



AFIS Committee

National Information Exchange Model

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BACKGROUND

- A complete XML representation of the 1-2000 specification
- Conform to ISO-11179 element naming convention
- Use where possible, GJXDM objects
- Define a NIST namespace
- Recommend extensions to GJXDM



NIST/ITL XML Workgroup Recommendations

- 1. Adopt this XML proposal as a “PART 2” alternate version of ANSI-NIST/ITL 1-2000**
- 2. Recommend extension of this XML version to include all features adopted for version 1-2006**
- 3. Endorse the development and publication of recommended extensions to GJXDM**



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What Is NIEM?

“NIEM, the National Information Exchange Model, is a partnership of the U.S. Department of Justice and the Department of Homeland Security. It is designed to develop, disseminate and support enterprise-wide information exchange standards and processes that can enable jurisdictions to effectively share critical information in emergency situations, as well as support day-to-day operations of agencies throughout the nation”

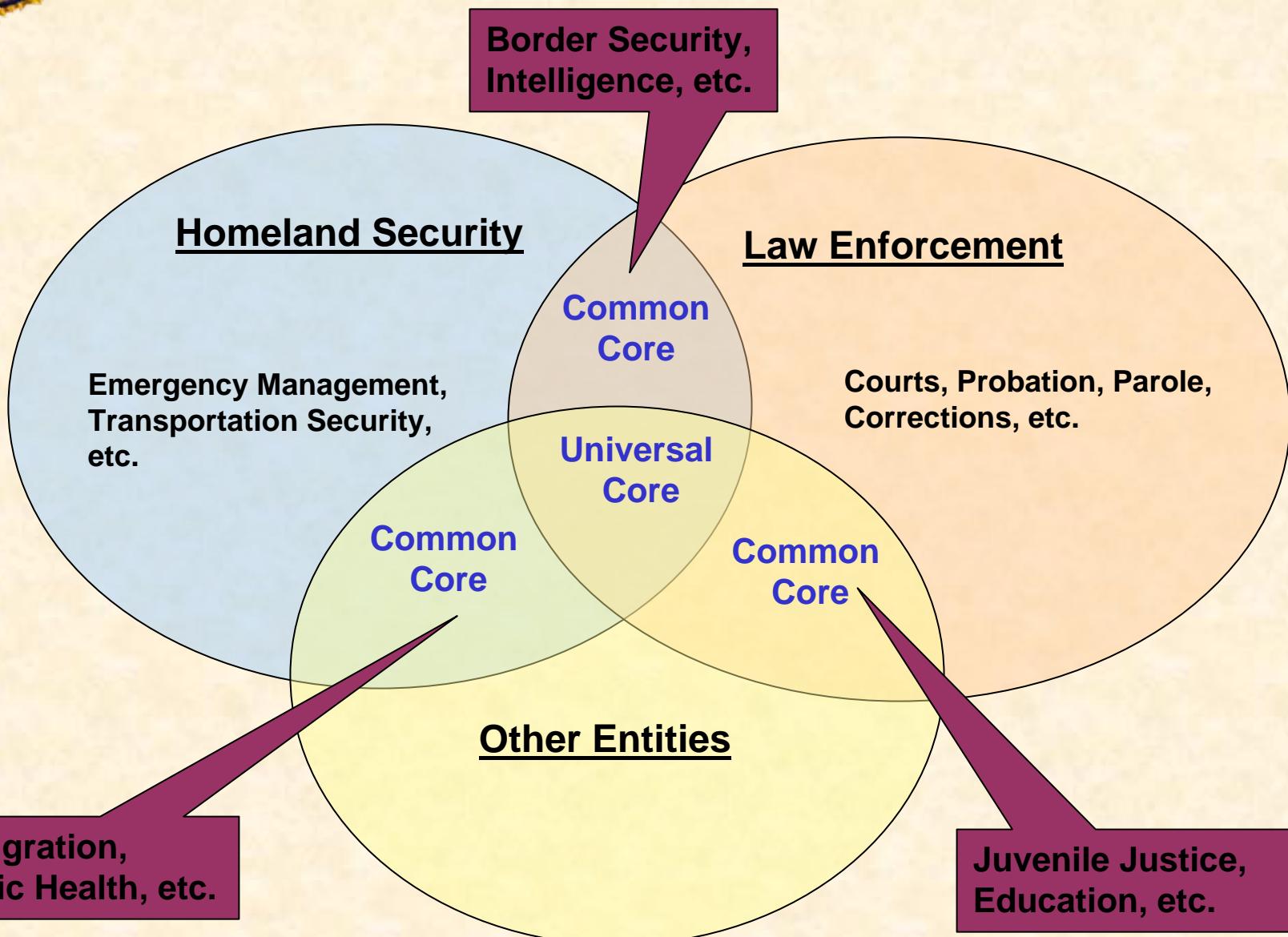


GJXDM Migration To NIEM

- The Global Justice XML Data Model has converged to the National Information Exchange Model
- Future updates and additional features to GJXDM will be done in NIEM
- GJXDM will be the Justice domain of NIEM
- NIEM was designed by re-factoring the GJXDM into a structure that better supports cross-domain information sharing



NIEM Domain Layout





Participants

- **Gerry Coleman – XML Workgroup Chair**
- **Patrice Yuh - FBI**
- **Tom Hopper – FBI**
- **Scott Swann - FBI**
- **Mike Garris – NIST**
- **Mike McCabe – NIST**
- **Elaine Newton – NIST**
- **Ross Micheals - NIST**



NIST/ITL XML NIEM Objectives

- Common agreement on steps for the harmonization of ANSI NIST/ITL and NIEM
- Work closely with NIEM Business Architecture Committee to absorb ANSI NIST/ITL XML
- Making ANSI NIST/ITL XML standard XML a successful standard
- Present the proposed specification to a larger audience



NIST/ITL XML NIEM Migration

- Creation of various NIST code types to capture the various enumerations or tables values associated with NIST/ITL
- Creation of a record type representing data pertaining to a record being transmitted
- Creation of a NIST Image type that describes a representation of a NIST Image
- Extension of NIST Image type to represent Fingerprint Image, Palmprint Image, Face Image, Signature Image, Iris Image, CBEFF Image
- Creation of a Minutia Detail type that contains information about one finger or palmprint minutia object



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ITLFingerprintImageRecord

Types 03, 04, 05, 06

Image

LogicalRecordLength

ImageDesignationCharacter

ImageObject.Base64

ImageCompressionAlgorithmCode

ImageHorizontalLineLength

ImageVerticalLineLength

FingerImpressionTypeCode

ImageScanningResolutionCode

FingerPosition

FingerPositionCode

FingerprintImage

ImageSizeValue

ImageReferenceID

ImageObject.Base64

ImageCompressionAlgorithmText

ImageHorizontalLineLengthPixelQuantity

ImageVerticalLineLengthPixelQuantity

ImageImpressionCaptureTypeCode

ImageCaptureDetail

CaptureResolutionCode

FingerPositionCode



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Sample NIST ITL XML

- ASCII characters are represented in UTF-8 ASCII format
- Binary images are represented using Base 64 Encoding
- ```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<nist:InformationExchangePackage>
 <nist-f:PersonFingerprint>
 <nist-f:FingerImpressionTypeCode nist:fieldMnemonic="IMP">3</nist-f:FingerImpressionTypeCode>
 <nist-f:FingerPosition nist:fieldMnemonic="FGP">
 <nist-f:FingerPositionCode>2</nist-f:FingerPositionCode>
 <nist-f:FingerPositionCode>3</nist-f:FingerPositionCode>
 <nist-f:FingerPositionCode>255</nist-f:FingerPositionCode>
 <nist-f:FingerPositionCode>255</nist-f:FingerPositionCode>
 <nist-f:FingerPositionCode>255</nist-f:FingerPositionCode>
 <nist-f:FingerPositionCode>255</nist-f:FingerPositionCode>
 </nist-f:FingerPosition>
 </nist-f:PersonFingerprint>
 <Image>
 <nist-f:ImageScanningResolutionCode nist:fieldMnemonic="ISR">1</nist-f:ImageScanningResolutionCode>
 <nist-f:CompressionAlgorithmIntegerCode nist:fieldMnemonic="GCA">2</nist-f:CompressionAlgorithmIntegerCode>
 <ImageObject.Base64>mrHbPdrko3u1s7ahtgPBjtmO1s85tfG2U7bpofY94Czu2SbY7d7wF9fQ7ZptgGrtkO2a2dsJ7wZbePepOH/+h</ImageObject.Base64>
 </Image>
</nist:InformationExchangePackage>
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# Sample NIEM XML

- ASCII characters are represented in UTF-8 ASCII format
- Binary images are represented using Base 64 Encoding
- ```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<niem:InformationExchangePackage>
    <c:PersonDigitalImage>
        <u:FingerprintImage>
<u:BinaryObject.Base64>rHbPdrko3u1s7ahtgPBjtmO1s85tfG2U7bpofY94Czu2SbY7d7wF9fQ7ZptgGrtkO
2a2dsJ7wZbePepOH/+h</u:BinaryObject.Base64>
        </u:FingerprintImage>
    </c:PersonDigitalImage>
    <c:PersonFingerprintSet>
        <c:Fingerprint>
            <cc:FingerprintFinger>1</cc:FingerprintFinger>
            <c:FingerprintClassification>TT</c:FingerprintClassification>
            <c:FingerPattern>AU</c:FingerPattern>
        </c:Fingerprint>
        <c:Fingerprint>
            <cc:FingerprintFinger>2</cc:FingerprintFinger>
            <c:FingerprintClassification>AA</c:FingerprintClassification>
            <c:FingerPattern>AU</c:FingerPattern>
        </c:Fingerprint>
    </c:PersonFingerprintSet>
</niem:InformationExchangePackage>
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NIST/ITL XML NIEM Status

- Re-factor elements to conform to NIEM NDR
- Compile components to submit to NIEM for adoption according to components submission requirements
- Recommend extensions to NIEM
- Produce documentation artifacts recommended by NIEM



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