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SERVICES Virtual CISO

SI's Virtual CISO (VCISO) service brings your organisation World Class strategic, technical and operational expertise and advice. With tighter spends predicted in 2023, our VCISO service offers existing security leadership a truly expert pair of hands to review or help execute key projects and strategy, and act as a sounding board to support and empower your team. Our GIAC certified consultants and high calibre network of CISOs and SANS affiliates, can partner with you to meaningfully improve your long-term security posture, whilst allowing you flexibility and control over your budget.

Why would your business need a Virtual CISO?

Maybe you're a busy CISO who would value an external perspective – an expert who can act as a sounding board to review your priorities for the year and bring experience from a range of other businesses? Perhaps you have security resources but don't have senior security leadership – and need a 'time share' with one of our experts to take your organisation to the next level of cyber maturity?

Security teams face the pressure of defending their organisation in a rapidly changing threat landscape. And this becomes more difficult in financially uncertain times where budgets may be tighter to achieve ever more demanding objectives. We can work with to provide bespoke VCISO services, based on your cyber maturity, organisational risk profile, timeframe and budget, to help you achieve your business and security goals.

How would a Virtual CISO help your organisation?

Setting strategic direction

Review and benchmark your current security

posture, providing feedback and a practical roadmap to develop your cyber maturity.

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Board or stakeholder relationships

• Partner with you to develop stakeholder relationships or empower your team to do so through coaching and training.

Crisis management

 Provide you with the support and guidance you need to respond quickly and efficiently to a breach to contain the incident and minimise the damage to your business.

Risk management & assessment

 Assess your current risk profile, including in your third-party supply chain, and make recommendations on which remediations to prioritise that will best increase your business resilience

Project specific

• Ensure you are making the most of a specific engagement, for example red or purple teaming, in co-ordinating an audit, or in evaluating new security products, processes or controls.

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Benefits of Virtual CISO services?

- Overall enhanced security posture. Reduced business risk and increased resilience.
- Strategic direction & feedback on current security strategy.
- Flexibility in the amount of support needed either project specific or long-term partnership.
- Lower financial barrier to expertise compared to hiring a full time role.
- Improved team and operational efficiencies.

"I was previously working with a medium size retail outfit, whom had a pretty well sized security team. However, every security team is always at 100% capacity with business as usual, and we were able to step back and find a couple of areas where their controls could be consolidated, and their processes could better set them up for breach management. A few months later this halved their detection time! I love finding ways to help security teams enhance their practice - this job is hard and outside reflection is always valuable!"

How can Secure Impact help?

At Secure Impact we have a World Class team of GIAC certified cyber security consultants with a range of industry experience, as well as a rich global network of high-calibre CISOs. Our service ensures you benefit from an expert pair of hands with the expertise and knowledge that your business requires. We will work with you to understand your goals at the outset to ensure real value and business impact from every engagement.

For an initial discussion about how we could help, please contact Giorgia Cacace: gcacace@secure-impact.com

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