
National best practices: Implementing guide for security arrangements of radiation sources

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Introduction and background

- New radiation act, new regulations
- Thesis worker from field of security sciences
- Implementing guide to support operators in use of radiation
- STUK's strategy 2018-2022: Coaching supervision



Purpose

- Major changes in regulations

Regulatory guides "ST-ohjeet" \Rightarrow STUK Regulations

- Regulatory guides highly appreciated among the operators in use of radiation
- Security guide to combine best information available

Methods and results

- Literature review, interviews and an enquiry
- Goal to find out current state of security of radiation sources in Finland
- Goal to get operators' perspective to study and creation of user-friendly guide
- Diverse field of operators, same legislation and same regulations



Conclusions ...and the guide!

- The interviews helped creating the guide
- Some of the operators would like to go back in time
- The guide is now released in Finnish!

Links and contact details

The guide

- <https://www.stuk.fi/julkaisut/oppaat/sateilylahteiden-turvajarjestelyt>

Thesis

- https://www.theseus.fi/bitstream/handle/10024/143626/Siru_Tuomas.pdf

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