March Meeting Details

Current Security Threat Landscape

Date: March 13, 2014
Time: Registration 11:30 AM | Lunch 12:00—1:00 PM | Presentation 1:00 - 3:00 PM
Location: Ritz Charles | 9000 West 137th St | Overland Park | KS | 66211
CPE: 2 Credits.  
NOTE: Actual CPE hours granted are dependent upon duration of the speaker’s presentation and may differ from the advertised number of CPE hours.
Price: $35 members | $50 guests | $5 students
Menu: Southwestern buffet: Southwest bean salad | beef and chicken fajitas | seasoned Ground beef | flour tortillas, taco shells, tortilla chips | refried beans | Spanish Rice | Tres Leches cake and cinnamon sugar sopapillas | coffee, tea and water.
Registration: www.isaca-kc.org by Monday, March 10th.

Presentation Overview:

Using relevant real world examples this presentation will take a look at current threats and tactics being deployed by attackers today. Trends and possible future attack vectors will be examined including mobile and embedded devices. Defensive strategies and countermeasures will be covered as well.

Speaker: Jeremy Johnson, 10-D Security

Mr. Johnson has been with 10-D Security since their opening in 2004. He has completed hundreds of security engagements for a variety of banking clients throughout the US, and built a solid, professional reputation in this industry.

Mr. Johnson holds the following certifications: Certified Information Systems Security Professional (CISSP), Microsoft Certified System Administrator (MCSA), and Security +. Additionally, Mr. Johnson is a member of the Information System Security Association (ISSA) and the FBI’s Infragard Group.

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A Big Thank You to our Webmaster, Nila Henderson

For the past five years (2010 to 2014), Nila Henderson has volunteered considerable time to the design and maintenance of the Chapter’s isaca-kc.org website. And, if that weren’t enough, she also served a stint as the Chapter’s Treasurer from 2009 to 2011.

Nila and her husband recently celebrated the birth of their first child in late 2013, and, no matter how hard we tried, we just can’t compete with her exciting new role as a new mom. She is handing off her Webmaster reins this month to our current Research Director, Chet Smidt.

Thank you for all of your hard work and contributions to the Chapter, Nila, and we wish you all the best!

Welcome to Our Newest Members!

We’re growing! The Chapter welcomes the following new members who have joined us since the beginning of the year. If you run into them at an upcoming Chapter event, please introduce yourself and give them a warm welcome.

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Upcoming Board Officer Elections

Chapter members will soon be receiving an email asking for Officer nominations (President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary) in advance of the election at the May Annual Business Meeting. If you or someone you know has an interest in being considered for an elected Board position or volunteer position, the email will contain details on how to submit a nomination.

Changed jobs or email addresses?

Be sure to update your profile on ISACA’s website so that you can continue to review the monthly newsletter, notices of upcoming training and seminars, and other chapter information. ISACA considers email addresses to be confidential and your email address will not be shared with or sold to third parties.
Other Events

February 27, 2014
Webinar: GEIT Ecosystems
Online

March 18, 2014
Virtual Conference: Cybersecurity: Collaborate, Comply, Conquer
Online

March 31, 2014
Early Bird Registration Deadline for ISACA-KC Spring Training

April 10, 2014
ISACA-KC Meeting
“Ethical Hacking”
Overland Park, KS

April 22-23, 2014
ISACA-KC Spring Training: Mobile Security Boot Camp
Overland Park, KS

May 8, 2014
ISACA-KC Annual Business Meeting (Members Only)
Kansas City, MO

May 13, 2014
SecureWorld Expo
Kansas City, MO

June 14, 2014
CISA, CISM, CRISC and CGEIT Exams

August 18—20, 2014
Governance, Risk and Control Conference
(Receive by June 6th to save $200!)
Palm Beach, FL

Mark Your Calendar! Upcoming Events in KC

ISACA-KC Spring Training Seminar to Be Held April 22—23, 2014

Jerrod Brennen, Senior Instructor with the MIS Training Institute, will be presenting the Chapter’s 2-day spring training seminar in April on the Sprint campus. Seating is limited for this specialized and insightful training, so register soon at http://www.isaca-kc.org/meetingReg.php to secure your spot. NOTE: ISACA members who register by March 31st will save $50 off the regular price of $480. Non-member pricing is $640. For more information on the seminar, please view the flyer at http://bit.ly/1ccqqba.

Session Overview:
Mobility poses many security, including anonymous connections, "always on" connections, clear text network traffic, wireless networks, and many more. Unfortunately, mobile technology usage in the workplace has grown at a rate that far exceeds the training and education necessary to equip information security professionals to adequately protect their organizations and their users from mobile-related threats. These professionals are further challenged by the fact that mobile devices are finding their way into the workplace, whether or not the business is ready for them.

This two-day seminar is designed to provide the knowledge and experience you need in order to enable your organization to securely embrace, deploy, and manage mobile devices and applications. Through both discussion and hands-on exercises you will gain specialized knowledge of mobile technology security. We will cover mobile computing fundamentals, security settings for varying device types, assessing mobile computing risks, developing mobile policies, procedures, & standards, auditing mobile devices, deploying & managing a Mobile Device Management (MDM) solution, attacking and defending mobile devices & applications, and mobile device forensics.

2014 Kansas City SecureWorld Expo
May 13, 2014

Where: KC Convention Center (Bartle Hall) | 100 West 12th Street | Kansas City | MO | 64105

The Greater Kansas City Chapter of ISACA is a proud partner to the 2014 SecureWorld Expo as it returns to Kansas City for a second year. Last year’s Expo was extremely popular and this year’s event promises to not disappoint. Larry Ponemon, Chairman and Founder of the Ponemon Institute, will deliver the opening keynote, and other noted industry leaders will present over 30 educational sessions and panels on topics such as data center security, incident handling, and staying secure with limited resources. New this year are two 3-hour training opportunities titled “Handling Security Situations” and “Planning and Designing a Corporate Information Security Program” that are available at an additional cost. Visit the Conference website at http://www.secureworldexpo.com/kansas-city/home to view the agenda or to register.

ISACA members can earn up to 8 CPE hours at the Expo. Use discount code KC14ISACA to save $50 off the 1-day Conference Pass ($165 value), $100 off SecureWorld Plus Training ($545) or $25 off the Exhibits/Open Sessions Pass ($25).
ISACA Launches Open Badges for Certifications

Individuals who have achieved one or more of the four ISACA certifications (CISA, CISM, CGEIT or CRISC) will soon find it much easier to display their achievement on popular social and professional networking sites like LinkedIn or Facebook.

ISACA has just announced the introduction of “open badges”, which are web-enabled versions of the exam credentials that allow employers, prospective clients and anyone viewing the badge holder’s networking page to validate these credentials with a single click. Open badges can also be used on social and professional networking sites, in emails and on personal web sites. Since they are backed by Pearson’s Acclaim platform, they are much more reliable than traditional paper-based credentials.

Open badges are free and credential holders will receive an email in March containing instructions for claiming their open badges. The process is simple and should take no more than 5 minutes: a profile must be created on the Acclaim web site, hosted by Pearson, and the certification holder must claim each badge issued by ISACA. If you do not want your credentials or profile to be publically visible, you can make them private. If you do not want to participate, simply ignore the open badge email invitation.

Want to know more? Visit the Open Badges page of the ISACA website.

COBIT 5 Included in New Cybersecurity Framework

On February 12th, the White House released a new cybersecurity framework that has been in development for a year since Presidential Executive Order 13636 tasked the National Institute of Technology (NIST) with developing a framework of standards, methodologies, procedures and processes that aligned policy, business and technology approaches to cyber risks. ISACA assisted NIST in the development of the framework and, as a result, COBIT is one of just five informative references that are mapped within the new framework.

NIST will present the framework at ISACA’s North America CACS conference in April, and ISACA will release implementation guidance related to it later this year. If you want to learn more about the new framework, click here.

Senior Internal Audit Project Manager, HNTB

This person will be responsible for leading, performing, and completing Information Technology (IT) audits of considerable complexity and difficulty. This may include leading audit teams and supervising the work of other professional staff on a project basis. Work involves managing or conducting performance of IT General Controls, SOX, operational, financial, and compliance audit projects; providing consulting services to organizational management and staff; and providing significant input to development of the annual audit plan; all with emphasis on risk-based audits of technology, infrastructure, processing integrity and security. View the full job description or apply online. Updated 2/7/2014.