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## EXCHANGE OF GOOD CYBERSECURITY PRACTICES BETWEEN MEXICO AND THE U.S.

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### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 2025

19:00 **Welcome Reception (hosted by Amazon Web Services)**

### THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 2025

08:00 **Registration & light breakfast**

09:30 **U.S. Department of State**

Jennifer Bachus, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for the Bureau of Cyberspace and Digital Policy

10:30 **Center for Cybersecurity Policy and Law**

John Banghart, Senior Director of Cybersecurity Services, Venable LLP

11:00 **Networking Break**

11:30 **Department of Homeland Security (DHS)**

Thomas McDermott, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Cyber, Infrastructure, Risk and Resilience Policy

12:00 **Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA)**

Erin Shepley, Deputy Director of the Joint Cyber Defense Collaborative (JCDC)

Patricia Soler, Chief, Partnerships International, Joint Cyber Defense Collaborative (JCDC)

13:00 **Lunch**

14:00 **Department of Commerce**

Isabella Cascarano, Deputy Assistant Secretary for the Western Hemisphere, International Trade Administration

**National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST)**

Amy Mahn, International Policy Specialist

15:00 **Global Forum on Cyber Expertise (GFCE)**

Carlos Alvarez, Director, Hub for the Americas and the Caribbean

15:30 **Networking Break**

16:00 **Multilateral Organizations**

Yolanda Martinez, Practice Manager for Digital Development in Latin American and the Caribbean, The World Bank

Santiago Paz, Senior Cybersecurity Sector Specialist, Inter-American Development Bank

17:00 **Reception at Baan Siam**

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**FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 2025**

08:00 **Light breakfast**

09:00 **World Economic Forum (WEF)**

Giulia Moschetta, Initiatives Lead, Centre for Cybersecurity

09:30 **Institute of Security and Technology (IST)**

Taylor Grossman, Director of Digital Policy

10:00 **FS-ISAC**

Bridgette Walsh, Vice President of Strategic Partnerships

10:30 **Presentations and Round table discussion**

12:00 **Lunch**

19:15 **Networking – Join us for bowling!**

**LIST OF PARTICIPANTS**  
**AS OF MARCH 12, 2025**

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