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COLORADO SPRINGS, CO.—The Colorado Springs Chapter of the **Information Systems Security Association (ISSA)** honored Dr. Jack Klag by presenting him with a plaque memorializing the endowment of an annual scholarship in his name recognizing his many years of service and support to the chapter. Dr. Klag, recently retired from Colorado Technical University after serving many years as Dean of Computer Science, won high praise from students and security professionals alike and was commended for his untiring efforts to increase educational opportunities for security professionals, and for his devotion to students. The award was presented by ISSA chapter president Mark L. Spencer and president emeritus, Dr. George J. Proeller as the establishment of the ***Dr. Jack Klag Scholarship*** to be offered at CTU through the Colorado Springs Chapter of the ISSA.

In April 2007, Colorado Technical University-Colorado Springs accepted a generous donation to its library from ISSA's Colorado Spring Chapter and the *ISSA Reading Room* was established. Containing a large collection of reference materials on information security related topics, the reading room was designed to bolster the preparedness and improve the success of individuals seeking Security Certifications. Dr. George J. Proeller, who led the charge to establish the reading room, stated "Developing a repository of security books and materials and making them available, not only to chapter members, but also to students and professionals throughout Colorado via the interlibrary lending program has been a longstanding dream. We hope the reading room will grow to national prominence, just as our chapter and CTU have grown."

"We are honored to accept and establish the ISSA Jack Klag scholarship award," said CTU Southern Colorado president Greg Mitchell. "Dr. Klag has been a key member of the CTU family for many years and his contributions will be appreciated for years to come." He added. "Our longstanding association with ISSA continues to benefit our student body, deployed men and women continuing their educations, and the community at large."

The Information Systems Security Association (ISSA)® is a not-for-profit, international organization of information security professionals and practitioners. It provides educational forums, publications and peer interaction opportunities that enhance the knowledge, skill and professional growth of its members. ISSA Inc., 9220 SW Barbur Blvd #119-333, Portland, OR 97219. Phone: (866) 349-5818 (toll free from within USA only) The Colorado Springs chapter of the ISSA meets the 3rd Wednesday of each month and provides an opportunity for local security

professionals to meet, learn and exchange ideas. Information about the chapter and meetings can be found at www.issa-cos.org

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