7 Reasons Information Governance Makes Sense

From Reactive to Proactive Information Management

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Big Data is Everywhere

Every department in your organization creates it and collects it and stores it. And needs access to it. The effective use of your data is a key driver of competitive differentiation.

Every part of your organization creates data, and their data sets are unique. Human resources, accounting, research, and IT all create different types of data, and have different needs for accessing it and storing it. Each area has different compliance and legal requirements. Each area has a different approach.

With data spread out, and in different formats, how do you find the data when you need it, not days or weeks later? Most of the time you don’t. Unless you have:

• A centralized taxonomy and metadata strategy
• The ability to searching across systems
• A way to reduce time to find data, increase time to leverage data

Legal compliance it nothing to joke about. Legal actions are costly, terrible for public relations, and just plain bad business. You need to support compliance, legal parameters, and regulations. Beacuse you don’t want to mess with the law, your need to arrange data such that you can:

• Quickly respond to discovery requests
• Easily apply legal holds
• Prove reliability and integrity of data

There are no givens in business. Things are changing quickly and constantly. What’s in one day is out the next. If you blink, that next thing might be over, too.

You need to be able to access your data for better business intelligence and decision making.

And then there’s security. It’s not open season on your data. Your data — no matter where it’s located — needs to be safe and secure as well as accessible.

• Accessible to the right people, at the right time
• Auditable to data access and use
• Protected from malicious intent

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