

ISSA UK Press Pack 2011

About the ISSA

The ISSA are the largest international, not-for-profit association specifically for information security professionals. It provides educational forums, publications and peer interaction opportunities that enhance the knowledge skill and professional growth of its members. It is also the preferred partner of (ISC)² for CISSPs and SSCPs.

The UK chapter is the second chapter worldwide and is based in London, with regional events being held across the year.

Press Enquiries

Please direct any press enquiries to press@issa-uk.org

For any feedback specifically on ISSA 5173 – the new information security standard for SMEs please contact us @ SMESecurity@issa-uk.org

ISSA Articles & Media & Internet Coverage

28th February 2011: Excelgate Consulting Blog

[The ISSA: Membership Benefits](#)

Benefits of membership of the ISSA

Phil Stewart, Director of External Communications, ISSA

10th March, 2011: Computer Weekly Think Tank

[Computer Weekly Think Tank: How to ensure the success of InfoSecurity Projects.](#)

An overview of key elements for success and elements to avoid in information security projects

Phil Stewart, Director of External Communications, ISSA

14th March 2011: ISSA 5173- Press Release

London, March 2011. The Information Systems Security Association (ISSA) in the UK has published a new proposed security standard for SMEs. The new draft standard – ISSA 5173 is the result of 30 ISSA members who have worked on a security best practice guidance document specifically for the SME market, and has been drafted using language that is applicable to small business owners.

Phil Stewart, Director of External Communications, ISSA

Computer Weekly:

[*ISSA Proposes SME Security Standard*](#)

V3:

[*ISSA Aims New Security Standard for SMEs*](#)

Computer World UK:

[*SMEs Get a Peek At Proposed Security Standard*](#)

Financial Services Technology:

[*ISSA UK Launches Best Security Practice & Guidance for SMEs*](#)

Security Vibes:

[*ISSA Targets SMEs that think “Security Does Not Apply To Me”*](#)

Microscope:

[*ISSA Propose SME Security Standard*](#)

Excelgate Consulting:

[*ISSA 5173: A New Security Standard for SMEs*](#)

Info Security:

[*ISSA Propose SME Security Standard*](#)

ComputerWorld (NZ):

[*SMEs get peak at proposed security standard*](#)

Secom plc:

[*ISSA issues business security standard for SMEs*](#)

Internet Business:

[*ISSA launches information security standard for SMEs*](#)



David Lacey Security Blog:

[*A security standard for small and medium sized enterprises*](#)

Reporter Linker:

[*ISSA Launch New Proposed Security Standard for SMEs*](#)

Xombra:

[*ISSA 5173 Nuevo estándar de seguridad de información para Pymes*](#)

(New ISSA 5173 Information Security Standard for SMEs)

Mombit:

[*ISSA Propose SME Security Standard*](#)

Inforce Ecuador:

[*ISSA 5173 – Nuevo estándar para la seguridad de la información dirigido a Pymes*](#)

(ISSA 5173 - New standard for information security aimed at SMEs)

Search Security:

[*ISSA Aims to Improve Small Business Security*](#)

TechKive:

[*ISSA Aims New Security Standard at SMEs*](#)

SinapsysMx.NET:

[*ISSA 5173: estándar para la seguridad de la información dirigido a Pymes*](#)

(ISSA 5173: standard for information security aimed at SMEs)

Tim's Take on Information Security:

[*ISSA 5173 – The Security Standard for SMEs*](#)

Segu.Info News:

[*ISSA 5173: estándar para la seguridad de la información dirigido a Pymes*](#)

(ISSA 5173: standard for information security aimed at SMEs)

HighBeam Research:

[*ISSA Launch New Proposed Security Standard for SMEs.*](#)

Security Trendz:

[*ISSA Unveils New Proposed Security Standard for SMEs*](#)



Shadow Security:

[ISSA 5173: estándar para la seguridad de la información dirigido a Pymes](#)

(ISSA 5173: standard for information security aimed at SMEs)

20th May 2011: Government Technology

[Delivering Data Protection](#)

The new product assurance from CESG for protecting data at Impact Level 3 and below

Phil Stewart, Director External Communications, ISSA UK

11th June 2011: David Lacey's IT Security Blog

[Countering Advanced Persistent Threats](#)

A synopsis of the ISSA's June 2011 chapter meeting event on Advanced Persistent Threats.

David Lacey, Director of Research & PR, ISSA UK

1st July 2011: First Wave of SMEs recognised for achievements

[Security Vibes](#)

Arian Wright, Director of Projects, ISSA UK

August 2011: The Insider Threat

[Part One, Part Two](#)

Ahead of his address to the ISSA next month, the Information Commissioner talks to the ISSA.

Phil Stewart, Director, External Communications, ISSA UK

5th September 2011: Tackling the IT Security and Compliance Challenges For the SMEs

[Computer Weekly](#)

Gabe Chomic, ISSA 5173 Team Leader, ISSA UK

September 2011: Parliamentary Office of Science & Technology (POST)

[Cyber Security in the UK](#)

Contributors: Geoff Harris & David Lacey, ISSA UK

Speaking Slots & Panel Contributions

31st March, 2011: FST Expo 2011

Smartphone Security

Josh Pennell, Director of Partner Development, ISSA UK

31st March 2011: Meeting the Cyber Challenges of 2012, BCS

Preparing for the Unknown

David Lacey, Director of Research & PR, ISSA UK

19th -20th April 2011: Counter Terror Expo

Vulnerabilities of Critical Information & Control Infrastructure

David Lacey, Director of Research & PR, ISSA UK

19th -21st April 2011: Infosec 2011

Keynote Address – The Consumerisation of IT Within the Corporation

Merlin Lord Erroll (ISSA UK Advisory Board)

Can you Turn Mobile Devices to Your Advantage or are they the next big security hole?

Louis Gamon, Director of Administration & Alliances, ISSA UK

InfoSecurity TV: Andrew Turner and Louis Gamon talks to InfoSec TV

Louis Gamon, Director of Administration & Alliances, ISSA UK

Cloud Computing Meets Computing

Facilitator: David Lacey, Director of Research & PR, ISSA UK

PCI-DSS Masterclass

Tim Holman, President, ISSA UK

31st May – 1st June 2011: Cyber Security 2011, Brussels

Chairman & Presenter on “The Insider Threat”

Geoff Harris, ISSA UK Management Counsel



1st-2nd June 2011: East/West Institute: Second Worldwide CyberSecurity Summit
[Countering Cybercrime Through International Law](#)

Panel Contributor: Les Fraser, VP Scottish Region, ISSA UK

[Measuring the CyberSecurity Problem](#)

Panel Contributor: Phil Stewart, Director, External Communications, ISSA UK

7th – 10th June 2011: Cloud Security Forum & 8th Annual CISO Summit, Rome
[HMG: Head in the Cloud Public Cloud Case Study?](#)

Geoff Harris, ISSA UK Management Counsel

[Rewriting the CISO Job Description: Trends for Information Security Profession Panel](#)

Geoff Harris, ISSA UK Management Counsel

30th June 2011: ISACA Northern England Chapter AGM
[The Future of Information Security](#)

David Lacey, Director of Research & PR, ISSA UK

10th – 13th October 2011: RSA Europe 2011

[ISSA 5173: A New Approach to Information Security](#)

Phil Stewart, Director, External Communications, ISSA UK

[There's An App for That: Evolving Mobile Security for a Digital Business Advantage](#)

Josh Pennell, Director of Community Development, ISSA UK

[Data Protection Laws and Encryption Requirements in the U.S. and Europe](#)

Panelist: David Lacey, Director of Research, ISSA UK

[PCI DSS Discussion Group](#)

Tim Holman, ISSA UK President

[Solving the Problems of Identity No-One Wants to Talk About](#)

Panelist: Andrew Yeoman, ISSA UK Advisory Board

[Taking A Risk Based Approach to PCI DSS Whilst Still Checking the Boxes](#)

Tim Holman, ISSA UK President