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News from Security Summit Week and ISS

Spring Summit

Information Security Summit will hold its 5th Annual Spring IT Summit on Wednesday May 11, 2016 at the Galaxy Restaurant and Banquet Center in Wadsworth, Ohio. Our theme for 2016 is: Business + IT = Innovation.

This year's Spring Summit will feature sessions covering:

- How IT can provide more value to their organization and promote innovation.
- The human immune system makes our bodies resilient. Learning lessons from the human immune system.
- Today's enterprise can find an easier path to innovation by paying attention to some basic tenets. Subtle, but optimally executed principles can lead to innovative action and results.
- Cloud sophistication and centralization of data and content can help organizations innovate.
- Breaking down the silos between business, marketing, sales and IT.
- Data governance requires data visibility. Do you know where your data is?

At the end of the day, ISS will host a happy hour for attendees to network in a casual and relaxed atmosphere.

Like past Spring Summits, this will be a one-track, day-long event that begins at 7:30 a.m. Only 200 seats will be available. Register now!

CERP Program Launched

Information Security Summit (ISS) has launched its Certified Enterprise Resiliency Practitioner (CERP) Certification Program.

The CERP program aims:

- To enable individuals to establish resilient practices and resiliency techniques which are broadly preventative and timely responsive;
- To grant certification to individuals who have demonstrated resiliency concepts by completing the CERP examination;

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- To develop and expand a library of knowledge that certified individuals can access to support and advance their business resiliency efforts.

The training and certification process has been specially designed to benefit staff employees, line managers, senior managers, executives and consultants.

The Certified Enterprise Resiliency Practitioner process can be completed 100 percent online, or through certified trainers, or a combination of both. ISS estimates that the program will require 16 hours to complete. Once candidates submit their course work and receive notification of completion, they can begin using their CERP designation. Fees for the program will vary based on how much of the program uses live trainers and how much is completed online.

For more information on the CERP program, contact cso@informationsecuritysummit.org.

Your Tee Time Awaits

The 2016 ISS *Links & Traps* Golf Outing will be held at Hawthorne Valley Country Club in Solon on September 12, 2016 Lake Forest Country Club in Hudson. Line up your foursomes now and get ready for a fun day of golf, camaraderie, prizes and entertainment.

Sponsorship information for the 2016 outing is now available. Net proceeds will benefit ISS scholarships which are part of the Jimmy Malone Scholarship Program.

Security Summit Week – 2016

Have you noticed? We have totally outgrown our venue, so for the first time in Information Security Summit's 14-year history, our events are being expanded into **Security Summit Week-16** – part of October's National Cyber Security Awareness Month. Meeting opportunities involve a full week beginning Monday, October 24th and closes with our flagship event, the Information Security Summit on Thursday and Friday, October 27-28. The week-long convention is now entitled **Security Summit Week-16**.

Back again are last year's popular Healthcare Day, Career Connection and networking socials. New this year are *Mobile Monday, Tech Tuesday* and *What's Up Wednesday*. Watch Summit newsletters for important insights to these new offerings.

In 2015, there were more than 1,000 persons involved in the week-long event which

drew attendees from as far away as Columbus, Detroit, Pittsburgh and New York. Security Summit Week is expanding and evolving, aiming to build professional communities through education which will include our new University Security Consortium which is comprised of Baldwin Wallace, Cuyahoga Community College, Kent State, Notre Dame College and Tiffin. The ISS website will regularly be updated with the latest information on the Summit including: registration, professional sessions, sponsorships, scholarships, student programs, keynote speakers, and more!

Block the last week in October on your calendar to take advantage of the largest and most expansive security gathering in the Midwest!

SSW-2016 Insight – Mobile Monday

The latest addition to 2016 Security Summit Week is the inclusion of Mobile Monday. Mobile Monday will look at the impact of mobile and how to manage the resulting risk. An entire day of activities are planned including speakers, panels and discussion groups, and will conclude with a networking event to engage and learn from your colleagues' experiences in the mobile space.

According to Brian Stein of Pervasive Path Consulting, Inc., local sponsor of Mobile Monday, "With the rise of the mobile channel and pervasive adoption of new mobile computing end-points, information security professionals can no longer focus on protecting just their organization's assets. They now need to consider the entire ecosystem of devices, services and networks that their information can travel across as a result of these emerging technologies."

Mobile Monday will be held at LaCentre on Monday, October 24. Watch the ISS website for complete registration information.