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Knowledge Management

Nourishing & Enhancing your communication and intelligence.

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Todays Topics

- Key Constructs
- Reactive incidents Workstreams and Data Management
- Safe communications
- Toolkits, procedures and spin ups
- Embrace your new 'intelligence'
- Q&A







"An investment in knowledge, pays the best interest"

Benjamin Franklin



What is Knowledge Management?

'Knowledge management is the **process of more effectively collecting, sharing, maintaining or managing, and deploying organizational knowledge**. As a discipline, knowledge management recognizes three basic forms of knowledge: explicit knowledge, tacit, and implicit knowledge'

Source: <u>Heavy Al</u>





Facilitate knowledge creation and sharing via a rich user experience that motivate employees to contribute through reward and recognition initiatives, aligned to objectives.

Create an environment that supports the identification of opportunities or problems to **trigger knowledge processes** that enable organizational learning



Create a **measurable** increase in productivity and performance effectiveness by **connecting people** to people and associated knowledge.

> Leverage knowledge technologies which provide rich user experiences and simplify access to people, information and knowledge relevant to the business need, to drive long term value and incentivize.

Framework



Important to note...

- MANY frameworks and tools available which include content management.
 - Master Data Management
- Ultimately every business transaction requires reliable information.
- Small changes can make an immediate difference.
- Often, we already have tools and methods in house we can utilize for better knowledge management.



Barriers

Privacy

Purpose



Control



Motivation

Change



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"Knowledge is of no value unless you put it into practice"

Anton Chekhov







Priorities

Communication

Workstreams

Data Capture



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Governance

- Notification or disclosure requirements
- Supporting documents and specific investigations

Insurance

- Caveats
- Notification responsibilities
- Reporting
- Approved IR provider



- Frameworks and notifications
- Privilege
- Litigation preparation
- Law Enforcement



Workstreams

Teams Group

Overarching group name/distinction All internal participants have access





Toolkits, Procedures and Spin Ups

Templates

- <u>Templates</u> for collaboration instances and customer facing materials.
 - Get them pre-approved!
- <u>Templates</u> for data collection and information sharing-
 - Time Trackers and Employee Details.
 - Contacts and Reasonable Adjustments.
 - Indicator of compromise trackers/ Tasks Trackers.
 - Threat actor traits and timelines.
 - Intelligence Intake Forms.





Reactive Incidents/ Communication

Knowledge and Intelligence

- What information do we need to be capturing and where?
- How can this benefit both/other organisations?
- What are the workstreams and my expectations of them?
- How do we collaborate?
- How do I connect the dots?



Always assess if there are any gaps, new desires or changes – Review your templates and the answers to these at least quarterly







Embracing your intelligence

Data → Investigations → Knowledge





Ok...

So I collect these raw datapoints you have called out...

What could it become? What could I gain? Where could these gems go? **Embracing your** intelligence ITTE





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Bringing together data from multiple sources from intelligence, telemetry and enrichments...

Embracing your intelligence

Making it searchable and accessible...



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This all together feeds into our automation processes, particularly customer facing threat profiles, briefings, botnet emulations and data collection techniques ...

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As well as API streams and accessible knowledge browsers...



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You need to -

- Understand what you collect now and what you do with it.
- Understand what you want to collect and why you don't already.
- What's the plan? What framework and mechanism?
- **Templatise** the basics to allow for consistency.
- Prioritize strong communication, workstreams and data capture.
- Take **small steps** It isn't about expensive solutions, it's about what works for the organisation, and what is relevant to you.



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"Knowledge is power. Knowledge shared is power multiplied"

Robert Boyce



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