

Oren Paz - Curriculum Vitae

Senior Information Security Consultant and Auditor



Overview:

Extensive information security experience, specializing in security architecture, security policy and security management, IT governance, regulatory and legal compliance, standards and best practices, and complex, multi-layer security project design and management – including managing teams of employees. The only person in the state of Israel certified by ISC² as a CISSP instructor.

Affiliations:

- Chairman of the information security standards committee in the National Standards Institute of Israel (SII).
- Editor - ISC² editorial board
- Member – Israeli Internet Association
- Member – ITGA (IT Governance Association, under the ITSMF EU)

Summary of certifications and qualifications:

Information Security:

- CISSP

Auditing:

- ISO/IEC 27001 Lead Auditor (IRCA)

Control Frameworks:

- ITIL Certified

Vendor Certifications:

- CCSE - Check Point Certified Security Engineer
- MCSE - Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer
- MCP+I - Microsoft Certified Professional & Internet specialist

Instructor Certifications:

- ISC² Certified CISSP instructor
- CCSI - Check Point Certified Security Instructor (Senior Instructor)
- MCT - Microsoft Certified Trainer (Senior Instructor)

Professional Experience:

4/07 – Present day Freelance Consultant – PDCA Security.

TITLE – Senior IS security consultant

- Senior consultant for Israeli Ministry of Defense, Office of the Prime Minister, Various financial organizations (banking, insurance, credit industry) and others
- Working as lead consultant on projects with budgets ranging from 15 to 65 Million USD
- Orchestrate and lead teams of consultants and integrators (from 3 to 25 people per project)
- Define and supervise implementation of security architecture and functional requirements, safeguards and controls
- Perform internal auditing and consulting for compliance with SOX, 27001, PCI-DSS
- Define and write organizational security policies as well as system policies, procedures, guidelines and standards
- Perform full life-cycle security management for projects from initiation phase through development and testing to implementation and operation, and decommissioning
- Write and provide custom tailored information security training (5 days training on average) including student testing and certification. Certification is accredited by the Israeli MOD as mandatory info-sec certification.

7/03 – 6/07 Computer Associates (CA) Israel Ltd.

TITLE – Senior IS security consultant

- Consult on IS-SEC solutions & technologies. Customers include major banks, Military & Government institutions, All major health providers and more.
- Manage IS-SEC related projects including integration and implementation.
- Manage teams of pre-sale, sales and support engineers.
- Lead IS security architect for Israeli Military & Government related projects.
- Consult on Governance and Compliance to major accounts. Consult mainly on ISO17799, SOX, HIPAA and national government and defense related regulations, standards and governance. Participating member of the Standards Institute of Israel's Information Security Committee representing CA and the Israeli Internet Association. Also represent CA at ITGA - the EU's IT governance association - part of the ITSMF which is in charge of implementing and managing ITIL in EU.
- Teach official ISC² CISSP classes in Israel and abroad.

1/02 – 6/03 Motorola Information Systems Israel Ltd.

TITLE – Manager of IS security consulting & integration services

- Responsible for P&L for this profit unit (created by me), increased revenue by more than 1000% in the time I worked there
- Consult on IS-SEC solutions & technologies. Customers include major banks, Military & Government institutions, All major health providers and more.
- Manage IS-SEC related projects including integration and implementation.
- Manage teams of pre-sale, sales and support engineers.
- Lead IS security architect for Israeli Military & Government related projects.

5/00 – 1/02 Check Point Software Technologies Ltd.

TITLE - Senior IS Security Instructor

- One of Check Point's two senior IS Security instructors in the world.
- Co-written Check Point's courses and exams.
- Senior level Training and lecturing on CP products and IS-SEC technologies.
- Consult CP internal IS-SEC staff, R&D, customer support on CP products and IS-SEC in general.
- Consult CP external customers on CP products and IS-SEC in general.

1/99 – 5/00 Various organizations

TITLE - Freelance IS security and engineering consultant & Project manager

- IS security.
- Internet connectivity.
- Network design & optimization.
- Systems integration with various environments.
- IT systems design, implementation.
- IT Personnel training & management.

7/98 – 5/00 (Part time) Mediatek Haifa, Sivan Tel Aviv – both are CTEC – (Microsoft Certified Technical Education Center), In Israel

TITLE - Senior Microsoft and Check Point Training & Certification instructor

- Teaching computer professionals Microsoft MCSE track, and Check Point entire range of products
- Networking, IS Security, Systems Management and design.
- All MS Windows operating systems engineering & integration.
- Microsoft Internet server design and implementation.

7/97 – 12/98 LanOptics Ltd.

TITLE - Manager of Information Systems

- Systems management - Network administration (Network consists of approx. 11 Novell 4.11/3.12/Multiple domain NT4 servers built over multiple trust configuration, Firewalls, AS400, over 380 Windows95, UNIX (HP/AIX) & Windows NT4 workstations).
- Set company security policy and manage multiple firewalls and VPNs.
- Integrate and manage Exchange 5.5 over multiple sites spread internationally.
- Support, training and service for company employees.
- Support and consult over-seas daughter companies in Europe & US.
- Setting company hardware, software and service purchasing policy, including the handling of supplier relations.

6/96 – 4/97 Migal Ltd.

TITLE - Manager of Information Systems

- Network administration on Novell 3.12 and NT4, including physical maintenance of server and other networking components.
- Webmaster of corporate Internet server and site (FTP+WWW) – Built and maintained company Internet site consisting of multiple servers.
- Support, training and service for company employees.
- Set and implement company security policy

1/95 – 6/96 Netvision Ltd.

TITLE - Internet technical support specialist