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## Information Security Consultant

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The individual in this role acts as a subject matter expert in all issues relating to Information Security processes, procedures, compliance with regulatory mandates, mainly PCI DSS and ISO 27xxx.

### **ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:**

#### **Audit/Compliance/Risk Management**

- Initiation and performance of formal Risk Assessments.
- Performance of full Information Security Reviews/Assessment related to Security Maturity and Risk Management.
- Making recommendations on policies and functional actions to reduce risk.
- Development and provisions of guidance and assistance regarding Information Security matters such as the interpretation of information security policies and requirements or their applicability to situations.
- Research and deployment of tools and strategies to leverage audit results.
- Analysis of Information Security data and creation of reports and recommendations to clients.
- Development and Assessment and Risk Metrics in coordination with overall security reporting.
- Drafting and reviewing information security policies, processes and procedures.

### **EDUCATION:**

- Bachelor degree in Computer Engineering, Computer Science, or Information Systems from a reputable institution.
- *Audit Certification in good standing: at minimum one of the following:*
  - ISACA Certified Information Systems Auditor (CISA)
  - GIAC Systems and Network Auditor (GSNA)
  - IRCA ISMS Auditor or higher (e.g. Auditor, Lead Auditor, Principal Auditor)
  - IIA Certified Internal Auditor (CIA)
- *In addition to one of the following security certifications:*
  - ISACA Certified Information Security Manager
  - ISC2 Certified Information System Security Professional (CISSP)
  - Certified ISO 27001 Lead Implementer issued by an accredited certification body such as UKAS United Kingdom Accreditation Service or ANSI-ASQ National Accreditation Board (ANAB).

### **EXPERIENCE:**

Minimum of 5 years' experience in consulting and/or audit position:

- Consulting and engineering in the development and design of security best practices and implementation of solid security principles to meet customer business goals and regulatory requirements.
- Hands-on experience with ISO 27000 standards suite.
- Experience in conducting audits.
- Experiencing creating, and formatting audit/review/analysis reports to high quality standards.
- Familiarity with or having been a PCI QSA is a real plus.

### **SKILLS:**

- Fully fluent in English (reading, writing and spoken)
- French and Arabic are a significant plus
- Audit/Analysis/Review Report writing skills in English. French is a plus
- Must have in depth, hands-on experience with security features and system administration of Linux, UNIX, and Windows operating systems
- Communication & Presentation skills
- Fully skilled in use of MS Office products

