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Subject: Re: Change FIPS citing in SPHINCS paper
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Hi Sara, Lily,

Thanks for letting me know about this.

I've corrected the references according to your suggestions, see attachment.

Regards,
Nicky

From: Kerman, Sara J. (Fed)
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Hi Nicky,

Lily noticed that you included an author name on the two FIPS references (11 & 18) in your SPHINCS paper. We double checked with the library, and NIST should be used as the author instead of the actual author names (example below)

National Institute of Standards and Technology (2015) SHA-3 Standard: Permutation-Based Hash and Extendable Output Functions (U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C.), NIST Federal Information Processing Standards Publication 202. <https://doi.org/10.6028/NIST.FIPS.202>

Can you update those two references and email the new version to me when you get a chance?

Thanks

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