(ISC)2 Montreal Chapter Annual Meeting

8 February 2023

Agenda

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(ISC)2 Requirements

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>> Hold Regular Meetings

- 3 member meetings
- 4 officer meetings
- 1 annual meeting (can be one of 3 member meetings)

>> Submit CPEs on behalf of members

>> Submit annual report by January 31st

Looking Back at 2022

Chapter Activities

>> January: Annual Meeting

>> May: Vulnerability Management, Avoidance, Measures and Feedback

>> May: The chapter was represented in nSec Montreal

>> September: Identity and Access Management – Tools & Strategies

>> November: Loi/Law 25 – Origin, Components, Requirements & Timeline

>> CPEs were submitted for all attendees

2022 Chapter Initiatives

>> We worked on the following:

》 Chapter prominence

》 Recruitment of members

》 Programming facilitation

》 Mentorship program

Chapter Prominence

We conducted activities to
>> Increase the chapter's popularity
>> Grow membership
>> Support chapter activities (programming)

Through this, we established communication with security leaders and some organizations in Montreal including universities & security organizations.

We presented the chapter at nSec to a broader security audience.

We contributed to and participated in (ISC)2 Secure Summit in Washington, DC.

Recruitment

>> Membership drive via (ISC)2 to all certificate holders

>> We reached out to local universities with security curriculum

>> We reached out to companies for members and content.

>> Our current membership increased to 50 from 35

Programming

>> We source our content mainly through:
- Reaching out to industry leaders
- Contacting university(s) on research work
- Taping onto our professional contacts
- Content suggested by chapter members

>> This challenge was discussed with (ISC)2 and it's common to many chapters.

>> In 2022, our most successful efforts were through our personal contacts.

Mentorship Program

>> In the first 6 months, a lot of effort was invested into the mentorship program. Due to personal reasons, the officer leading this activity is not able to further advance the program.

>> If anyone is interested in leading the mentorship program, please let us know.

Finances

Closing Book 2022

Income	
Balance at 2021 closing	682.35 CAD
Membership at 25.00 x 34	850.00 CAD
Membership at 15.00 x 4	60.00 CAD
Donation (testing e-Transfer)	5.00 CAD
Total	1597.35 CAD

Expenses	
Banking Fees	43.40 CAD
Total	43.40 CAD

2022 Closing Balance	1553.95
Expenses Carried Over to 2023 Zoom and Web 2022	204.12 CAD
Adjusted Closing Balance 2022	1349.83 CAD

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2023 Budget

Expected Expenses	
Bank Fees	60 CAD
Zoom Annual	150 CAD
Host Papa (Domain)	30 CAD
WordPress for Web Hosting	450 CAD
In Person Events	450 CAD
Total	1140 CAD

Expected Income	
Membership Fees (50x25)	1250 CAD
Total	1250 CAD

Membership Fee Payment

>> Amount: CAD $25 per year

- Interac e-Transfer: payments@isc2mtl.ca (Auto Deposit)

- Payment to be made by March 1st

- The same information can be found under the Membership section on the chapter's website https://isc2mtl.ca.

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Officers Election and Assignments

Roles

>> The following roles are up for election.
President, Vice President, Secretary, Membership Chair

>> Appointed roles are subject to annual renewal.

>> Special thanks to the nomination committee:
Hadi Ayoub, Julien Touche, Merwais Shinwari, Joseph Martinos, and Luigi Avino.

Candidates

>> The nomination committee approved the nomination of the following candidates:

- President: Merwais Shinwari
- Vice President: Roger Zahno
- Secretary: Michel Arredondo
- Membership Chair: Harold Betnga

Election

>> Please cast your vote

>> Note:

　　》 Only votes from (ISC)2 and chapter members in good standing will count

Activity Chairs

>> We are appointing
- Eric Parent as Community Outreach Chair
- Joseph Martinos as Communication Chair

>> These chairs will help develop the chapter programs including the work on communication channels and community outreach.

>> Appointed roles are subject to review as needed.

Looking Forward - 2023

For Those Who Missed It

>> Being a member allows us to submit CPEs on your behalf

>> No one is a member by default, you must apply for membership and fill the form

>> You don't have to refill the form for a renewal if you already filled it in a previous year.

>> Pay the membership fee.
See: https://isc2mtl.ca/membership/

2023 Chapter Activities

>> To remain in good standing, we will organize quarterly meetings.

>> Topics we are working on include:

» Loi 25 round 2

» Industry Trends

» Members' contributions

>> As usual, feel free to contact us with your topics/suggested activity

In-Person Activities

We would like to revive in person activities by any or all of the following:

>> Have chapter talks in person

>> Have a dedicated social/networking event

Communication

We aim to:

>> Increase visibility throughout social media

>> Increase the membership of the chapter through new channels (e.g., social media)

>> Create a space for chapter members to communicate

Community Outreach

>> Reach out to the security community in Montreal and technology vendors.

>> Identify and foster essential resources to support the chapter and SMEs for programming.

Chapter Prominence and Programming

» Identify SMEs for chapter talks/programming
  - **»** Survey chapter members for topics of interest

» Extend our presence in security conferences that take place in Montreal, e.g.:
  - **»** nSec, Bside, FIC North America, Etc.

» Establish a relationship with other chapters
  - **»** repeatable and shareable activities/talks
  - **»** Other cooperations

Recruitment

>> To continue the membership drive

- Request (ISC)2 to invite certificate holders
- Reach out to local universities with a security curriculum
- Reach out to companies with security personnel
- Presenting the chapter at security conferences
- Contact new members through social media

>> Please invite your colleagues and friends

Other Chapter Activities

>> We need ongoing help with the chapter operations including:

- Chapter programming (talks, other activities, etc.)
- Ideas and execution of affordable in person events

>> Please let us know if you want to get involved!

Questions?
Comments?
Discussions?

Stay In Touch

›› Webpage
- (https://isc2mtl.ca)

›› LinkedIn
- (https://www.linkedin.com/groups/12410139/)

›› Email
- (communication@isc2mtl.ca)

›› Community Hub
- (https://community.isc2.org)

Thank You