



Best Educational Effort – Runner up

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During the COVID-19 pandemic, Jeremy has helped federal agencies navigate the uncertain waters of digital identity and alternatives to in-person identity proofing and to the Common Access Card and Personal Identity Verification. He continues to educate the general population through webinars and conferences, as well as serve as a policy advisor to other organizations such as the Fast Identity Online (FIDO) Alliance to promote a more secure solution to help end the reliance on passwords.

Through his work leading the Better Identity Coalition, Jeremy has established a much-needed organization bringing companies and policymakers together to improve the way Americans establish, protect, and verify their identities when they are online. The Coalition's "Policy Blueprint for Better Identity in America" has won bipartisan acclaim and helped to drive significant progress in identity policy. Jeremy's notable activities include:

- Testifying before Congress twice about digital identity challenges and the role government can play in driving new solutions.
- Serving at the invitation of the Financial Action Task Force (FATF) on a small advisory panel assisting with the FATF's new Digital Identity Guidance.
- Contributing (via the Policy Blueprint) ideas that helped shape the Office of Management and Budget's "Enabling Mission Deliver through Improved Identity, Credential, and Access Management" 2019 identity policy memo (M-19-17).
- Working with members of Congress to help craft new legislation to create a coordinated, whole-of-government approach to improving digital identity.
- Convening an annual policy forum with government and industry as part of National Cybersecurity Awareness Month, put on jointly by FIDO Alliance, the ID Theft Resource Center, and the Better Identity Coalition.
- Weighing in with federal and state-level policymakers on a variety of proposed legislative and regulatory proposals impacting identity – with an eye toward educating policymakers about approaches that can improve the security, privacy, and convenience of identity solutions.