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Case Study

Eide Bailly Tackles Highly Classified Data Collection in Oklahoma- Based Research Facility



eDiscovery, Forensics, and Cybersecurity expertise for classified and high- security cases to attorneys and clients in the private sector.

Recently, a highly classified Oklahoma-based research facility requested forensically- sound data- collection service from Eide Bailly. “The strict guidelines for the job posed numerous challenges.” Calvin recalls, “In essence, we were required to copy the logs, recognize classified files early on, verify all information collected with the client, and be able to confidently walk away from the facility with only certified data.”

Nearly every commonly- used industry-standard software was explored to overcome the hurdles presented by the research facility, but many tools charge unprecedented fees and were designed solely for narrow purpose or niche market.

“Certain software utilities may have enhanced manual coding and scripting, but they only collect for a narrow list of file type extensions. Some can create forensically sound images, but aren’t durable enough to process a large multi-terabyte network data collection. We needed a robust tool that would perform as a multi-purpose utility.” - Calvin

After further research and review, it was agreed that Pinpoint Labs’ Harvester was the only extensive tool available that could tackle the elaborate searching, planning, and extremely restricted criterion conditions present at the Oklahoma-based research facility. By using

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Calvin Weeks, a Former Deputy Sheriff and President of small computer forensic companies, including eBastille, LLC and Calvin Weeks & Associates, LLC, comes armed with more than 30 years of experience in Information Technology and 20 years in Computer Forensic Services, to continue to provide wisdom and knowledge as Manager of Computer Forensics at Eide Bailly LLP. Responsibilities include overseeing the Computer Forensics Team and providing extensive

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Boolean, Wildcard, and Proximity keyword searching, date- and- time filter criterion on the 10 involved custodians, and several rounds of client review throughout, the data set was reduced from 10 terabytes so that less than one terabyte of relevant data remained for processing.

The client was very happy because it had not been able to find anyone else capable or willing to work in a classified facility under extreme guidelines and strict procedures. The client also received excellent customer service.



"I love the products and what Pinpoint Labs does. I rarely encounter problems, but when I do, the issues are resolved promptly and to my clients' satisfaction," - Calvin

Eide Bailly continues to be a proud supporter and user of Pinpoint Labs' Harvester.

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- > Remote disconnection with auto resume
- > Multithreaded
- > Early Data Assessment Reports
- > Keyword filter loose files, attachments, archives, and email
- > Search Multiple timestamps
- > Harvester 'ESI' Easy Vault (Custodial Drag and Drop Window)
- > DeNIST and Dedupe at point of collection
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