

# Week of April 14, 2025

## Cybersecurity Headlines

### Official Security Bulletins

Headlines from List of Official Government Sources

#### CISA Statement on CVE Program

www.cisa.gov

The CVE Program is invaluable to the cyber community and a priority of CISA. On April 15th, CISA executed the option period on the contract to ensure there will be no lapse in critical CVE services.

#### Maryland Man Pleads Guilty to Conspiracy to Commit Wire Fraud

www.justice.gov

Minh Phuong Ngoc Vong Participated in a Multi-Year Fraudulent Scheme to Obtain Remote Information Technology Work With U.S. Companies and Government Agencies for Persons Based in China



#### NIST Updates Privacy Framework, Tying It to Recent Cybersecurity Guidelines

www.nist.gov

A draft update to the NIST Privacy Framework will enable organizations to use it seamlessly with the agency's Cybersecurity Framework, which received its own update last year. Targeted changes to content and structure respond to stakeholder needs and make the document easier to use. NIST is soliciting feedback on the draft until June 13, 2025.



#### Georgia Tech Wins NSA's Codebreaker Challenge for Fourth Consecutive Year > National Security Agency/Central Security Service > Press Release View

www.nsa.gov

FORT MEADE, Md. – For the fourth consecutive year, the Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia Tech) took first place in the National Security Agency's annual Codebreaker Challenge (CBC). Participation in the 2024 contest rose to more than 7,200 stu...

### Cybercrimes, Scams & Incidents

Headlines related to cybercrimes and scams including international cybersecurity news and high-profile incidents like ransomware and malware attacks



#### Wyden to block Trump's CISA nominee until agency releases report on telecoms' 'negligent cybersecurity'

therecord.media

Democratic Sen. Ron Wyden will block the nomination of Sean Plankey over what he called CISA's "multi-year cover up of the phone companies' negligent cybersecurity."

### Industry News

Headlines collected from across the cybersecurity industry related to legislation, business, and big tech



#### 35 countries use Chinese networks for transporting mobile user traffic, posing cyber risks

cyberscoop.com

U.S. allies are among the 35 countries where mobile providers employ China-based networks for transporting user traffic, opening travelers and residents in those nations to potential surveillance, an analysis published Thursday concludes. "Everyone k...



Trump orders probe of former CISA Director Chris Krebs over alleged censorship

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President Donald Trump revoked any security clearances held by former CISA Director Chris Krebs and ordered an investigation into alleged censorship of conservatives by the agency.



CISA warns of increased breach risks following Oracle Cloud leak - BleepingComputer

www.bleepingcomputer.com

On Wednesday, CISA warned of heightened breach risks after the compromise of legacy Oracle Cloud servers earlier this year and highlighted the significant threat to enterprise networks.

House investigation into DeepSeek teases out funding, security realities around Chinese AI tool | CyberScoop

cyberscoop.com

While these claims were always heavily qualified — the \$6 million figure cited was only the cost of R1’s final training run, leaving out the much larger foundational training and costs needed to get to that point — the House report makes it clear tha...



CISA extends CVE program contract with MITRE for 11 months amid alarm over potential lapse

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The MITRE Corporation will continue operating the CVE program for at least another 11 months after federal cybersecurity officials confirmed that they temporarily extended their contract with the organization to keep the platform running.

Funding Expires for Key Cyber Vulnerability Database

krebsonsecurity.com

Lo! April 19, 2025. Yes, Brian should post a glowing article about how the administration figured out what anyone studying for Sec+ would know. /s. What’s the headline gonna be?

Trump Revenge Tour Targets Cyber Leaders, Elections

krebsonsecurity.com



Steven April 15, 2025. Huge CISA fan. Not a huge fan of the politicization of the department. It is true that good work was done by CISA while Chris Krebs was at the helm.

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