



Art of Performing Risk Assessments

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Topic: Art of Performing Risk Assessments

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What constitutes a thorough and comprehensive risk assessment exercise? What are the compliance & industry mandates? What are the core components of such an exercise? Compliance mandates & information security standards always require that a risk analysis exercise be performed on a regular schedule.

Are you wondering what the scope & schedule should be for such an exercise? Further, you'll gain knowledge of the importance of performing a technical vulnerability assessment as a component of a risk analysis to identify possible exploitable security gaps.

The risk assessment report identifies the data points for several critical security works including an enterprise security plan. It also establishes gaps in policies and procedures that must then be updated. This session will also describe remediation actions that must be performed to mitigate risk to the enterprise – and, this Risk assessment reports will provide the input for an enterprise risk management programme.

The options that exist for treating discovered risks are examined to ensure consistency & completeness provides the foundation for an enterprise risk management programme.

About the speaker



Ali Pabrai, MSEE, CISSP (ISSAP, ISSMP), CCSFP, Security+, is the chief executive of ecfirst, an Inc. 500 business. A highly sought-after information security and regulatory compliance expert, he successfully delivered solutions on compliance and information security to organizations worldwide. Mr. Pabrai served as an Interim Chief Information Security Officer (CISO) for a health system with 40+ locations across USA.

Mr. Pabrai developed a signature security methodology called, bizSHIELD™: The Seven Steps to Enterprise Security. bizSHIELD™ today provides the framework for many security and compliance initiatives at client organizations worldwide. Mr. Pabrai was the creator of the world's most successful Internet skills certification, with over 120,000 certified professionals.

Mr. Pabrai also established the industry's first certification program on HIPAA – Certified HIPAA Professional (CHP) and Certified HIPAA Security Specialist™ (CHSS™). He also launched the Certified Security Compliance Specialist™ (CSCS™) program. The CSCS™ program is the world's first credential focused on cyber security and regulatory compliance mandates (ISO 27001, PCI DSS, NIST, FISMA and more). Mr. Pabrai is the co-creator of the Security Certified Program (SCP) – a program approved by the U.S. Department of Defense Directive 8570.1M and one of the industry's most comprehensive hands-on information security certification programs.

Mr. Pabrai has served as an Information Security Officer (ISO) for several organizations in the U.S. and internationally. His responsibilities included establishing enterprise security priorities, developing policies and ensuring appropriate remediation activities, including compliance related Corrective Action Plans (CAP). Mr. Pabrai has led numerous engagements worldwide for ISO 27001 as well as HIPAA / HITECH security assessments to address compliance mandates.

Mr. Pabrai has presented opening keynote and other sessions at several conferences, including ISACA, ISSA, FBI InfraGard, HIMSS, HCFA, HIPAA Summit, Microsoft Tech Forum, NASEBA Healthcare Congress (Middle East), Kingdom Healthcare (Saudi Arabia), Internet World, DCI Expo, Comdex, Net Secure, Nurse Practitioners Conference, National Council for Prescription Drug Programs (NCPDP), National Council for State Board of Nursing IT Conference, and many others.

He has delivered fast paced, high energy briefings in many cities worldwide including Jeddah, (Saudi Arabia); New Delhi, Bangalore, Chennai and Mumbai (India); Tsukuba City (Japan); Dubai, Abu Dhabi (UAE); Karachi and Lahore (Pakistan); London (UK), and across the United States.

Agenda

- 6.30 – 7.00 pm: Registration and networking
- 7.00 – 7.05 pm: Opening remarks
- 7.05 – 7.10 pm: Address by the President ISACA Bahrain Chapter
- 7.10 – 8.15 pm: ‘Art of Performing Risk Assessments’ and Q & A – guest speaker Ali Pabrai
- 8.15 – 9.30 pm: Dinner and networking
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Venue

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