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TOP RISKS ON INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

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WHO AM I?

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I am an experienced IT Auditor with over 8+ years of experience in the fields of Audit, Cybersecurity, and IT Governance and management. I also worked for KhanBank, XacBank, and Unitel Group in Mongolia.

Professional Certifications



CyberSecurity Awards

2018 - 2nd place in "Haruul Zangi" national cyber security competition - n0m@d\$ Team

2014 – 3rd place for Asia region in "Global Cyberlympics" online cyber security competition - **n0m@d\$ Team**

2014 - 1st place in "Haruul Zangi" national cyber security competition - **n0m@d\$ Team**

2013 – 3rd place for Asia region in "Global Cyberlympics" online cyber security competition - **n0m@d\$ Team**

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Haruul Zangi – n0m@d\$ Team



2014 - 1st place - n0m@d\$ Team



2018 – 2nd place - n0m@d\$ Team











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TOP IT 10 RISKS

SURVEY OBJECTIVE AND APPROACH

ISACA and Protiviti recently recently released the results of the 10th Annual IT Audit Technology Risks survey. Results of this global survey reveal cybersecurity, privacy, data and regulatory compliance are top-of-mind concerns.

GLOBAL TOP 10 RISKS

2022 results are reasonably consistent with 2021

Today's Top Technology Risks	2022	2021
Cyber breach	1	1
Manage security incidents	2	5
Privacy	3	2
Monitor regulatory compliance	4	3
Access risk	5	4
Data integrity	6	-
Disaster recovery	7	6
Data governance	8	7
Third-party risk	9	8
Monitor/audit IT, legal and regulatory compliance	10	-

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INDUSTRY COMPARISON

INDUSTRY RESULTS

Rank	Financial Services	Public Sector	Energy and Utilities	Healthcare	Technology, Media and Telecommunications	Consumer Packaged Goods/Retail	Manufacturing and Distribution
1	Cyber breach	Cyber breach	Cyber breach	Cyber breach	Cyber breach	Cyber breach	Cyber breach
2	Monitor regulatory compliance	Manage security incidents	Manage security incidents	Privacy	Manage security incidents	Privacy	Manage security incidents
3	Manage security incidents	Privacy	Monitor regulatory compliance	Manage security incidents	Privacy	Access risk	Access risk
4	Privacy	Access risk	Access risk	Third-party risk	Monitor regulatory compliance	Manage security incidents	Privacy
5	Access risk	Data integrity	Third-party risk	Monitor regulatory compliance	Access risk	Third-party risk	Disaster recovery
6	Data integrity	Monitor regulatory compliance	Data governance	Access risk	Data integrity	Major projects	Data governance
7	Disaster recovery	Disaster recovery	Disaster recovery	Disaster recovery	Data governance	Data governance	Data integrity
8	Third-party risk	Data governance	Manage service losses or disruptions	Cloud strategy and adoption	Disaster recovery	Disaster recovery	Third-party
9	Data governance	Manage employee training and awareness	Data integrity	Monitor/ audit IT, legal, and regulatory compliance	Manage service losses or disruptions	Data integrity	Monitor regulatory compliance
10	Monitor/ audit IT, legal, and regulatory compliance	Manage service losses or disruptions	Monitor/ audit IT, legal, and regulatory compliance	Data integrity	Monitor/ audit IT, legal, and regulatory compliance	Cloud strategy and adoption	Manage services losses or disruptions

INDUSTRY FRAMEWORKS

Identifying and assessing technology risks



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KEY TREND: CYBERSECURITY

TRENDS IN CYBERSECURITY

Cloud

The use of cloud has increased, necessitating the need for security measures to be put in place to avoid a data breach.

Remote Working

During remote working, an organization must identify areas of weakness that can cause vulnerability to threats while shifting to a remote workforce.

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Connected Devices

Connected devices are increasingly connecting our physical world to the cyber realm. Up to 1 trillion connected devices are expected to be connected by 2025.

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Security Monitoring and Visibility

Visibility of security tools and the ability to quickly detect and respond to potential security incidents is paramount in addressing today's threats.

Insider Threats

Insider data breaches are on the rise, and companies should have the proper tools and systems in place to detect them.

Patch management

Organizations trying to proactively manage risks associated with security vulnerabilities require mature patch management programs.



Identity and Access Management

Identity is a core security control that is gaining greater significance as more of today's modern IT environment rely on identify as the main security control.

What Tactics were Used in a Breach (Actions)

Phishing					 4:	1%
ulnerability Exploitation					34%	
Stolen Credentials		9%				
Brute Force		6%				
Remote Desktop		4%				
Removable Media		4%				
Password Spraying	1%					
	0%	10%	20%	30%	40%	50%
		Sc	ource: IBN	1 Securit	ty X-Forc	e Threat

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KEY TREND: DATA GOVERNANCE AND PRIVACY

TRENDS IN DATA GOVERNANCE AND DATA PRIVACY

Third Party Vendors

There is a growing reliance on third party vendors, which places greater importance on the design on operating effectiveness of vendor oversight and related data security controls.



Data Privacy Regulations

Further enactment of data privacy regulations around the world is making it more important to 'know your data' to maintain compliance and reduce regulatory fines.



Talent and Retention Challenges

55% of organizations are experiencing technical privacy staffing shortages, forcing most organizations to solicit external assistance.

Considerations through the Data Lifecycle



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KEY TREND: REGULATORY COMPLIANCE

TRENDS IN IT REGULATOTY COMPLIANCE

1

New & Emerging Global Data Privacy Laws

Data protection and privacy regulations have emerged globally forcing institutions to remain vigilant and respond to avoid regulatory fines.

2

Data Privacy Regulations

In response to intensifying cyberattacks, the US has categorized more as "critical infrastructure" and additional organizations are subject to more stringent cybersecurity requirements.

3

Economic Sanctions

Unprecedented economic sanctions require organizations to better understand where business is conducted, including that of third parties and supply chains. Data Protection and Privacy Legislation Worldwide (December 2021)



Source: https://unctad.org/page/data-protection-and-privacy-legislation-worldwide

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IT RISK MANAGEMENT

Scope of I&T-related Risk Relative to Other Major Categories of Risk



Principles of Risk Management



Source: ISACA IT Risk Framework

Alignment of I&T-related Risk Management Principles with COBIT Objectives EDM03 and APO12



Source: ISACA IT Risk Framework

Risk Management Flow



Components of I&T Risk Communication



Source: ISACA IT Risk Framework



Risk Response and Prioritization

STANDARD, FRAMEWORK AND MANUALS RELATED TO IT RISK MANAGEMENT

RESOURCES RELATED TO IT RISKS



Risk Starter Kit

ISACA created the IT Risk Starter Kit to help users develop an IT Risk Program at their organization. Through detailed templates and guides you'll be able to:

- Establish a consistent, disciplined, and integrated approach to risk management.
- Formalize a governance structure for risk oversight which includes the policies, processes, and control systems that support risk-related decision making. And More...



Optimizing Risk Response

Risk is a part of everyday life, from transportation and travel to business and financial decisions. The digital world is no exception. While information and technology have driven innovation and created new opportunities for businesses worldwide, they are not without peril.



Risk Scenarios Starter Pack

This toolkit, free to ISACA members, includes 10 sample risk scenarios that practitioners can use and tailor to their specific context within their enterprises. Risk scenarios facilitate communication in risk management by constructing a narrative that can inspire people to take action.



Digital Operational Resilience in the EU Financial Sector: A Risk-Based

The 2008 financial crisis was one of the most devastating and far-reaching global recessions in modern history. While the reforms that followed strengthened the resilience of the financial sector, they only indirectly addressed information and communications technology (ICT) and did not fully address digital operational resilience.



Risk Scenarios Toolkit

The use of risk scenarios can enhance the risk management effort by helping the risk team understand and explain risk to business process owners and other stakeholders.

Source: https://www.isaca.org/resources/it-risk

STANDARD AND FRAMEWORKS



Risk IT Framework

The Risk IT Framework fills the gap between generic risk management concepts and detailed IT risk management. It provides an end-to-end, comprehensive view of risks related to the use of IT and a similarly thorough treatment of risk management, from the tone and culture at the top, to operational issues. In summary, the framework will enable enterprises to understand and manage significant IT risk types, building upon the existing risk related components within the current ISACA frameworks.



NIST Risk Management Framework

The Risk Management Framework provides a process that integrates security, privacy, and cyber supply chain risk management activities into the system development life cycle. The risk-based approach to control selection and specification considers effectiveness, efficiency, and constraints due to applicable laws, directives, Executive Orders, policies, standards, or regulations.



Risk IT Practitioner Guide

The Risk IT Practitioner Guide provides practical guidance for risk professionals. The guide includes a large variety of practical risk management techniques that can be implemented immediately.



ISO 31000 Risk Management

The long-term success of an organization relies on many things, from continually assessing and updating its offering to optimizing its processes. As if this weren't enough of a challenge, they also need to account for the unexpected in managing risk. That's why we've developed ISO 31000 for risk management.



COBIT Focus Area: Information and Technology Risk Using COBIT 2019

COBIT Focus Area: Information & Technology Risk provides guidance related to information and technology (I&T) risk and how to apply COBIT to I&T risk practices. The publication is based on the COBIT core guidance for governance and management objectives, and it enhances the core guidance by highlighting risk-specific practices and activities as well as providing risk-specific metrics.

Source: https://www.isaca.org/resources/it-risk

MANUAL AND CERTIFICATIONS



CRISC Review Manual

The *CRISC Review Manual 7th Edition* is a comprehensive reference guide designed to help individuals prepare for the CRISC exam and understand IT-related business risk management roles and responsibilities.



(CRISC) Certified in Risk and Information Systems Control[®]

ISACA's Certified in Risk and Information Systems Control (CRISC) certification indicates expertise in identifying and managing enterprise IT risk and implementing and maintaining information systems controls. Gain instant recognition and credibility with CRISC and boost your career.



IT Risk Fundamentals Study Guide

A comprehensive study aid that will help to prepare learners for the IT Risk Fundamentals Certificate exam. The course offers foundational knowledge of ITrelated risk management and the methodology that includes risk identification, evaluation, and response. IT RISK FUNDAMENTALS An ISACA Certificate

IT Risk Fundamentals Certificate

Ideal for professionals who wish to learn about risk and information and technology (I&T)-related risk, whom currently interact with risk professionals, or are new to risk and interested in working as a risk or IT Risk profession. Affirm your foundational knowledge of risk that is related to I&T.

Source: https://www.isaca.org

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