

Scottish Information Assurance Forum





Friday 27th April 2012 AGENDA

09:00 Registration

09:30 Welcome

Alan Moffat, SIAF Chairman

09:40 Access Control - Key to End to End Security

Mike Francis, Portsys UK

The reality today is that IT organisations are losing control. The explosion of mobile devices, the Consumerisation of IT and the Cloud are all chipping away at the IT departments control over their resources. User demands and expectations for 24 x 7 access to email and other applications are insatiable. Thanks to popular online consumer applications such as Facebook, Twitter, eBay, Google mail and Google docs, users also expect a near frictionless experience for consuming and interacting with applications. If they don't get easy interaction they will often sabotage or find ways around the corporate safeguards that IT have put in place. It is therefore essential for organisations to regain control over their corporate data and application resources regardless of where they reside or from what devices they are accessed. Access control is a critical component of end to end security for all organisations.

This session explores the drivers that are empowering the users, the challenges these present to corporate IT teams and approaches for providing secure, yet simple to use access to enable IT to regain control and protect their corporate assets.

10:20 So you think your data is secure?

James Spooner, Oracle

Most organisations have many different systems and services on which they rely for day-to-day operations, these systems collectively form the live-blood, you look after them with the due care and attention they rightly deserve, some may have business continuity in place, others simply backups etc, Whatever the environment, the data within them and its availability is often critical, the thought of a business related failure or the data being used in-appropriately, all too often relies on manual process or being informed after the event, rather than anything reactive, let alone proactive.

This session will be hosted by seasoned Oracle security specialists to explore how some of the most well known attacks/accidents and insider breaches have occurred and where systems can be de-risked and strengthened, whilst saving money, be that for compliance, availability or simply reputation.

11:00 Break, Refreshments and Networking

11:20 Roundtable Discussion: End-to-End Security

Alan Moffat, SIAF Chairman

During this session, presenters and delegates are invited to join a lively debate around the theme of today's seminar "End-to-End Security".

- 12:00 Chairman's Comments
- 12:10 Lunch & Networking
- 13:00 Close