all the sessions, exhibitor hall, games, and more. You may enter and return to the lobby at any time by clicking "Lobby" in the top navigation bar.

Here is an exclusive sneak preview of CDM Central.

CDM Central Lobby

Theater

Lounge

Exhibitor hall

Virtual Exhibit Booth