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USA v Kevin Patrick Mallory

In 2019, a former CIA officer was sentenced to 20 years in prison after being convicted for conspiracy to transmit national defense information to an agent of the People's Republic of China. Want to learn more about insider threat vulnerabilities and failures by Chinese intelligence? Join us on April 14, at 2 p.m.

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Infrastructure Security

CISA works with businesses, communities, and government at every level to help make the nation's critical infrastructure more resilient to cyber and physical threats. Everyone has a role securing the Nation's critical infrastructure.

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Infrastructure Training

The Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency's (CISA) Infrastructure Security Division offers a wide array of free training programs to government and private sector partners. These web-based independent study courses, instructor-led courses, and associated training materials provide government officials and critical infrastructure owners and operators with the knowledge and skills needed to implement critical infrastructure security and resilience activities.

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Critical Infrastructure Security

Critical infrastructure describes the physical and cyber systems and assets that are so vital to the United States that their incapacity or destruction would have a debilitating impact on our physical or economic security or public health or safety. The nation's critical infrastructure provides the essential services that underpin American society.

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