

Structure of Information
Discussion Worksheet: Week 2/ Eric Snowden

Your Name: _____

Instructions: Today you will discuss the readings in small groups for your weekly project grade. Pick groups of 4 – 6 students that you want to discuss the readings with. The assignment will have two parts. In the first, you will discuss surprises from the reading or questions you have. In the second, you will (as a group) come up with a position for or against Eric Snowden and his actions. You will be prepared to quickly present your argument at the end of class. All members may not agree with the position; it is just an exercise. In fact, group members that don't agree with the position of other members can help strengthen the argument. You will choose a group leader that will lead the discussion and can present the group's ideas. You will also choose a group scribe to record what you are doing and help keep track of time.

Group Leader (this person will facilitate & present the group's ideas): _____

Group Scribe (this person will track time & turn in worksheet): _____

Other Group Members: _____

Part A: Warm Up – Surprises from this Week's Reading

- 1) One of the discussion board questions for this week asked students to pick a short quote from any of the readings this week that surprised you and tell us why it surprised you. Go around the group and introduce yourself and share something that surprised you. (When possible, you should share page number with your group and record them). *The leader should help facilitate discussion in the group. The scribe does not have to write detailed answers; just summarize each person's ideas and include their name. Spend 10 or so minutes on this.*
