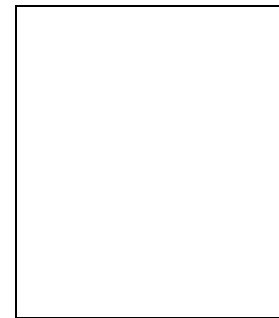## Strategies for managing risks in the Cloud

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Session Abstract

Cloud computing services offer tremendous benefits to organizations by way of cost savings, time to market and organization agility to respond to customer demands. The ease of adoption of cloud services within an Enterprise has created both opportunities and challenges for IT organizations. Organizations that are either adopting or have plans to adopt cloud services for business reasons need to have a sound security strategy in place to manage operational, compliance and privacy risks inherent to cloud computing service consumption models. In this session the audience will be presented with - What does cloud risk management mean to an Enterprise? What success looks like for both the business and IT organization? What approaches can help plan for risk management of Enterprise wide cloud adoption initiatives (SaaS, IaaS) with appropriate people, process and technology considerations.

Target Audience

Enterprise Security Strategist, Risk Managers, Auditors, Security Professionals

COBIT Objectives or Processes

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