



**FLGISA Webinar: Vendor Account Compromise (VAC)**  
**March 28, 2024**  
**10:00 am - 11:00 am**

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Within the past several years, there has been a reported uptick in what we have termed vendor account compromises (VACs). These are incidents of unauthorized access to existing vendor accounts or unauthorized creation of vendor accounts on behalf of existing vendors within online vendor portal systems. This unauthorized access provides the actors the privilege to update information on behalf of the vendors. Ultimately, the actors seek to update the bank account or physical address of where vendor payments go to redirect these payments. This presentation provides the following: an overview of VACs—how they occur, who is responsible, who is affected, and recent trends; a walk-through of how a typical VAC unfolds from start to finish; and finishes with three important areas state/local entities should focus on when developing mitigative steps and security.

**Speaker: Benjamin Shoff, FBI**

Moderator: Raheem Seecharan, FLGISA Cybersecurity Committee Chair

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Thank you.

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