

Newsletter 19 Jan 24

**ISACA Scotland Weekly Email 19 Jan 24**

*News and events from ISACA, SASIG and around the internet*

**ISACA Scotland News**

<https://engage.isaca.org/scottishchapter/home>

**The Digital Policy Alliance**

<https://www.dpalliance.org.uk/>

**ISACA UK & Ireland chapters can provide access to member only events – email [newsletter@isaca-scotland.org.uk](mailto:newsletter@isaca-scotland.org.uk)**

**Digital Infrastructure Group Meeting: The Future of 5G**

**31/01/2024 14:30 - 16:30**

<https://www.dpalliance.org.uk/events/digital-infrastructure-group-meeting-31-01-2024/>

**Got feedback and/or suggestions for future events ?**

- Interested in supporting the chapter by joining the Board ,helping to run events or presenting at an event ?
- Got a job to advertise for free ?

*Also - any suggestions for improving the layout or content of this newsletter ?*

**Contact us via [newsletter@isaca-scotland.org.uk](mailto:newsletter@isaca-scotland.org.uk)**

**or join our Linkedin Group at**

<https://www.linkedin.com/groups/8443092/>

**ISACA UK Customer Service Number.**

**0800 0668549 and also for members via the web portal at**

**<https://support.isaca.org/s/>**

**Future Events for your diary - links in future mailing**

**Edinburgh " Confidential Computing " Qtr1 2024**

**Edinburgh Joint ISACA Scotland / IIA Event Spring 2024**

**Glasgow Security Panel Quarter 2 2024**

### **SASIG Webinars**

**Monday 22 January 2024, 2pm-3pm (GMT)**

**Learning from S-RM's latest Cyber Insights Report**

**<https://www.thesasig.com/calendar/event/24-01-22-intelligence/>**

**Hear from S-RM's incident response and threat intelligence experts as they discuss trends in the threat landscape and analyse incidents they worked on throughout 2023.**

**Wednesday 24 January 2024, 11am-12noon (GMT)**

**Why even the strongest SOC cannot defend you from your most vulnerable supplier**

**<https://www.thesasig.com/calendar/event/24-01-24-resilience/>**

**Join Adam to gain valuable insights on the best practices and considerations for building a powerful defense against evolving threats. We'll uncover the latest trends and techniques used by cyber criminals, as well as strategies for detecting and preventing attacks, and the role of technology in maintaining a strong cybersecurity posture.**

**Wednesday 24 January 2024, 3.30pm – 6.30pm (GMT)**

**In person – Guildford and live stream**

**The future of AI in cybersecurity: Trends, threats, and resilience**

**<https://www.thesasig.com/calendar/event/24-01-24-future/>**

**We will discuss the importance of organisations preparing their digital resilience in an AI-enabled world, the changes to jobs and roles caused by AI and their impact on security, and the uncertainty over the future of many existing roles with the effect this is likely to have on enterprise vulnerability.**

**Friday 26 January 2024, 11am-12noon (GMT)**

**Why am I failing to engage my workforce in**

**<https://www.thesasig.com/calendar/event/24-01-26-awareness/>**

**Join us to learn how information overload affects employees, how to bring a new awareness approach into your organisation, and why it is so important to consider our target audience's experience when trying to change their behaviours.**

**Future**

**Thursday 25 January 2024 9.30am – 3pm Aldgate, London**

**SASIG Thought Leadership: Looking to 2024 and beyond**

**<https://www.thesasig.com/calendar/event/24-01-25-awareness/>**

**Scotland SASIG: Celebrating Cyber Scotland Week**

**Thursday 29 February 2024 9.30am – 3pm Edinburgh, Scotland**

**In Person Hosted by Phoenix Group**

**<https://www.thesasig.com/calendar/event/24-02-29-edinburgh/>**

**<https://www.thesasig.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/24-02-29-Edinburgh-public-agenda.pdf>**

**9.30am Registration, coffee, and networking**

**10am Welcome and introductions**

**10.15am Opening keynote: Threat intelligence unleashed - safeguarding enterprise**

**security Kyle Headley Group Head of Cyber Security, Phoenix Group**

**10.45am Securing the future: The implications of AI in cybersecurity**

**A senior representative from SentinelOne**

**11.15am Panel session: Navigating the digital frontier - unravelling the complexities of cyber insurance**

12.15pm Tea, coffee, and networking break

**12.30pm Securing Scotland: Police initiatives in cyber resilience for SMEs and larger organisations**

**1pm Panel Session: Managing your MSP as a component of your supply chain**

2pm End of meeting and networking lunch

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**ISACA Online**

**Hot Topics in ISACA Exchange Forums**

**Audit and Assurance**

**Security assessment of API**

**Acceptable Policy review frequency**

**Information and Cybersecurity**

**Third Party Security Questionnaire**

**Password Management Systems**

**Password sharing KRI**

## Risk Management

Seeking Recommendations for Comprehensive IT Risks and Impacts Reference

3rd party security assessment for SME

CCM-Lite and CAIQ-Lite

<https://cloudsecurityalliance.org/artifacts/ccm-lite-and-caiq-lite-v4/>

## COBIT and Governance

Essential Frameworks and Methodologies to Maximize the Value of IT

<https://www.isaca.org/resources/isaca-journal/issues/2016/volume-2/essential-frameworks-and-methodologies-to-maximize-the-value-of-it>

COBIT 2019 Design Guide Toolkit Overview

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AttJcpMGQzI>

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## ISACA Media Link

### ISACA Webinar - The State of Privacy 2024

**<https://www.isaca.org/resources/privacy-in-practice-survey>**

**Thursday, 25 January 2024 | 11:00 am CST 17.00 UK**

**The State of Privacy 2024 webinar is free to members and will cover the trends organizations and professionals are experiencing in data privacy.**

***Also - Download the Privacy in Practice 2023 Report at the above link – free to Members and Non Members***

### ISACA 2024 Virtual Conference: Digital Trust.

**Asia Pacific Oceania , 20 February**

**Americas , 21 February**

**EMEA 22 February**

**<https://www.isaca.org/training-and-events/isaca-2024-virtual-conference>**

**One Day Pass ( Member \$199, Non Member \$398) and 3 Day Global Pass ( Member \$499, Non Member \$998 )**

#### **Day 1: AsiaPac**

**20 February 13:45 (UTC+10)**

#### **AI: The Good, the Bad and the Ugly**

**AI is shaping how we work and what the world of work will be like in the future, particularly in the technology and security spaces. We live in a time when people believe that digitization is the great leveler of opportunity for all. But this is not the truth at all. With this session, you'll gain a deeper understanding of how we can all work together in security, technology and privacy to create safe spaces for individuals to interact when it comes to AI.**

## **Day 2: America**

**21 February 13:45 (UTC 6)**

### **Establishing a Data Trust Program—From Data Governance to Privac**

In the face of escalating cyber threats, organizations must adopt a comprehensive cybersecurity-centric approach to fortify their data assets. This presentation explores the nuanced steps in establishing a Cybersecurity-Centric Data Trust Program, emphasizing key elements such as data governance, classification, and discovery. Participants in this session will gain actionable insights into safeguarding sensitive information, mitigating cyber threats and ensuring the resilience of their organizational data infrastructure.

## **Day 3: EMEA**

**22 February 13:45 (UTC+1)**

### **Unpacking a Privacy Program: Why it's Important, What it Consists of, and How the Elements Fit Together**

If your company processes data about people—personal data—you need to operationalize the often abstract legal requirements of privacy and data protection laws and regulations. This is normally accomplished by developing and implementing a privacy program. This session outlines what a privacy program is, breaking down and explaining the importance of each element.

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**[Check out the Engage Community Library for useful reference docs](https://engage.isaca.org/communities/community-home/librarydocuments)**

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**ISACA CERTIFICATIONS & Certificates – the full list**

**<https://www.isaca.org/credentialing>**

**Find Your Exam Candidate Guide Here**

**<https://www.isaca.org/credentialing/exam-candidate-guides>**

**Central England Chapter Upcoming Training**

**Please email Mike Hughes: < mhughes@prismra.co.uk>**

**ISACA Ireland Chapter Conference 2024 19<sup>th</sup> April – Call for Papers**

**<https://engage.isaca.org/irelandchapter/new-page/conference-2022178>**

**Irish Chapter Upcoming Training**

ISACA Ireland and ISACA Scotland members are charged the same price

Any queries to - Everett.Breakey@isaca.ie

**In person CRISC Course Cork City 29th Jan 2024 to 1st Feb 2024 (Four Days)**

**The Cut-off date for registration is Wednesday 24th January 2024**

Priced with or without Exam Voucher and manuals Please book at:

**<https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/certified-in-risk-and-information-systems-control-crisc-official-course-tickets-779923210317>**

**In person COBIT 2019 Foundation Course Dublin 16th to 17th Feb 2024.**

This course will earn **16** verified CPE's

**The Cut-off date for registration is Saturday 3rd Feb 202**Priced with or without Exam Voucher Please book at

**<https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/cobit-2019-foundation-course-tickets-779345692947>**

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## **DPS Courses January and February**

**All 2 Days: Virtual    € 800.00**

### **ISO 42001 AI Management System Course**

**20 – 21 February 2024**

<https://dps.ltd/index.php/ijoomla/guruprograms/1-govern,-manage-control/19-artificial-intelligence-management-system-course>

### **Governance of Artificial Intelligence Systems Course**

**15 – 16 February 2024**

<https://dps.ltd/index.php/ijoomla/guruprograms/1-govern,-manage-control/11-ai-systems-governance-course>

### **AI Data Protection and Fundamental Rights Impact Assessment**

**30 – 31 January 2024**

**28 – 29 February 2024**

<https://dps.ltd/index.php/ijoomla/guruprograms/1-govern,-manage-control/21-ai-personal-data-rights-impact-assessment-course>

### **AI Personal Data Breach Management**

**22 – 23 January 2024**

**26 – 27 February 2024**

<https://dps.ltd/index.php/ijoomla/guruprograms/1-govern,-manage-control/20-ai-personal-data-breach-management-course>

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## **MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS**

**ISACA Webinars - Free to members**

<https://www.isaca.org/training-and-events/online-training/webinars>

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## **ISACA Mentorship Program**

**<https://mentorship.isaca.org/>**

The Program facilitates one-to-one mentorship connections and brings together ISACA members at all stages of their careers who want to give or receive professional development support. Career mentoring helps both participants to expand networks, gain new knowledge and insights, and build new skills.

As always, 72 free CPEs are available to you through your ISACA membership.

<https://www.isaca.org/membership/membership-benefits/free-cpe>

**Earn 1 Free CPE Credit—Take a Journal Quiz**

<https://www.isaca.org/resources/isaca-journal/cpe-quizzes/quiz-194>

## **@ISACA TIPS COLUMN ARCHIVES**

<https://www.isaca.org/resources/news-and-trends/tips-column-archives>

## **ISACA Support**

**<https://support.isaca.org/>**.

*Please visit <https://support.isaca.org> for all support needs, which includes a chat option and answers to hundreds of frequently asked questions (FAQs). Submit only one ticket per issue.*

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## **Graduate Apprenticeship Programmes**

**Glasgow Caledonian University**

<https://www.gcu.ac.uk/study/graduateapprenticeships/>

ronnie.beattie@gcu.ac.uk and 0771 4715286

## **The Robert Gordon University Graduate Apprenticeship in MSc Cyber Security**

For more details and to apply, please visit:

<https://www.rgu.ac.uk/study/courses/4074-graduate-apprenticeship-in-msc-cyber-security>

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### **On Demand Webinars & Newsletters**

#### **Data Lab Community events & meet-ups**

*Online via The Data Lab Community*

<https://community.thedatalab.com/events>

#### **FinTech Scotland Newsletter**

<https://send.lucidity.ie/t/r-e-ttiknkd-udiutdzki-jd/>

#### **Scottish AI Alliance**

<https://www.scottishai.com/events>

#### **FINOS Newlster**

<https://www.finos.org/newsletter>

#### **ONS Data Science Campus**

<https://datasciencecampus.ons.gov.uk/>

#### **Cyber and Fraud Centre Scotland**

<https://cyberfraudcentre.com/events?>

#### **Trending AI Research + Trending AI Tools**

<https://marktechpost-newsletter.beehiiv.com/>

#### **AI Weekly**

<https://aiweekly.co/>

**Gradient Flow (Large Language Models)**

<https://gradientflow.substack.com/>

**HelpNetSecurity**

<https://www.helpnetsecurity.com/newsletter/>

**Trading Standards A-Z of Scams**

<https://www.tsscot.co.uk/a-z-scams/>

## **Live Webinars**

**UK Time moved from BST to GMT on last Sunday in October**

**Has the public sector got a grip on cyber resilience?**

**Jan 23, 2024 10.30-11.30**

<https://events.hubilo.com/has-the-public-sector-got-a-grip-on-cyber-resilience/register>

**how Vanta's trust management platform automates up to 90% of tasks for ISO 27001, GDPR, SOC 2, and more**

**23 January at 11 AM GMT**

<https://www.vanta.com/webinars/jan-emea-vanta-in-action>

**Bastille Research Webinar: Bluetooth Vulnerabilities**

**Tuesday January 23, 1pm ET 18.00 UK**

<https://bastille.net/bluetooth-threats>

**AWS re:Invent re:Cap Online**

**24<sup>th</sup> January 10:00 - 13:30 CET 9.00-12.30 UK**

<https://emea-reinvent-recap.virtual.awsevents.com/register>

**Effective Communication for IT Leaders**

**Wednesday, January 24 1:00 PM ET | 10:00 AM PT 18.00 UK**

<https://go.infotech.com/webinar-good-communication-for-IT-leaders>

**DMARC: understanding email authentication and how to get it right**  
**Friday 26th January | 10:00 GMT | Zoom webinar**  
[https://lp.barracuda.com/BEU-EMEA-WBN-20240126-DGen-SEmProt-DMARC\\_LP-Registration.html](https://lp.barracuda.com/BEU-EMEA-WBN-20240126-DGen-SEmProt-DMARC_LP-Registration.html)

**Beyond the Buzz, Navigating Uncharted Realities in Tech: Predictions 2024 SPLUNK** Tuesday, January 30, 2024 | 11:00AM–12:00PM GMT  
<https://discover.splunk.com/Beyond-the-Buzz-Navigating-Uncharted-Realities-in-Tech-Predictions-2024.html>

**Top Digital Fraud Threats and Predictions For 2024**  
**Tuesday, Jan. 30, 2024 12:00 PM GMT**  
<https://www.bankinfosecurity.co.uk/webinars/live-webinar-top-digital-fraud-threats-predictions-for-2024-w-5318>

**Data Harmonization for Better Business Decisions Progress**  
**Webinar: Wednesday, January 31, 11:00 a.m. ET 16.00 UK**  
<https://www.progress.com/resources/webinars/data-harmonization-for-better-business-decisions>

**Top Things You Need to Know About API Security**  
**February 6, 2024 | 9am PST | 5pm GMT**  
<https://42crunch.com/webinar-top-things-you-need-to-know-about-api-security/>

**The State of Financial Crime: What To Expect in 2024**  
**Wednesday February 7th, 2024**  
**3pm GMT | 10am EST**  
<https://get.complyadvantage.com/insights/state-of-financial-crime/webinar>

**Acqua Runtime Security Series: Securing Cloud Native Environments,** where our team will walk you through the essentials of protecting your cloud native applications.

**Jan 25      Unbreakable Cloud: Building the Foundation for Runtime Security**

**Feb 1        Blinders Off: Synergetic Security in Cloud Native Applications**

**Feb 8        Incident Immunity: Effective Response Without Downtime in Cloud Native Apps**

**Sign up for the series or select individual sessions here.**

**<https://info.aquasec.com/runtime-series-emea>**

## **2024 Conferences**

### **CyberScotland Week**

**26th February – 3rd March 2024. See events at**

**<https://www.cyberscotland.com/cyberscotlandweek/>**

**The Financial Cloud Summit takes London Thursday 7 March 2024**

**<https://www.financialcloudsummit.com/register>**

**Tickets free to Banks ; £500 + VAT for other corporates/vendors.**

**The Scottish AI Summit will take place on 28 March 2024.**

**Dynamic Earth Edinburgh Details TBC**

**<https://www.scottishai.com/events>**

### **IMPACT 2024**

**<https://www.theimpactconference.com/impact-uk/>**

**Tuesday 12th March London**

## **Around The Web**

**4-year campaign backdoored iPhones via iMessage texts using an undocumented hardware feature - "Triangulation" infected dozens of iPhones belonging to employees of Moscow-based Kaspersky.**  
<https://arstechnica.com/security/2023/12/exploit-used-in-mass-iphone-infection-campaign-targeted-secret-hardware-feature/>

**Sussex NHS trust recovers from 'critical incident' after weekend IT outage**  
<https://www.publictechnology.net/2024/01/16/health-and-social-care/sussex-nhs-trust-recovers-from-critical-incident-after-weekend-it-outage/>

**Two critical flaws found in WordPress POST SMTP Mailer plugin used on over 300,000 websites would allow viewing password reset emails and injecting code into webpages - update (version 2.8.9 ) available**

<https://www.tripwire.com/state-of-security/critical-flaw-found-wordpress-plugin-used-over-300000-websites>

**There are people trying to hack into JPMorgan Chase 45 billion times a day...the worst part about that number is it's 2x what it was last year.**  
<https://www.finextra.com/newsarticle/43548/jpmorgan-faces-45-billion-hacking-attempts-a-day>

**TSB finds over a third of adverts on Facebook Marketplace could be scams**  
<https://www.finextra.com/newsarticle/43552/tsb-finds-over-a-third-of-adverts-on-facebook-marketplace-could-be-scams>

**MoD looks to identify cyber weak spots with HackerOne £2.5m bug-bounty deal**  
<https://www.publictechnology.net/2024/01/15/defence-and-security/mod-looks-to-identify-cyber-weak-spots-with-2-5m-bug-bounty-deal/>

**SharePoint Server Privilege Escalation Vulnerability [CVE-2023-29357](#)**  
added to CISA known exploited vulnerabilities (KEV) catalog - attack  
bypasses authentication with spoofed authentic JSON token and allows  
RCE. CISA advises update by January 31

<https://www.cisa.gov/known-exploited-vulnerabilities-catalog>

**Apache Hadoop and YARN misconfiguration allowing exploitation via a  
HTTP request found in honeypot**

<https://blog.aquasec.com/threat-alert-apache-applications-targeted-by-stealthy-attacker>

**Takeaway from SEC and Mandiant X hijacks - as text/SMS based 2FA  
for free accounts has been discontinued , all organizations without X  
Premium service need to ensure they've enabled app based 2FA**  
<https://www.bankinfosecurity.com/blogs/top-takeaways-from-hijacking-mandiant-x-account-p-3552>

**Sainsbury's to wind down core banking business having already  
offloaded its mortgage book to Co-operative Bank in the summer.**  
<https://www.finextra.com/newsarticle/43551/sainsburys-to-wind-down-core-banking-business>

**DWP signs deal for Capita Costain social media passive listening tool  
to analyse citizens' social posts in anti-fraud drive**  
<https://www.publictechnology.net/2024/01/18/society-and-welfare/dwp-signs-deal-for-ai-tech-to-analyse-citizens-social-posts-in-anti-fraud-drive/>

**Data regulator fines food delivery company HelloFresh £140K for breach  
of public trust for PECR breach by sending 80M+ spams**  
[https://www.theregister.com/2024/01/12/data\\_regulator\\_fines\\_hellofresh\\_140k/](https://www.theregister.com/2024/01/12/data_regulator_fines_hellofresh_140k/)



**Google and Yahoo Enforce Sender Email Requirements from 1<sup>st</sup> Feb24**  
<https://support.google.com/mail/answer/81126>

**Fincen reports 42% of US BSA Money Laundering reports is suspicious activity tied to the exploitation of identity processes during account creation, account access, and transaction processing**  
<https://www.fincen.gov/news/news-releases/fincen-issues-analysis-identity-related-suspicious-activity>

**Dollar Stablecoin has lead in SE Asia Organised Crime Money Laundering due to low exchange rate volatility – UN Report**  
[https://www.unodc.org/roseap/uploads/documents/Publications/2024/Casino\\_Underground\\_Banking\\_Report\\_2024.pdf](https://www.unodc.org/roseap/uploads/documents/Publications/2024/Casino_Underground_Banking_Report_2024.pdf)

**Digiday's definitive, if not exhaustive, 2024 Google Chrome third-party cookie deprecation glossary**  
<https://digiday.com/marketing/digidays-definitive-if-not-exhaustive-2024-google-chrome-third-party-cookie-deprecation-glossary/>

**107 Accounts Payable Process Tasks Handled by Your AP Team**  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r-68nnxPWt8&list=PLtL6rWSXZ-HeNwCTRm4jZlIGKzi8VOWi>

**Third-Party Risk Management: The Definitive Guide** Prevalent  
<https://www.prevalent.net/blog/third-party-risk-management/>

**Building Security in Maturity Model (BSIMM) 14 – Trends and Insights Report**  
<https://go.synopsys.com/software-integrity-bsimm14-trends-and-insights-report.html>

**Building Security In Maturity Model (BSIMM) compared to OWASP Software Assurance Maturity Model (SAMM) – Descriptive v Prescriptive**

<https://owaspsamm.org/blog/2020/10/29/comparing-bsimm-and-samm/>

**Disc Rot is a real thing for optical media**

<https://www.discogs.com/digs/gear/disc-rot-how-to-look-after-cds/>

**Central Digital and Data Office (CDDO) Guidance on the Legacy IT Risk Assessment Framework**

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-on-the-legacy-it-risk-assessment-framework/guidance-on-the-legacy-it-risk-assessment-framework>

**UK Gov Centre for Data Ethics and Innovation**

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/centre-for-data-ethics-and-innovation>

**Algorithmic Transparency Recording Standard**

**A standardised way of recording and sharing information about how the public sector uses algorithmic tools.**

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/algorithmic-transparency-template>

**Responsible AI Certification**

[https://assets.ctfassets.net/rz1q59puyoaw/6MYkmmV9wk0ZmrBTOluQG7/fd830fcc413fa54290f5bc9dbbd10f0b/The\\_Responsible\\_AI\\_Certification.pdf](https://assets.ctfassets.net/rz1q59puyoaw/6MYkmmV9wk0ZmrBTOluQG7/fd830fcc413fa54290f5bc9dbbd10f0b/The_Responsible_AI_Certification.pdf)

**Nonprofit group Fairly Trained plans to certify AI models that ask permission to use copyrighted material.**

**<https://www.fairlytrained.org/blog/fairly-trained-launches-certification-for-generative-ai-models-that-respect-creators-rights>**

**LeftoverLocals - Just 10 lines of code can steal AI secrets from Apple, AMD, and Qualcomm GPUs**

**<https://blog.trailofbits.com/2024/01/16/leftoverlocals-listening-to-llm-responses-through-leaked-gpu-local-memory/>**

**Anthropic researchers find that AI models can be trained to deceive**  
**<https://techcrunch.com/2024/01/13/anthropic-researchers-find-that-ai-models-can-be-trained-to-deceive/>**

**OWASP AI Security and Privacy Guide**

**<https://owasp.org/www-project-ai-security-and-privacy-guide/>**

**Central Bank Digital Currency Tracker**

**<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/cbdctracker/>**

**Scotland's fintech sector has grown its headcount by 24% in two years with 2000 roles – Fintech Scotland**

**<https://www.altfi.com/article/scotland-s-fintech-sector-has-grown-its-headcount-by-24-in-two-years>**