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Public role source revisited. Employer/self sources and association/event biographies are distinguished; direct role acceptance is not established. **Current-role source**

Direct business email and telephone: not publicly verified.

LinkedIn profile | Named professional biography / public route

Work base: Not established from reviewed sources. Actual work base, DC access and willingness require direct confirmation.

Recommendation and rationale

Reserve / second-group qualification. Enterprise CISO with board communication and workforce evidence; direct policy influence remains a gap.

Research rank #22 - Sector qualification. Final research recommendation for this pass; ISA selection and outreach approval pending.

Company capacity and proposed benefit

2025 annual report: \$197.2bn assets and more than 15m members. Assets and membership are scale indicators, not revenue. **Source:** www.navyfederal.org

Proposed company benefit: Test Navy Federal's workforce and AI oversight against member-service continuity.

Proposed executive benefit: Contribute his business-empathy and workforce approach.

What This Recruit Could Add to ISA

Develop role-specific security learning linked to continuity, AI guardrails and board reporting. **Source:** www.klogixsecurity.com

Handbook connection: Tool G 54-56; E 48-50; L 69-71. Proposed output and benefits require agreement. **Source:** www.nacdonline.org

Introduction and next decision

No named introducer established. ISA to designate an approved contact route; no private relationship inferred.

ISA to reconcile account status and route; then validate current remit, contribution, corporate payer and participation directly.

Policy history and board-selection fit

Policy evidence gap: Reviewed commentary supports an operating or governance perspective, but attributable testimony, formal policy input or a government advisory role has not been verified in this pass.

No additional authoritative policy-history evidence was established in the deeper check. This is an evidence gap, not proof of no policy involvement.

Benchmark: ISA recommendations, current ISA board practitioner profile, operating authority, company capacity, attributable policy work, concrete contribution, and portfolio balance. Corporate directorship alone does not determine priority.

Qualification status and ownership

Requirement	Evidence and remaining confirmation
Current role	Public role support; recheck directly before contact; direct confirmation pending.
ISA membership	Unknown current company/account and designated-representative status. Public board absence does not establish nonmembership.
Eligibility	Operating practitioner fit supported by research. ISA acceptance and employer designation pending.
Board feedback / introducer	No named introducer established. Introduction completion: not confirmed.
Corporate sponsorship	Published annual dues \$75,000; corporate payer, budget approver and written authorization not confirmed.
Executive interest	Not directly confirmed. Published interest in cyber topics is not membership interest.
Time / participation	Four meetings yearly, including two in Washington, DC and two virtual, plus agreed preparation. Availability, travel and term commitment not confirmed.
ISA output and benefits	Person-specific hypotheses documented; prospect and employer acceptance not confirmed.
Portfolio	Industry/expertise rationale assessed. Work base and DC access require direct confirmation.

[ISA public board / meeting baseline](#) | [Bylaws](#) | [Published sponsorship](#)

1631 owns researched case and source accuracy; ISA owns current membership/eligibility/introducer decision; employer/prospect must confirm funding, interest, availability and proposed output.

Image and contact provenance

Portrait: Name-matched image on named public biography. Portrait cropped from source graphic; historical job text excluded.

Source: www.klogixsecurity.com

Company mark: Exact named source asset; manually selected Source: www.navyfederal.org

Attributable commentary and evidence ledger

10 / 10 substantive sightings recorded. Depth target met.

1. Profile: Mike Newborn, CISO, Navy Federal Credit Union

May 29, 2025 | Direct published interview [Source: www.klogixsecurity.com](https://www.klogixsecurity.com)

Advocates job-specific security learning, business empathy, board readiness and AI guardrails supported by identity and data fundamentals.

Attribution / limitation: One interview contains several positions but counts as one source; current role should be reconfirmed before contact.

2. On this beautiful spring day, the decision to come onsite felt like a no-brainer, especially when it means getting to have lunch with our business partners. Security is at the core

2024 | Own public LinkedIn post [Source: www.linkedin.com](https://www.linkedin.com)

Highlights collaboration with human resources on people and institutional protection rather than treating security as solely technical.

Attribution / limitation: Short commentary provides less depth than the interview; no sponsorship willingness is demonstrated.

3. How This Cybersecurity Expert Advanced His Career and Landed a Leadership Role

Updated April 8, 2025 | Direct Q&A; Navy Federal-sponsored Muse profile [Source: www.themuse.com](https://www.themuse.com)

Newborn rejects fear-based advice: security should explain material risks, acknowledge tradeoffs and help business partners find a safe path forward. Describes regular board briefings, cross-functional relationships and a pandemic response combining remote access, multifactor authentication and monitoring.

Attribution / limitation: Answers are his attributed statements. Employer-sponsored career profile; reported achievements and staffing are not independently audited. No ISA participation or sponsorship commitment is stated.

4. Making a secure transition to the public cloud

January 2018 | Coauthored McKinsey research report [Source: www.mckinsey.com](https://www.mckinsey.com)

The four coauthors recommend a cloud-specific security model, redesigned controls, explicit division of customer/provider responsibilities and security integrated into DevOps. Argue that simply extending on-premises controls may be insufficient.

Attribution / limitation: Joint work with Arul Elumalai, James Kaplan and Roger Roberts. Historical McKinsey Digital Labs affiliation, not Navy Federal policy. Main practices on PDF page 20; do not attribute research respondents' quotations to Newborn.

5. Navy Federal CISO Sees No Trade-Off Between Security, Ease of Use

June 7, 2022 | Attributed Virginia Credit Union League report [Source: vacul.secure.cusolutionsgroup.net](https://vacul.secure.cusolutionsgroup.net)

The report attributes to Newborn the view that password managers can improve security and convenience. It also attributes the purpose of Navy Federal's Cybercrime Support Network partnership: helping members prevent scams and understand what to do after victimization.

Attribution / limitation: Short attributed report, less detailed than a transcript. Broader military-fraud claims are sourced to other organizations and excluded from his position. Does not prove outcomes of the partnership.

6. Feats of Strength: business relationships and clear risk reporting

June 2015 | Direct Klogix interview with Newborn [Source: www.klogixsecurity.com](http://www.klogixsecurity.com)

Newborn describes monthly risk-posture reporting, learning business leaders' success criteria and communicating both successes and failures. Treats availability, reliability and customer-data protection as business concerns requiring partnership.

Attribution / limitation: Interview on printed pp. 12-13; neighboring JR Reagan commentary is excluded. Historical Bloomberg BNA role, not current Navy Federal reporting practices. Newborn's editorial-board listing alone is not counted.

7. Own WiCyS community post: practical certification preparation

March 2024 | Own LinkedIn post; indexed public text [Source: www.linkedin.com](http://www.linkedin.com)

Highlights Navy Federal's women-in-cybersecurity community and a session where information-security team members shared preparation and study tips for the ISC2 Certified in Cybersecurity exam.

Attribution / limitation: Own public post text reviewed via indexing; direct retrieval was restricted. A reported event is not proof of exam completion, retention results or academy support.

8. Own build-versus-buy article preview: fit security to the business

June 15, 2016 profile article metadata | Own authored LinkedIn article preview; indexed text [Source: www.linkedin.com](http://www.linkedin.com)

The preview argues that organization size, geography, information and resources determine security needs. Rejects a universal program design and calls for security strategy tailored to business requirements.

Attribution / limitation: Only the accessible authored preview is reviewed. The original linked intrusion-detection white paper could not be retrieved; no detailed conclusions or implementation outcomes from that paper are claimed.

9. Synopsys Publishes BSIMM11 Study

2020-09-15 | Vendor release with attributed statement [Source: news.synopsys.com](http://news.synopsys.com)

Newborn describes learning from peers to adapt software security to rapid DevOps without obstructing innovation.

Attribution / limitation: Attributable practitioner quote in a commercial release; not independent study validation.

ISA relevance: Potential ISA contribution inferred from documented governance, workforce or policy views; ISA interest and sponsorship unconfirmed.

10. CISO Spotlight: Michael Newborn

2018-12-12 | Publisher multi-person executive Q&A [Source: www.klogixsecurity.com](http://www.klogixsecurity.com)

Newborn describes integrating technology, business strategy and compliance, and building security into public-cloud operating models.

Attribution / limitation: His McKinsey answers only; Sue Schade and Darren Death are separate interviewees. Distinct 2018 follow-up from 2015 and 2025 profiles.

ISA relevance: Potential ISA contribution inferred from documented governance, workforce or policy views; ISA interest and sponsorship unconfirmed.

Recorded-media sources pending review - not counted

The following descriptions or joint overviews need speaker-specific remarks before inclusion in the ten-sighting total.

Your Next Mission, episode 37 - trustworthy member services [Source: yournextmission.org](http://yournextmission.org)

Publisher description or joint overview reviewed; obtain speaker-specific substantive recording/transcript evidence before counting.

The Future of Security: digital transformation and risk appetite Source: www.itspmagine.com

Publisher description or joint overview reviewed; obtain speaker-specific substantive recording/transcript evidence before counting.