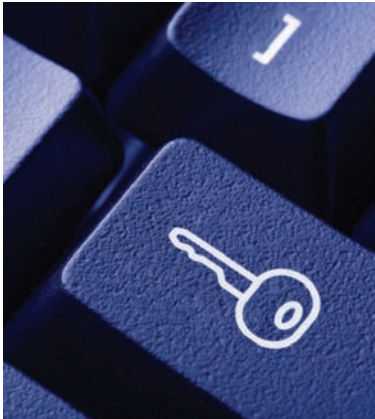


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NORTHERN IRELAND ICT INNOVATION FORUM

Information Security Seminar



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Information Security Seminar

The Northern Ireland ICT Innovation Forum is a network of organisations that are involved in using ICT to deliver public services. The Forum's primary aim is to act as a network facilitator and, by developing a high level and forward thinking seminar programme, bring a focus to best practice within the sector.

The second seminar in the 2009/2010 programme will examine all the issues around information security and data protection. With an ever increasing dependence on technology, data breaches have made big headlines, making this a key issue for organisations across all sectors. It is particularly crucial for government and the public sector which is tasked with holding and processing vast amounts of sensitive information. In many data loss instances, the breach could have been prevented if more adequate controls were in place.

Key themes under discussion in the seminar include:

- The best practice approach to information security – how safe is your data?
- Managing information risk in the public sector – balancing data sharing and data protection;
- Developing effective information security policies;
- Complying with data protection regulations – understanding the boundaries and implications;
- Developments in cyber security.

An expert speaker panel has been assembled to explore all these key issues and deliver the latest thinking on compliance, security and technology. It also aims to offer practical data protection guidance and advice on areas which may affect all organisations – making processes more robust and efficient.

Networking

The seminar is structured in a way to provide a high level of interaction between speakers and delegates. There will be plentiful opportunities for questions as well as discussion in each of the sessions. In the breaks and margins of the event there will also be scope for networking and business development.



Sponsorship opportunities

There are still a number of available sponsorship opportunities at the Information Security Seminar. Sponsorship of this event is an excellent way for organisations to raise their profile with a key audience of senior decision-makers from across the public sector. For further information on how your organisation can benefit contact Lynda Millar on 028 9261 9933.

CONFIRMED SPEAKERS

08.30 Registration and coffee

09.00 Seminar start

Creating and managing effective information security policies

Colin Cluney

Delivery and Innovation Division
Department of Finance and Personnel

Good business: Ensuring compliance with data protection regulations

Alan Taylor

Managing Partner, Arthur Cox

Future developments in cyber security

Senior representative

ECIT, Queen's University Belfast

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Best practice approach to data security

Jonathan Holbrook

Head of Data Protection Practice
UK Information Commissioner's Office



Jonathan Holbrook is Head of Data Protection Practice at the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO), United Kingdom. He has responsibility for making sure that organisations which collect and use personal information about individuals are aware not only of what the law requires of them but also of how they can follow (and benefit from) good practice. Jonathan joined the ICO in 2008. A lawyer by profession, he has experience in both the public and private sectors having previously worked for a large City law firm.

13.00 Seminar close followed by networking lunch

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- ICT and other technology companies
- Government ICT professionals
- Consultant and other advisory organisations
- HR professionals
- Compliance officers
- Office managers
- Information officers
- Records managers

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