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August 2021 Newsletter

I trust that you are well and enjoying the summer holidays. This month as a chapter we have a number of exciting items to discuss. Myself and John Jones will be attending the Global Leadership Summit (GLS) which is taking place from the 23rd to the 27th August. These events are usually face to face, however during the pandemic they are currently virtual. They run daily and I am excited to give feedback to you all in our next newsletter.

Important News

As part of the ISACA Digital Transformation, the Global and Chapter websites are scheduled to be offline to start on **9 September at 05:00 UK time and end on 13 September at 15:00 UK time.**

A certification exam blackout is planned from 8-13 September. All members and exam candidates who will be impacted will receive ample notice should dates change.

During the outage the following will be unavailable:-

- No one will be able to transact any business on the ISACA website, including taking or registering for a certification or certificate exam.
- Our chapter website will be unavailable.

The outage will enable a replacement of our CMS. If you would like to know more please feel free to get in touch.

Event survey

As we move towards a post-covid world the chapter board would like to make an informed decision on how we support our member base. To enable us to do this, we ask that all members take some time to complete a short survey (3 questions) informing us of your requirements for events. We plan to use the results to better serve our members in the coming year, while ensuring we align ourselves to government guidelines. Our survey can be found [here](#).



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Cyber Security Skills Survey

The Cybersecurity Skills Alliance a New Vision for Europe (REWIRE) Erasmus+ Sector Skills Alliance (SSA) project started in 2020 and it aims to create a blueprint for the cybersecurity industry and a concrete European Cybersecurity Skills Strategy. One of the preparatory tasks of the REWIRE project is to understand which cybersecurity competencies and skills are currently in high demand. We would like to offer the opportunity for our members to complete a survey which will help form the strategy. If you would like to take part the survey can be found [here](#).

Jobs

We have the following jobs advertised on the chapter website at the moment:

Lead Security Architects & Senior Security Architects - Department of Work and Pensions - (Blackpool, Leeds, Manchester, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Sheffield) £49,171 - £80,000. More details [here](#).

IT Risk Oversight and Information Security Analyst (Part Time) - Newcastle building Society - £35,549 to £46,173. More details [here](#).

Security Consultant (Strategy and Transformation) - Adarma - London. More details [here](#).

Internal Auditor (IT) - Wejo - (UK Remote / Flexible), up to £60k with right experience. More details [here](#).

Cloud SecOps Specialist - Scott Logic - More details [here](#).

[Here](#) is a link to the jobs page

Events

We are pleased to announce a number of events starting in September and taking us to the end of 2021. Registration is now open for the following online events and to avoid disappointment be sure to register asap.

- 15th September - 16:30 to 17:30 - Confident Presenter
- 28th October - 17:30 to 18:30 - Insider Threat
- 9th November - 10:30 to 11:30 The benefits of the revision to ISO27002 standard

Further information on our events listed above and our events calendar can be found [here](#).



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Video on demand

As always, our back catalogue of events on demand can be found [here](#). Please note these will be unavailable during the website outage mentioned above.

Privacy Policy

Our Privacy Policy has been updated and can be viewed [here](#).

Kind Regards

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