

Oren Paz, Resume

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Overview:

Former lead information security consultant for the Israeli Air Force. Extensive information security experience, specializing in security architecture, security management, governance & compliance, standards and best practices, and complex, multi-layer security project design and implementation – including managing teams of employees. ISC² certified CISSP instructor.

Affiliations:

- Chairman of the information security standards committee in the National Standards Institute of Israel (SII) – Committee is responsible for writing / revising standards including 2700X and other information security related standards
- Editor - ISC² Information Security Journal 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:

Freelance Consultant – PDCA Security (Israel, EMEA).

4/07 – Current

- Lead information security consultant for the CSO of the Israeli Air Force (Contract)
- Senior consultant for Israeli Ministry of Defense, Israeli National Information Security Authority, National Counter-Terrorism Administration, Israeli government entities, defense companies and other organizations and industries
- Worked as lead consultant on projects with budgets up to 65 Million USD
- Provided consulting and thought leadership on issues of national security, modern warfare (Network Centric Warfare), cyber-terrorism, NCI and others
- Orchestrated and lead teams of consultants and integrators (from 3 to 25 people per project)
- Defined and supervised implementation of security architecture and functional requirements, safeguards and controls
- Performed internal auditing and consulting for compliance with 27001 and other leading standards and frameworks
- Defined and wrote organizational security policies as well as system policies, procedures, guidelines and standards
- Performed full life-cycle IT and security management for projects from initiation phase through development and testing to implementation and operation, and decommissioning
- Wrote and provided 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.
- Teaching official ISC² CISSP classes worldwide.
- Consult, prepare and perform audit projects for / based on ISO27001, COBIT, PCI-DSS and SOX/Bill 198
- Consulting clients on information security management from high-level issues down to specific technologies and systems.

Senior IS security consultant

Computer Associates (CA) Ltd (Israel, EMEA).

6/03 – 6/07

- Consulted on InfoSec solutions & technologies. Customers included major banks, Military & Government institutions, All major health providers and more.
- Managed InfoSec related projects including integration and implementation.
- Managed teams of pre-sale, sales and support engineers.
- Lead IS security architect for Israeli Military & Government related projects.
- Consulted on Governance and Compliance to major accounts. Consult mainly on ISO17799, SOX, HIPAA and national government and defense related regulations, standards and governance.
- Member of the information security standards committee in the Standards Institute of Israel, representing CA and the Israeli Internet Association.
- Represented CA at ITGA - the EU's IT governance association
- Teach official ISC² CISSP classes in Israel and abroad.

Manager of IS security consulting & integration services

Motorola Information Systems Ltd (Israel).

1/02 – 6/03

- Performed auditing activities to clients from different sectors – auditing included Israeli MOD compliance audits and audit preparation, COBIT and others.
- Was responsible for P&L for this profit unit (created by me), increased revenue by more than 1000% in the time I worked there

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Senior IS Security Instructor

Check Point Software Technologies Ltd (Worldwide).

5/00 – 1/02

- Was one of Check Point's two senior IS Security instructors in the world.
- Co-wrote Check Point's courses and exams.
- Provided senior level Training and lecturing on CP products and InfoSec technologies.
- Consulted CP internal InfoSec staff, R&D, customer support on CP products and InfoSec.
- Consulted CP external customers on CP products and InfoSec in general.

Freelance IS security consultant & senior IS security instructor

Mediatek Haifa, Sivan Tel Aviv (Israel)

7/98 – 5/00

- IS security.
- Systems integration with various environments.
- IT systems design, implementation.
- IT Personnel training & management.
- Taught 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.

Title - Manager of Information Systems

LanOptics Ltd. (Israel)

7/97 – 12/98

- 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.
- Integrated and managed Exchange 5.5 over multiple sites spread internationally.
- Provided support, training and service for company employees.

Various computer and Internet related positions (Israel)

1995 – 7/97