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- The time of the visit
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- The browser being used
- A list of files downloaded or viewed
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Security

JUF/Federation has in place what we believe to be appropriate physical, electronic and managerial procedures to safeguard and secure the information we collect online.

Corrections to Personal Data; Opting Out

Please contact us to (a) correct or update any personal information in the JUF.org database that might be erroneous, (b) opt-out of future communications from JUF/Federation, or (c) request JUF.org to make reasonable efforts to remove your personal information from the JUF.org online databases. The user understands that it may be impossible to delete personal information entirely because of backups and records of deletions.

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