

## FS-ISAC Announces Jim Rosenthal and Phil Venables 2017 Critical Infrastructure Protection Award Winners

*Rosenthal and Venables instrumental in creation of Sheltered Harbor*

**Reston, VA., May 3, 2017** – The Financial Services Information Sharing and Analysis Center ([FS-ISAC](#)) today announced the recipients of the 2017 Critical Infrastructure Protection (CIP) award -- Jim Rosenthal, former chief operating officer and currently senior advisor at [Morgan Stanley](#) and Phil Venables, chief operational risk officer at [Goldman Sachs](#).

The FS-ISAC CIP award recognizes members or teams that demonstrate vision and leadership in substantially improving the overall resilience of the financial sector while taking into consideration the interconnected nature of critical infrastructure entities, systems and processes. The nominees are selected by the FS-ISAC executive staff and the winners must demonstrate an outstanding achievement or achievements that are systemic in nature and will have a sustained positive impact for the financial services sector.

“Jim and Phil were each selected to receive a 2017 CIP award based on substantial contributions and leadership in the formation of the Sheltered Harbor organization and the implementation of its consumer-protecting enhanced resiliency model,” said Bill Nelson, president and CEO, FS-ISAC. “This new industry-led initiative is a significant step forward and will substantially help improve the overall resilience of the financial sector. These two leaders have also provided mentorship across the sector and have been actively involved in FS-ISAC information sharing initiatives over many years. As a direct result of their contributions, the financial services sector is significantly more resilient against a major cyber-incident.”

[Sheltered Harbor](#) is a collaborative initiative designed to enhance the financial services industry’s resiliency capability in the event of a major incident. The operating model is based on conformance to one standard, distributed resiliency and mutual assistance.

### About FS-ISAC

The Financial Services Information Sharing and Analysis Center (FS-ISAC) is a non-profit corporation that was established in 1999 and is funded by its member firms. With about 7,000 members worldwide, FS-ISAC is a member-driven organization whose mission is to help assure the resilience and continuity of the global financial services infrastructure and individual firms against acts that could significantly impact the sector’s ability to provide services critical to the orderly function of the global economy. FS-ISAC shares threat and vulnerability information, conducts coordinated contingency planning exercises, manages rapid response communications for both cyber and physical events, conducts education and training programs, and fosters collaborations with and among other key sectors and government agencies. Learn more at [www.fsisac.com](http://www.fsisac.com).



*FS-ISAC President and CEO Bill Nelson (center) introduces Critical Infrastructure Protection Award winners Phil Venables (left) and Jim Rosenthal (right), on May 1, 2017, at the 2017 FS-ISAC Annual Summit in Lake Buena Vista, Fla.*

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