



Moving GRC from Geneva to Jakarta

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“If you’re still running Geneva GRC and planning on upgrading to Jakarta, be prepared for a bit of culture shock.”



Geneva

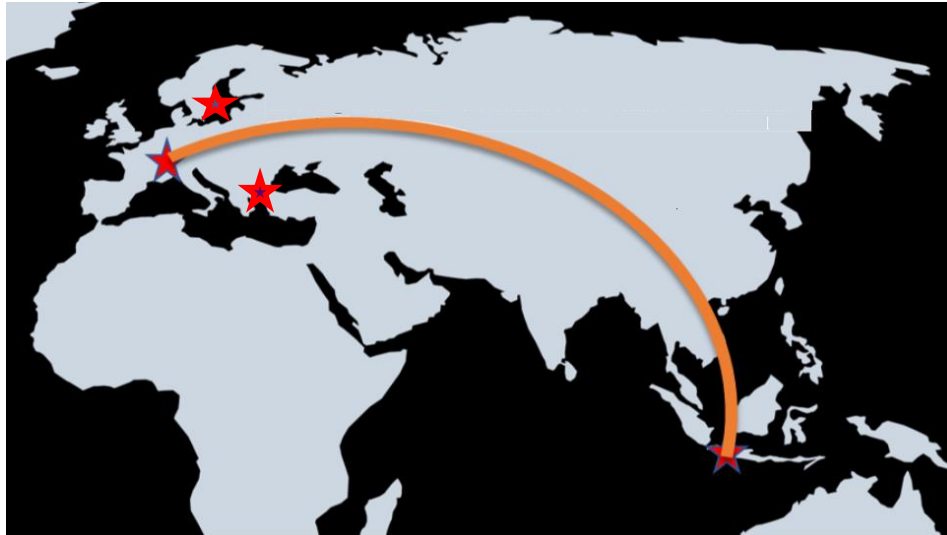


Jakarta



While Geneva and Jakarta, like their namesake cities, have a common infrastructure (e.g., buildings, streets, and people), they have very different cultures and speak different languages.

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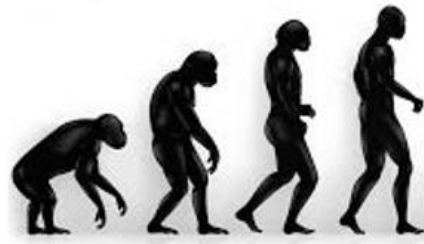
And both Istanbul and Jakarta are based on Helsinki, not Geneva.

“With the Helsinki release, ServiceNow didn’t just upgrade the GRC application, they totally redesigned it from the ground up.”

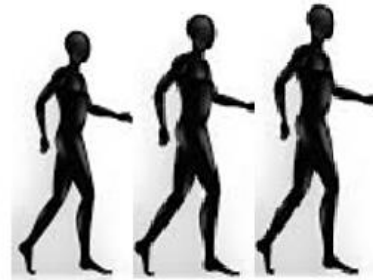


The redesign represents an evolutionary leap in GRC.

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GRC before Helsinki



GRC after Helsinki

Everything changed. Everything got better. Nothing got easier.

What Changed?



Large Scale Changes

With the Release of Helsinki, the GRC Application was Deprecated ...



... And Replaced by Three Totally New Applications



... that are no longer Free

Geneva

ServiceNow
Base Subscription
(included GRC)
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Jakarta

ServiceNow
Base Subscription
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Policy & Compliance Subscription

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Risk Management Subscription

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Audit Management Subscription

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... and Neither is the UCF

- Before Helsinki, you could access the Unified Compliance Framework from within the GRC application, browse the available compliance frameworks, and download the authority documents, citations, and controls you needed – all for free.
- After Helsinki, you now need to subscribe to the UCF.
 - Basic subscription: \$4,995 per year
 - Additional builds: \$99 each
 - Additional users: \$99 each
 - Custom Compliance Template: \$5,000 each.

Customizable

BASIC SUBSCRIPTION

\$4,995 / YR

- ✓ 3 User Access
- ✓ 5 Custom Builds
- ✓ Authority Document Comparisons

Note: Please check with your UCF rep for current pricing.

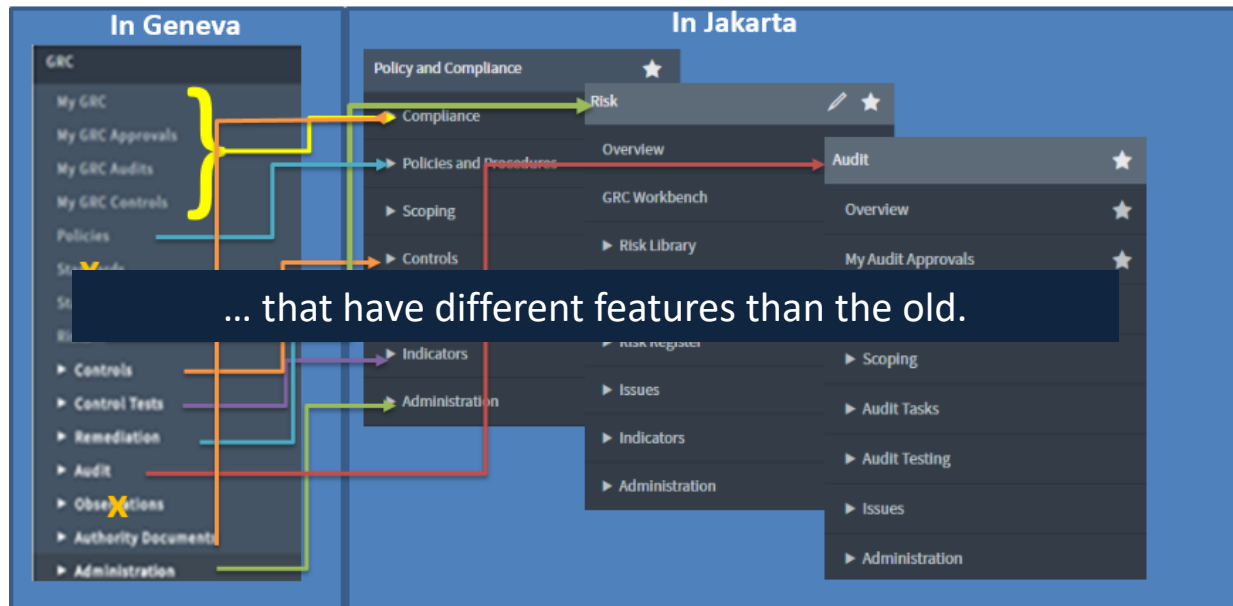
Most of the Old Familiar Modules were Deleted ...

GRC	
My GRC	• The “My GRC” reporting modules are gone. Replaced by a Compliance Overview Dashboard and a Policy Overview Dashboard.
My GRC Approvals	
My GRC Audits	• The Policies, Standards, and Standard Operating Procedures modules are gone. Replaced by a new Policies and Procedures module.
My GRC Controls	
Policies	
Standards	• Risks is gone. It was split out into its own application.
Standard Operating Procedures	
Risks	• Controls are still there but have been totally redefined.
▶ Controls	• Control Tests have been replaced by “Indicators.”
▶ Control Tests	
▶ Remediation	• Audits is gone. It was split out into its own application.
▶ Audit	
▶ Observations	• Authority documents are still there.
▶ Authority Documents	
▶ Administration	• The Administration modules have totally changed.

... or Redesigned and Replaced by New Modules



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... and have Different Application Scopes

Application scoping restricts access to application files and data

- Attestations
- Planned Task
- Task



Global Scope

- Authority Documents
- Citations
- Controls
- Policies
- Policy Statements



Policy & Compliance Scope

- Profiles
- Profile Types
- Profile Classes
- Indicators
- Indicator Templates
- Indicator Tasks
- Issues



GRC Profiles Scope

The Single GRC Application became a Suite of Applications

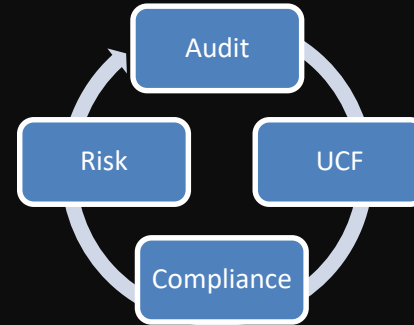
Before Helsinki



GRC

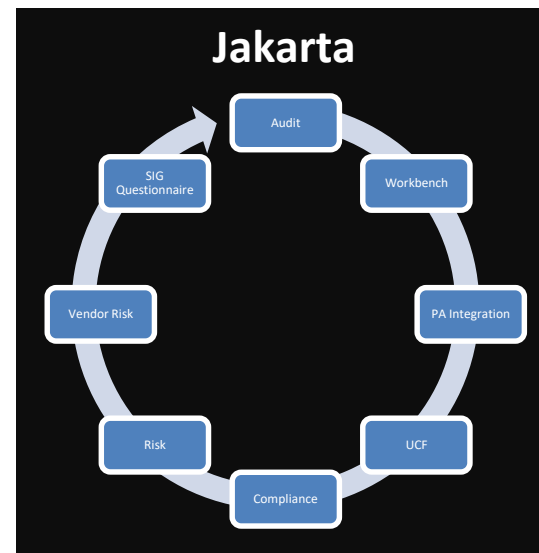
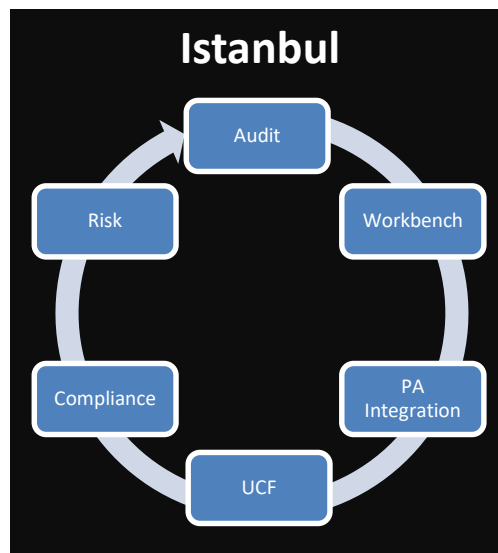
GRC (or IT GRC) Application

After Helsinki



GRC-Related Applications

... that Continues to Expand with Each New Release

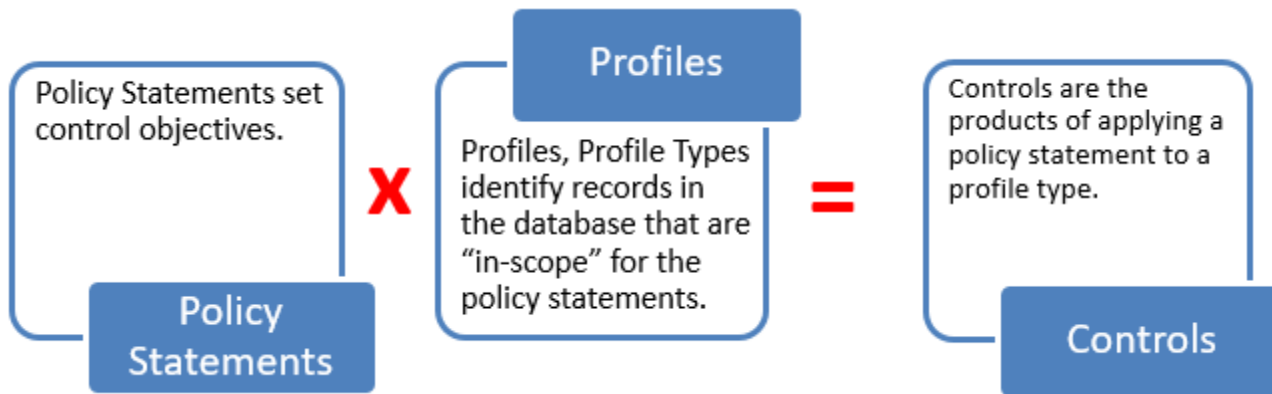


Control Level Changes

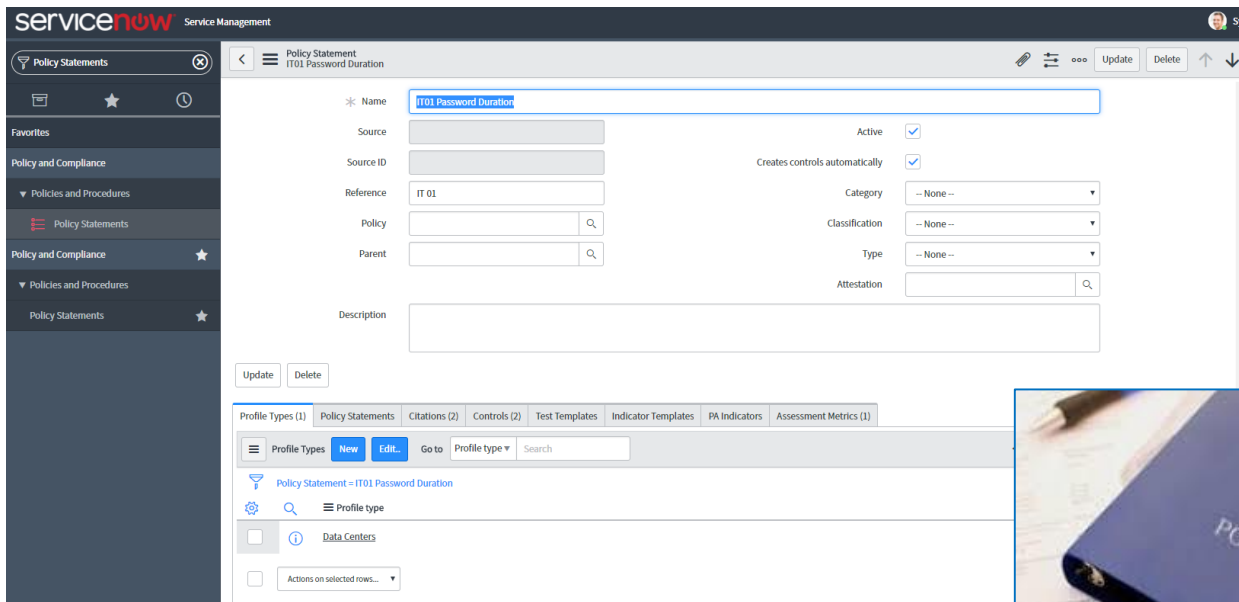
“The concept of a control was totally redefined.”



A Control is now defined as the “Application of a Policy Statement to a Profile.”



“Policy Statements are What You Previously Knew as Controls.”



The screenshot displays the ServiceNow interface for configuring a Policy Statement. The main form includes the following fields and options:

- Name:** IT01 Password Duration
- Source:** (Empty field)
- Source ID:** (Empty field)
- Reference:** IT 01
- Policy:** (Searchable field)
- Parent:** (Searchable field)
- Description:** (Large text area)
- Active:**
- Creates controls automatically:**
- Category:** -- None --
- Classification:** -- None --
- Type:** -- None --
- Attestation:** (Searchable field)

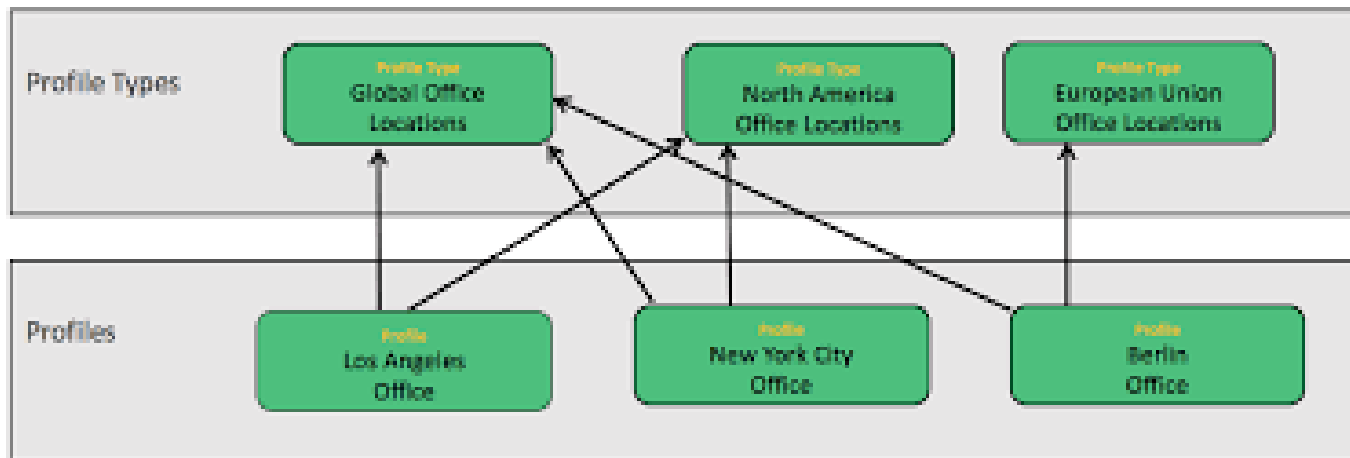
Navigation and management options include 'Update' and 'Delete' buttons. Below the form, a breadcrumb trail shows: Profile Types (1) > Policy Statements > Citations (2) > Controls (2) > Test Templates > Indicator Templates > PA Indicators > Assessment Metrics (1). A table below the breadcrumb shows the current record: Policy Statement = IT01 Password Duration, with a 'Profile type' column and a 'Data Centers' link.



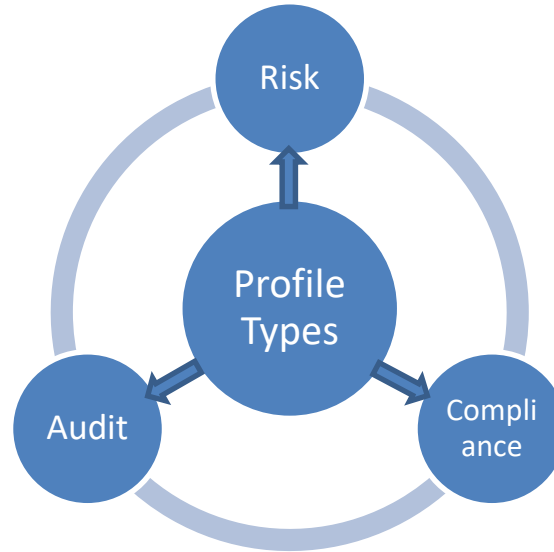
“If you import content from the UCF, the Controls come in as Policy Statements”



Profiles are Records that make up a Profile Type













... and Profile Types are at the Hub of the GRC Applications



Attestations were Added

Attestation Designer

Controls

 Attachment	 Boolean
 Choice	 Date
 DateTime	 Number
 Percentage	 Scale
 Numeric Scale	 String

Name: GRC Attestation

Is the control implemented?

Explain

Attach evidence



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Attestations are surveys that allow you to confirm that a control is in place prior to monitoring it.

Attach evidence



Control Tests became Indicators

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Indicators

Indicator New record

Number: IND0020001

Name: []

Template: []

Active:

* Item: []

Applies to: (empty)

Owner: []

Owing group: []

Override Template:

Last result passed:

Schedule | Method | Supporting Data*

Collect Supporting Data:

Use supporting data to gather supporting evidence from other applications.

* Table: -- None --

* Supporting data fields: []


Criteria: Add Filter Condition Add *OR* Clause

Use reference field:

* Reference field: Click to select...

* Sample size: []

Submit



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... and focus switched from control testing to control monitoring.

* Supporting data fields

Criteria

Use reference field

* Reference field

* Sample size

Submit



Remediations and Observations were Combined into Issues

The screenshot displays the ServiceNow 'Issue' form for ID IPT0020001. The form is structured as follows:

- Form Fields:**
 - Number: IPT0020001
 - State: New
 - Assignment group: [Empty]
 - Assigned to: [Empty]
 - Short description: [Empty]
 - Profile: [Empty]
 - Item: [Empty]
 - Description: [Empty]
 - Recommendation: [Empty]
- Progress Bar:** New > Analyze > Respond > Review > Closed
- Buttons:** Update, Delete
- Table:** A table with columns: Control Tests, Go to, Number, Search. It contains one row: Issue = IPT0020001.
- Footer:** No records to display

The left sidebar shows a navigation menu with categories like 'Issues', 'Policy and Compliance', 'Vendor Risk', 'MID Server', 'Risk', and 'Issues'.



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- Priority:** 4 - Low
- Assigned to:** [Empty field]
- Short description:** [Empty field]
- Description:** [Empty field]
- Recommendation:** [Empty field]

A dark blue overlay with the text "... that are now handled in the same way." is positioned over the 'Short description' and 'Details' sections of the form.

The interface includes a sidebar on the left with navigation options such as 'All Open Issues', 'Policy and Compliance', 'Vendor Risk', and 'Risk'. At the bottom, a table header shows columns for 'Control Tests', 'Number', 'Assigned to', 'Short description', and 'Parent', with the message 'No records to display' below it.



The Language Changed and Broke with Common Industry Usage

Translating the New ServiceNow GRC Terminology

When You See ...	Think ...
Policy Statements	“Framework controls” or “control objectives”
Profile	“Record in Table”
Profile Types	“Records returned by filtering a table”
Indicators	“Test Generators” that spawn control tests.
Indicator Tasks	“Control Tests.”
Issues	“Failed Control Tests.”
Control	“Something to be monitored by an indicator.” Totally new concept.

Making the Move

“ServiceNow provides a Migration Tool ... but Not Everything Migrates.”

What Migrates

- Authority Documents
- Citations
- Policies
- Controls
- Risk Definitions
- Risks
- Control Test Definitions
- Risk Criteria Thresholds

What Doesn't

- Audit Instances
- Audit Definitions
- Control Tests
- Conditions
- Requirements
- Activities
- Control Test Sample Data
- Scope
- Observations
- Remediations

... Even with the tool, the migration requires a significant level of effort

“It takes between one and two months to complete the entire migration process.”

-- ServiceNow HI Portal Response --



But it's Worth the Effort

Once you migrate your control environment into the new GRC model, ServiceNow greatly reduces the day-to-day burden and cost of managing that environment. For example, say you have a hundred servers that need to be compliant with an established requirement. ServiceNow allows you to group those servers into a Profile Type that automatically generates and manages the controls required to monitor those servers. Then, when you retire a server or add a server, ServiceNow automatically retires or adds the related controls and indicators. You don't have to do it manually. Similarly, the new model enhances automated evidence collection allowing you to more easily prove compliance, shorten audits, and lower audit costs. While setting everything up in the new model takes more work, once set up, managing your compliance processes becomes a lot easier.



Wrap Up

“We hope this short overview helps you better prepare for the journey ahead.”



If there is anything we can do to help, please let us know.

“At ComplianceNow, we have both the expertise and experience to help move your Internal Control environment and compliance processes from Geneva to Jakarta in a matter of weeks, not months. I invite you to contact me directly at MikeDeAndrea@ComplianceNowLLC.com to explore how we can best serve you.”

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