FINAL SYMPOSIUM: 3:30-5:00PM**

Final Discussion on Cybercrime and Digital Forensics

moderated by George Heinrichs

Mountain View Room, PCH 125

George Heinrichs (Moderator)

George Heinrichs is the president and cofounder of Intrado Inc., a global provider of public safety communications services. A recognized expert in emergency services, Mr. Heinrichs has played a key role in the evolution of the nation's emergency communications network for the past thirty years.

For his contributions to public safety and communications, Mr. Heinrichs has received numerous awards, including the National Emergency Number Association (NENA) William H. Stanton National 9-1-1 Service Award, the NENA President's Award, the Denver Telecom Professionals Executive of the Year, the Ernst & Young Entrepreneur of the Year Award for Technology, and was recognized as the 2009 Person of the Year by the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP). In 2011 Mr. Heinrichs received the NG9-1-1 Institute's Industry Professional Award.

Mr. Heinrichs is a member of the National Emergency Number Association, the Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials International, the National Sheriffs' Association and the Association of Computing Machinery. He has served on the Board of Directors of the Intelligent Transportation Society of America, and the Cellular Telecommunications and Internet Association. In 2007, he helped to found the 9-1-1 Industry Alliance, serving as its chairman until 2009 and serves on its Board today. He also serves on the Board of No Barriers – a non-profit based in Colorado.

Mr. Heinrichs is a Fellow in the Radio Club of America and serves as the co-chair of the International Association of Chiefs of Police Foundation. He continues to be an active participant in the formation of 9-1-1 public policy and has served as an expert

witness for both the US House of Representatives and the US Senate.

Isaac Barnes

Assistant to the Special Agent in Charge (ATSAIC) Isaac Barnes is a graduate of the United States Military Academy at West Point. After serving in the US Army, ATSAIC Barnes became a Special Agent with the Secret Service in 2000 and was assigned to the New York Field Office. While there, ATSAIC Barnes was a member of the New York Electronic Crimes Task Force and other criminal investigative squads. After his assignment to the New York Field Office, ATSAIC Barnes was assigned to the Presidential Protective Division. After the Presidential Protective Division, ATSAIC Barnes was assigned to Secret Service Headquarters. ATSAIC Barnes is currently assigned to the Denver Field Office and is in charge of the Colorado Electronic Crimes Task Force.

Jim Ponzi

Jim Ponzi is an Assistant Professor of Criminology at Regis University and a retired police lieutenant who served with the Denver Police Department for 35 years. He ran a computer business for 10 years and co-wrote the current Cybercriminology class for the Master of Science in Criminology program at Regis University which he currently facilitates; Jim recently received his CCFS (Certified Computer Forensic Examiner) certificate after attending training in Washington, D.C. In addition, he has been instrumental in developing a cybercrime focus under the Criminology umbrella at Regis University. The four-class focus will begin in Spring 8 Week 1 2015, and will be a collaboration between the Criminology Department and the Collage of Computer and Information Sciences (CC&IS).

Professor Ponzi is in the dissertation stage of his Doctorate in Business Administration with a focus on Homeland Security at Northcentral University. He previously obtained his master's degree at Denver University, and did his undergraduate work at the University of Colorado. Jim has been at Regis for approximately 9 years.

Stephen Meer

In March, 2014, Stephen Meer retired from Intrado where he was the cofounder and chief technology officer. He has been involved with public safety communications and 9-1-1 for over 35 years. His groundbreaking contributions to public safety and telecommunications include development of the first nationwide 9-1-1 data network; design and implementation of the first enhanced 9-1-1 system; integrating wireless communications technology into the 9-1-1 network; and development and application of satellite communications for delivery of 9-1-1 data to public safety agencies.

Mr. Meer's public safety involvement included working as a commissioned officer at the Boulder County Sheriff's office. He was certified as an advanced life support provider and taught Emergency Medical Services (EMS) and Incident Command throughout the United States and abroad. He co-founded SCC Communications, now Intrado, which employs over 800 people and either manages or provides the 9-1-1 technology for all major phone companies, over 50 percent of wireless providers, and all leading VoIP providers.

Mr. Meer maintains an ongoing role in supporting public safety agencies around the world, including designing emergency communications centers and systems. He is a valued advisor to government and industry organizations. He is a guest lecturer at the University of Colorado Law School Silicon Flatirons Telecommunications Program; is on the advisory boards of the University Of Denver College Of Engineering and the CU-Boulder interdisciplinary telecommunications master's degree program.

In recognition of his outstanding achievements, Mr. Meer received a Presidential Award of Excellence from President Nixon for the application of computer technology to environmental protection and The Radio Club of America's (RCA) Henri Busignies Memorial Award for "significant contributions to the advancement of electronics for the benefit of mankind."

Detective Michael Leiker

Detective Michael Leiker is a 33 year veteran with the Aurora Police Department. As a Senior Detective for the last 15 years, Mike has developed a lot of experience in complex crime/organized crime and is a Certified Forensic Computer Examiner (CFCE). He is also a member of the (IACIS)-Forensic Specialty Accreditation Board (FSAB) Cybercrime Specialist-Aurora PD Crime Lab Criminalist.

Detective Leiker earned his Master's degree in Professional Counseling Psychology and is a Liberty University Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC) in Colorado. He also has a Bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice from Columbia College, graduating summa cum laude, and an Associate's degree in Paralegal from the Community College of Denver.