Consolidating Compliance Audits in Order to Improve Efficiency and Improve Risk and Compliance Posture

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Session Abstract

Companies are experiencing increasing demand to 'be secure' and maintain compliance with many industry standards. With the variety of required and industry frameworks (e.g. ISO 27001/27018, FedRAMP, PCI, SOC, etc.) it can be difficult to triangulate on a baseline or determine what risks or compliance issues to focus on. This session will cover how companies can decide on a baseline framework to leverage, how to integrate multiple compliance programs into one, and how to leverage this integration to dramatically improve their cyber risk posture.

Attendees will learn:

How to determine a starting point for any discussion of cross-framework compliance
How to effectively manage a cross-framework compliance program
What to look for in a consultant/advisor to efficiently manage this effort
Interpreting compliance framework "showstoppers" as operational priorities

Target Audience

Titles include:

- Chief Architects
- Chief IT Specialists
- Communications Specialists

- Computer Scientists
- Data Base Managers
- Data System Analysts
- Directors of IT Directors, Knowledge Management
- Info Tech Specialists

- Information Systems Managers
- IT Security Specialists

- Chief Automation Officers
- Chief Technology Officers
- Cyber Security Program Managers

- Computer Specialists
- Data Base Specialists
- Database Administrators
- Enterprise Architects

- Information Assurance Managers

- IT Directors
- Senior IT Specialists

- Chief Information Officers
- CIOs – Agency and Commercial
- Chief Project Managers

- Data / Systems Analysts
- Data Communications Managers
- Deputy CIOs
- Executive Project Managers

- Information Security Analysts

- IT Project Managers

Speaker Bio

As Public Sector Lead, Mr. Williams works closely with many private companies and cloud providers to develop and deploy FISMA, FedRAMP, and DOD compliance programs, often in tandem with existing

compliance initiatives. In addition to compliance program development, Mr. Williams also provides guidance for companies seeking to develop and improve their security posture in relation to numerous Federal security requirements, private-sector initiatives, and cross-framework compliance issues.

Mr. Williams graduated from Seattle Pacific University with a graduate degree in Business Management, where his coursework focused on a variety of technology and business-centered concepts and issues. He has extensive experience with FedRAMP and FISMA program development, gap analysis, and client advisory.

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