Information Security Awareness

Just So You’re Aware...

What’s New?
2019 GRCC Phishing Campaign
Are you prepared to catch the phishing email?
Soon, the GRCC Information Security Team will be releasing a phishing email to all of GRCC Staff. IT Security plans to REWARD the department with the lowest number of click-rates based on the results of the phishing email.

Tips to Identify Phishing Emails

- Be cautious of the urgency within an email
- Hover over links in emails before clicking them. (The real destination is in the lower left corner of the open window)
- Double check the URL is legitimate before submitting credentials (username, password) to a web-page
- Be sure the email from a friend/colleague is authentic; Remember that their email could have been compromised or spoofed
- If you’re not expecting a document/PDF, DON’T open it. If you know the individual, try contacting them to determine if it’s safe.

Annual Compliance Training 18-19
The Annual Compliance Training for the 18-19 academic year has been available in Blackboard since October. Included in the training you will find information and assessments regarding:

- FERPA Compliance - Best practices & Common Questions
- Phishing - How to spot Phishing
- Data Security - Videos on Sensitive Information, Getting Phished, Identity Theft, & Data Breaches

The following are the current statistics for the Phishing Training/Assessment:

- 250 GRCC users have completed the assessment
- Users take about 7 minutes to complete the assessment
- There are 8 questions that make up the assessment

To take this Phishing Training/Assessment, please log in to Blackboard. You will be able to find it under the Annual Compliance Training shell.

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