CIS 255

"Packet Sniffers"  Please respond to the following:

* The use of packet sniffers by employees is forbidden in many organizations. Provide your opinion as to whether or not you agree with this policy. Justify your response.
* Provide one (1) example of a situation where the use of a packet sniffer might be justified. Explain why you believe it would be okay to use a packet sniffer in this situation.

CIS 498

Cultural Change and Project Sponsorship" Please respond to the following:

* Examine the primary reasons why project management causes a cultural change and the impact of that change on integrative information technology. Support your response with at least one (1) example of a cultural change that project management can cause.
* The literature affirms that project sponsorship is a major component for the successful completion of projects. Select an organization where you would aspire to serve as a CIO. Explore the role of a project sponsor, and highlight the significant reasons why such a position is pivotal to your organization’s success. Provide a rationale for your response.

CIS 420

"Phishing"  Select **one** of the following and discuss in no less than three paragraphs, and have at least one response to another student of at least one paragraph:

* Research phishing schemes on the web. Find a recent scheme and summarize and discuss why it may have been successful. What are the red flags that one should look out for to avoid becoming a victim, and what should one do if one encounters such schemes?
* As a security manager what actions might you take to assure your company does not fall victim to phishing? Include any training or simulation/white hat hacking you might consider.
* Any current topic or article related to penetration techniques.
* The instructor insight.