

## Security Events Calendar for December

**Date:** December 2 – 3, 2003

**Event:** Conference      Homeland Security

**Venue:** Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center

**Location:** Washington, DC

**Description of Event:** More than two years after the tragic events of September 2001, government and industry professionals are working together, nationally and internationally, to prioritize and respond to an ever-increasing range of terrorist threats worldwide. In recognition of those efforts, the E-Gov Homeland Security 2003 Conference will include discussion of the major accomplishments of the past 24 months, and more importantly, the priorities for the homeland security community in 2004.

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**Date:** December 2, 2003

**Event:** Seminar      CISCO Network Security Seminar with IBM

**Venue:** Ritz-Carlton Tysons Corner

**Location:** 1700 Tysons Boulevard  
McLean, Virginia

**Description of Event:** Most security products were designed when networks were simple and static, and were built as single-point products with no network integration or intelligence. Many IT professionals still mistakenly consider these legacy products to be "cure-all" default security solutions - often regretting that assumption.

Networks are more sophisticated today, offering more services and more access points, and attackers are increasingly taking advantage of them. As Nimda, Blaster, and other recent worms demonstrate, *everything* is a target: routers, switches, hosts, applications, operating systems, security devices, remote users, and more.

In addition, sophisticated, professional intruders are not your only network security threat. Easy-to-use, widely available hacking tools make it simple for a novice or an

employee to compromise the security of a weakly protected network.

Join us for a complimentary, half-day seminar and learn how to combat these threats and better protect your business assets with cost-effective, integrated security solutions from Cisco and IBM. See how IBM can help you manage network complexities and identify and solve your real-time security risks. Discuss how you can work closely with IBM's security operations center experts to quickly detect, define, and coordinate appropriate responses to suspicious events. You'll also see how, with support from IBM's world-class consulting services and research facilities, to proactively develop and deploy a total security plan that protects you and your customers and evolves with your business.

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**Date:**

December 8 – 10, 2003

**Event:** Conference

Inside ID

**Venue:**

Washington Convention Center

**Location:**

Washington DC

**Description of Event:**

Today it is more important than ever to answer the question: "Who am I dealing with?" It's also harder than ever to know. From protecting national borders to transacting business online, identity management is crucial to security and success. Inside ID is the place to learn how it's done. Inside ID is the Identification Solutions Mega-Show. The conference includes over 50 educational sessions covering policy, best practices, legislation and technology. Speakers hail from the highest ranks of government agencies, major corporations and IT suppliers. The trade show features the latest in digital security, integrated identity management, cryptographic systems, document security, smart cards, biometrics and more. For

more information, visit [www.insideid.com](http://www.insideid.com) today.

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**Date:** December 10, 2003

**Event:** Breakfast Executive Breakfast with DISA CIO, Dawn Meyerriecks

**Venue:** Fairview Park Marriott

**Location:** Falls Church, VA

**Description of Event:** Come hear Dawn Meyerriecks, the CIO of Defense Information Systems Agency (DISA) address IT vendors on December 10th.

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**Date:** December 10-11, 2003

**Event:** Conference Infosecurity

**Venue:** Jacob K. Javits Convention Center

**Location:** New York, NY

**Description of Event:** Infosecurity is located in the business capital of the world, Infosecurity 2003 is the one national event organized by independent knowledge leaders at the front lines of information security. With a 360-degree perspective on today's critical information security issues, the Infosecurity Conference and Exhibition is the ideal forum for all information asset stakeholders, security experts and practitioners to exchange real-world concern and solutions, and learn about the most current best practices, policies, procedures and products.

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**Date:**

December 15, 2003

**Event:** Plans Due

Contingency Plans due to Department for Tiers 1 and 2