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Shining the light on Flashlight and the security of thousands of mobile apps

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Session Abstract

Are mobile apps sending data to other countries? Which apps actually track my location and what do they do with the information? Do the behaviors match the permissions requested? Using data from Veracode's analysis of publicly available mobile apps, Theodora Titonis will present statistics and trends and use the information to show the real risk in the mobile app ecosystem.

Target Audience

The target audience for this session includes IT Manager, CIOs, CISOs, and anyone concerned about mobile security.

COBIT Objectives or Processes

- PO1.2 Business-IT alignment
- PO9.4 Risk assessment
- DS2 Manage third-party services
- DS5 Ensure systems security

Speaker Bio

Theodora Titonis is an innovative entrepreneur whose passion for technology began when she started programming computers at the age of seven. While pursuing computer science at The Ohio State University she focused her efforts on the challenging field of security. During the dotcom-era, Theodora architected systems and provided security expertise to federal government intelligence and defense agencies, leading financial institutions and Fortune 500 Companies.

Theodora served as the Founder, CEO, sole investor, and a patent assignee of Marvin Mobile. Veracode, Inc., the leader in cloud-based application security testing, acquired Marvin in September 2012. Ms. Titonis now serves as Veracode's Vice President of Mobile Security.

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