

The Do's and Don'ts of Vendor Risk Management

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Session Abstract

More than half of all security breaches originate from a third-party breach. So, how can you extend your internal security practices to your vendors and help reduce your organization's risk? This session will detail a proven, scalable five-step process that any organization can use to effectively manage vendor risk. Attendees will hear case study examples and learn what does and doesn't work in the real world.

Target Audience

This session is ideal for information security, audit and GRC professionals

Speaker Bio

James Christiansen is vice president of information risk management at Accuvant. Previously, he served as chief information risk officer for Evantix and chief information security officer for Visa, General Motors, Experian and Sands.

Christiansen has been featured in the New York Times as a leader in information security and has won three innovation awards in cybersecurity, GRC and cloud computing. He has an MBA in international management and a BS in business management; and is the author of the "Internet Survival Series" books, contributing author of "CISO Essentials" and numerous industry papers.

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