

CYBER RESILIENCE SUMMIT VIC

WHERE SENIOR CYBER LEADERS CONVERGE TO ADDRESS THE EVOLVING CYBERSECURITY LANDSCAPE

MARCH 12TH, 2025
CROWN CONFERENCE CENTRE,
MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA



SPEAKERS



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KEY TOPICS

- Achieving security excellence in the cyber arms race
- Managing the human factor: Building resilience in the business's greatest vulnerability
- Assessing and managing cyber risks in a connected world
- Profiling prominent threat actors: behaviours, capabilities and motivations

WHO WILL ATTEND?

- CISOs
- CIOs
- Heads of Information Security
- Heads of Cyber
- Heads of IT
- Heads of Technology Risk

SUMMIT AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, MARCH, 12TH

8:30 REGISTRATION, COFFEE & NETWORKING

9:00 WELCOME REMARKS FROM CHAIRPERSON

9:10 KEYNOTE: CYBER CRIME AND CYBER CRIMINALS- THREATS AND TACTICS

Charlie Mcmurdie, Former Head of Law Enforcement National Cyber Capability, Police Central e-Crime Unit, Metropolitan Police (UK)

9:40 PANEL DISCUSSION: ACHIEVING SECURITY EXCELLENCE IN THE CYBER ARMS RACE

- What does best in class cyber security look like in 2025?
- Anticipating regulation and unpacking the evolving responsibility of cyber leaders
- Implementing and testing recovery and business continuity strategies
- Instilling resilience in all business units through converged security

Catherine Rowe, Group Chief Information Security Officer, QBE

Jen Stockwell, National Security & Geopolitical Risk Principal, Telstra

Samantha Macleod, VP Security & Risk, Culture Amp
Daniel Klashovski, Executive Manager, Cyber Recovery & Planning, CBA

Moderator: Michael Bovalino, Enterprise Sales Director, Semperis

10:20 PRESENTATION: ATTACK TRENDS: HOW PHISHING AS A SERVICE AND AI HAVE REVOLUTIONISED EMAIL BOURN ATTACKS

10:50 MORNING TEA & NETWORKING



11:20 INTERACTIVE SCENARIO

In your tables, put yourself in the shoes of a malicious actor and come up with a plan of attack

11:40 PANEL DISCUSSION: MANAGING THE HUMAN FACTOR: BUILDING RESILIENCE IN THE BUSINESS'S GREATEST VULNERABILITY

- Can cyber security awareness programs keep up with increasingly sophisticated social engineering?
- Incorporating governance and adaptive technical controls for effective insider threat management
- Mitigating cyber risk through human psychology and baviour patterns
- Unifying people process and technology and exploring opportunities to bench mark risk reduction from security programs

Laura Hartley, Head of Group Security Culture & Advisory, NAB

Tara Whitehead, Security Engagement Manager, MYOB
Laura Christie, Behaviour and Influence Senior Manager- Security, Bupa

Emily Woodhams, Cyber Security Engagement Manager, University of Melbourne

Paul Gerloff, Head of Cyber Security, John Holland

12:20 CASE STUDY: SECURING YOUR DATA IN THEIR CLOUD

12:50 LUNCH & NETWORKING



1:20 INTERACTIVE WORKSHOPS

- AI-Powered Threat Intelligence: How Machine Learning is Shaping the Future of Cyber Defense
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- Going beyond reactive security : A holistic approach to staying secure
- Communicating and driving awareness of cyber risks from the board to the frontlines
- Proactive Cyber Defense: Harnessing AI and Automation to Outpace Evolving Threats
- Reducing the noise and optimising threat detection

2:00 PANEL DISCUSSION: ASSESSING AND MANAGING THIRD PARTY AND SUPPLIER RISKS IN A CONNECTED WORLD

- How effective can supply chain cyber risk analysis practically be?
- Determining critical suppliers and associate risk exposure
- Unpacking effective identification of key parties, contractors, vendors
- Best practice in ongoing auditing, assessment and monitoring intervals

Tamsyn Harris, Head of Business Controls and Monitoring- Technology, Westpac

Samrat Seal, Group Manager, Cyber Services and Programs , Kmart

Nick Maccallum, Head of Cyber Security Yarra Valley Water

Raj Siva, Senior Manager- Security Strategy & Architecture, AustralianSuper

Jerome Brown, Head of IT: Cyber Security & Risk, Country Road

2:40 CASE STUDY: STRIKING THE SOC AUTOMATION BALANCE AND OPTIMISING YOUR CYBER TALENT

3:10 AFTERNOON BREAK & NETWORKING

3:30 KEYNOTE PRESENTATION: LEADERSHIP IN EXTREMES- LESSONS LEARNT FROM WAR ZONES TO CLIMBING THE SUMMIT OF EVEREST

Mark 'Squiz' Squirrel, Medal of Order Recipient, Former International Aid Worker and Australian Commando

3:50 CLOSING REMARKS FOLLOWED BY NETWORKING DRINKS

5:00 EVENT END