SEAL Transition and
What it Means To You

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History of SEAL Management

Security Education Academic Liaisons (SEALs)
- Created to provide CAE institutions with an additional touch point to NSA senior experts

Extension of the CAE Program – traditionally managed by the CAE PMO

Assigned (or re-assigned) at request of institution or NSA expert
Decision to Transition

Duplication of Effort

• Office of Academic Engagement created to oversee all academic partnerships across NSA.

Resources

• Number of CAE institutions continues to rise – and management of the SEAL program alone requires someone assigned full-time to that role.
Short-term Adjustments

SEAL assignment/structure

• No changes to your current SEAL or requirements
• Communication with Office of Academic Engagement

Roll-out of CAE Webinars

• Complement CAE Forum and Tech Talk
• Looking to you for topics – what do you want to hear about from NSA subject matter experts?
Evaluation of SEAL Relationships
• Are the relationships active?
• Do they make sense?
• What is the collective return on investment?

Direct Communication with Academic Outreach for SEAL questions, inquiries, assignments

Expansion of CAE webinars and evaluation
• Regular schedule
• Briefings by CAE partners (DHS, NSF, NICE, FBI, DOD CIO, USCC)
Questions?