Role of Standards in Biometrics

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Role of Standards Developing Organizations

- Biometric implementations have increased in government and commercial sector
- Large scale applications require interoperability and interchangeability
- Standards have played a key role

Security / Business Implications

- How do you ensure that by adding biometrics to your infrastructure that you have actually improved security?
- Subject of several biometric standards activities
  - FIPS 201
- Create new markets
- Reduce barrier to entry – encourage innovation

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