mysecurityevent

18.-20.11.2025 Stuttgart

Learnings, networking & emotions

Why you should definitely be there:

Career Boost

The best jobs are not advertised.

More visibility

More personal branding

Better marketing

Direct feedback

Larger network

Modern Pitch Night

Personal hotseats

Live Tech Tender

Advantages

Continuing education

First, you grow personally, then professionally, and finally financially. There's no shortcut except winning the lottery.

Artificial intelligence

It can never replace personal contact. However, there are many use cases and cutting-edge technology in this area.

Contacts

Emotional moments for connecting
Culinary accompaniment from 5* catering.

Audience Award

Chance to win a prize:
From the community, for the community

Case Studies

Stefan Baldus CISO	&	Henning Christiansen CISO	Florian Augthun Deputy CISO	&	Hermann Huber CISO

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Tim Sattler
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Klaus Haller
Senior Security Architekt

Rolf Strehle
Head of CC IT-Security Voith
&
Claudius Reimer
Group CISO

Manuel Ressel
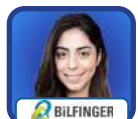Group CISO
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Oliver Hackert
Managing Director IT

Sven Milstein
Head of Cyber Security
&
Muhammed Dagtekin
Deputy CISO

Marius Ebel
Senior Security Specialist
&
Meltem Colakoglu
Cybersecurity Specialist

Christian Bestehorn
Head of IT
&
Uwe Minder
Head of IT

Lukas Ruf
Group CISO
&
Helmut Spöcker
CSO

Michael Simon
CIO VGRD
&
René Gerstenberger
Lead CSS & IT Audit Manager

Steven Rottmann
Senior VP IT
&
Jörg Scheiblhofer
CISO

Andreas Gabriel
Head of Group Data Protection
&
Spartak Akhmedov
Solutions Architect

Moderators

Benjamin Bachmann
CISO

Simon Trockel
Senior Cyber Security Engineer

Agenda elements

Lectures

Our presentations show the latest technologies and possibilities for implementing more efficient information security. Full focus on implementation - our speakers ensure that their presentations are convincing through practical relevance and feasibility.

Case studies - Duet presentations

Our Cyber Security Use Cases report on how the most successful companies think, feel and implement information security. In the duet format, established solutions are presented from 2 different perspectives, there is no recording for these stories.

Networking

Parallel to the presentations, discussions are held with exhibitors, for which we qualify the challenges in the run-up to the event and bring together participants who have a common theme - both sides benefit.

User & Tech Hotseats

Direct contact with other participants in confidential one-to-one discussions - 5 discussion partners with 5 minutes each to exchange ideas. Tip: stand next to security experts who are still unknown to you or from whom you would like to take away specific learnings.

Confidentiality

What happens at the mysecurityevent stays there: this is a LIVE event behind closed doors.

| 17:00 | **Check-In** | Distribution of your mysecurityevent badge |

| 17:30 | **Pitch Night** |

Katrin Schummer - Hoxhunt - Sales Director
Cyber Security Awareness

Eugen Hinz - WIZ - Senior Solutions Engineer
AI in the cloud

Hermann Huber - Hubert Burda Media - CISO
Swabian security in a nutshell!

Tim Maier - Groz-Beckert - Head of Information Security
Rapidly increase your security budget

Peter Ulber - Universität Stuttgart - Stv. CISO
The universities' perspective on information security.

Tim Sattler - Jungheinrich - CISO
National implementation NIS2

Christian Haug - EMAG - Leiter IT Operations
From 0 to 100 with the digital security of our products

Harald Lukosz - Bosch Rexroth AG - Referent Product Area Stage R&D
AI tool

Thomas Theisejans - Deutsche Bahn - Chief Expert IT Notfallmanagement
Learning to listen by speaking

Fritz Oswald - Fraport - Snr VP IT Infrastructure
How Fraport ensures that you can fly safely.

Markus Bentele - MAHLE - Group CIO
AI in cyber resilience

Stefan Baldus - HUGO BOSS - CISO
21st Century Awareness

Rainer Glaab - Hotelplan Group - CISO
Hey CISO, everything still under control?

Paul Sester - HORNBACH Baumarkt - CISO
IAM

Manuel Ressel - Sauter - CISO
More security through more trust.

Simon Trockel - MediaMarktSaturn - Principal Engineer
I make stupid remarks before the others say anything meaningful

Sven Milstein - Phoenix - Head of Cyber Security
When sh*t hits the fan

Meeting point

Address:
MHP Arena Stuttgart
Mercedesstraße 87
70372 Stuttgart

What is the Pitch Night?

The "Pitch Night" on the evening before the mysecurity event promises excitement: one minute is enough to present ideas, products or humorous contributions. Whether as a teaser, creative product presentation or satirical look at everyday life - the variety creates an inspiring atmosphere and offers the perfect opportunity to get to know potential talents and future employees and make valuable contacts.

Participation opportunities:

- Looking for employees? Applications received.
- The company has a great product? Increase its visibility.
- Want to share something with the community? Here is the opportunity.

Marc Plewnia hat dies veröffentlicht • 5 Monate

mysecurityevent Video
„Everybody's darling is everybody's Depp." Franz-Josef Strauß... ...mehr

▲ 10.266 Impressions

Oliver Buhr und 58 weitere Personen   32 Kommentare • 5 direkt geteilte Beiträge

Wichtige demografische Informationen zu Personen, die Ihre Videos angesehen haben

Jobbezeichnungen ▼

Informationssicherheitsfachmann · 8 %
Informationstechnologie · 5,4 %
Geschäftsführer · 4,1 %
Chief Information Officer (Informationstechnologie-Direktor) · 4,1 %

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| 18:30 | **Threatlocker After-Show-Party** | THREATLOCKER® ZERO TRUST ENDPOINT PROTECTION PLATFORM |

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08:30 — Check-In

Moderation - Benjamin Bachmann - CISO

09:00

Markus Bentele
Group CIO

&

Matthias Bücherl
Group CISO

Case: Cyber Resilience: IT/OT - BCM as an area of conflict
- 10 min: Mahle - Program
- 10 min: Heidelberg Materials - Program
- 10 min: Interactive exchange

09:35

Paul Sester
CISO

&

Achim Knebel
CSO & Lead Architect

Case: Zero Trust
- Improved, secure access with Zero Trust Edge Security
- Centralized access management, automation, segmentation, compliance with corporate policies.

10:10 User Hotseats

10:40

Dr. Martin J. Krämer
Security Awareness Advocate

Lecture: Protection against AI-supported social engineering
- How cyber criminals are changing their strategy
- What this means for your company
- How you should prepare for it

11:05

Michael Giesselbach
Regional Director DACH

Lecture: AI in application security - challenges and solutions
- Use of AI to detect security risks
- New threats from AI in applications
- Solution approaches such as monitoring and explainable AI

11:30

Philipp Sauerwein
PreSales Engineer

Lecture: Sovereignty & Cybersecurity
- Digital sovereignty as the key to national and economic security
- Independence from geopolitical risks through own cyber resources
- Strategies for uncompromising cyber security in companies and public authorities

11:55 Tech Hotseats

13:00 — Lunch

14:00

Ingo Quilling
Senior Sales Engineer

Lecture: Human-centered security strategy against cyber risks
- Cyberattacks are increasingly targeting people rather than technology
- Security strategies should focus on the employee
- AI-supported architectures improve protection by taking risks and behavior into account.

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08:30 — Check-In

Moderation - Simon Trockel - Senior Cyber Security Engineer

09:00

Stefan Baldus
CISO

&

Henning Christiansen
CISO

Case: 21st Century Awareness
- Security nudging & context-based cues
- Technical prevention instead of behavioral change
- Awareness alternatives

09:35

Dennis Pokupec
CISO

&

Martin Wilde
CIO

Case: More IT security = more turnover?
- How do you use cyber security to set your company apart?
- What criteria are used when purchasing software?
- How to generate more ROI from technology investments?

10:10 User Hotseats

10:40

Eugen Hinz
Senior Solutions Engineer

Lecture: Safe AI innovation with AI-SPM - the CSPM for artificial intelligence
- New opportunities and risks from AI in the cloud
- AI-SPM as a key component of modern cloud security
- Effectively securing and accelerating AI innovations

11:05

Martin Nix
Senior Sales Engineer

&

Manuel Sosna
Sales Director

Lecture: Secure collaboration as a strategy
- Central control & encryption of all sensitive data flows
- Compliance by design: GDPR, NIS2 & Co. without loss of productivity
- No shadow IT: A secure channel instead of uncontrolled tools

11:30

Thomas Tack
Sales Director

Lecture: Cyber security crisis management
- Importance of preparation
- Coping and avoiding escalation
- Follow-up and improvement

11:55 Tech Hotseats

13:00 — Lunch

14:00

Andrina Brun
Director Sales Engineering

Lecture: Agents, the right hand of the SOC analyst
- What are AI agents
- How you can benefit from them
- How to make your MXDR service even more efficient

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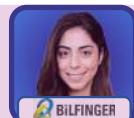| Time	Speaker	Session
14:25	**Frank Schwaak** — Field CTO (rubrik)	**Lecture: Data recovery** • Why prevention alone is not enough. • Why the 6 functions of the NIST CSF 2.0 framework must be in balance • "Backup" is not "cyber recovery".
14:50	**Kay Ernst** — Sales Manager (ZERO) & **Claus Vaupel** — Customer Engineer (ZERO)	**Lecture: Microsegmentation for all** • No agents - nothing needs to be installed on the clients • Automated - without armies of consultants • Every connection MFA-able
15:15	**Tim Sattler** — CISO (JUNGHEINRICH) & **Christian Haug** — Head of IT Operations (EMAG)	**Case: National implementation NIS 2** • CER guidelines and implementation of the CRA and NCCS • Save costs when implementing guidelines
15:45	Coffee break	
16:10	**Tom Gietz** — Sales Director (exabeam)	**Lecture: AI-supported SIEM** • Understand the Normal vs. Abnormal • Machine learning & artificial intelligence a strong team
16:35	**Tom McVey** — Solutions Architect EMEA (MENLO SECURITY)	**Lecture: Securing the Modern Workspace: Lessons from the Enterprise Frontline** • Browser Security • Zero Trust & Browser Isolation • Practical Implementation Guidance
17:00	**Neil Meusel** — Corporate Security Engineer (ikomm) & **Stefan Rabben** — Regional Sales Director (FUDO)	**Lecture: 360° cyber defense** • Protection at all levels: network, email, end devices • Detect and stop threats with SIEM, IDS/IPS, firewalls • Employees as the strongest defense through awareness
17:25	**Helmut Spöcker** — CSO (SAP) & **Lukas Ruf** — Group-CISO (MIGROS)	**Case: Protecting customer data with artificial intelligence** • Data security – Transparency – Trust • Strategic use • Measurable success of AI
18:00	**Marius Ebel** — Senior Security Specialist (BILFINGER) & **Meltem Colakoglu** — Cybersecurity Specialist (BILFINGER)	**Case: Software Supply Chain Security** • Ensure the trustworthiness of third-party components • Minimize risks from supply chain tampering • Increase transparency and traceability in the development process
18:30	Presentation of the audience awards After-Show-Party	

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14:25	**Mareike Redder** — Product Manager (TRIOVEGA)	**Lecture: Thanks for the downtime: Attackers reveal what OT strategies are missing** • Analysis of the current cyber threat situation and differences between OT and IT security. • Use of advanced technologies to strengthen resilience against cyber attacks. • Development of innovative, sustainable strategies to protect critical production systems.
14:50	**Martin Odenthal** — SE Manager (paloalto)	**Lecture: AI apps - trustworthy?** • Secure AI app use • Prevention of data misuse • Strategies against external influence
15:15	**Nils Lamb** — Director Security (HARMAN) & **Klaus Haller** — Senior Security Architekt (AXA)	**Case: topic follows...**
15:45	Coffee break	
16:10	**Frank Slusny** — VP of Sales (cybervadis) & **Beat Lecluse** — Head IT Governance, Risk and Compliance (LGT @ CAPITAL PARTNERS)	**Lecture: Rethinking security architecture** • The path to a secure, standardized platform. • Three-stage cyber security concept • 5 key steps to reduce cyber risks in the supply chain.
16:35	**Peter Kellenaers** — Director, Partner Field Sales (TANIUM)	**Lecture: IT security & compliance under control** • Transparency through asset, license, and patch managementIdentify • minimize risks with security and compliance strategies • Increase efficiency with AI-powered security solutions
17:00	**Shane Close** — Senior Regional Sales Manager DACH (CONTRAST)	**Lecture: Solving Application Security without causing Pain between Shift Lft and Shift Right** • As developers shift left and security teams shift right, the workflows in between often stretch to breaking point.
17:25	**Christian Bestehorn** — Head of IT (Karl Lütgfinger) & **Uwe Minder** — Head of IT (BECKER)	**Case: IT Strategy and Governance** • Aligning IT with corporate goals • Defining responsibilities and decision-making structures • Ensuring transparency, control, and compliance in IT processes
18:00	**Michael Simon** — CIO VGRD (VOLKSWAGEN) & **René Gerstenberger** — Lead CSS & IT Audit Manager (Mercedes-Benz)	**Case: Cyber Security & IT Compliance** • Protection of sensitive data • Compliance with legal requirements • Risk minimisation & business continuity

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09:00	Rolf Strehle, Head of CC IT-Security & Claudius Reimer, Group CISO	**Case: Crisis communication** • What happens when ransomware strikes • Crisis communication • Preparation & NIS2
09:35	Andreas Gabriel, Head of Group Data Protection & Spartak Akhmedov, Solutions Architect	**Case: Art. 32 GDPR: Data protection & information security** • Effective implementation of TOMs • Joint responsibility for data protection & security • Reducing risks through clear interfaces
10:10	**Tech Hotseats**	
10:35	Matthias Canisius, Head of Sales	**Lecture: Security, risk and compliance today and tomorrow** • Increasing cyber threats • Rules and regulations • Future technologies
11:00	Nils Engelbert, Senior Account Executive	**Lecture: Disaster Recovery!** • Scalable disaster recovery with verifiable SLAs. • Application-aware protection with full recovery in minutes. • Hypervisor platform flexibility.
11:25	Michael Seele, CEO & Michael Lindner, Regional Sales Manager	**Lecture: The ultimate solution for identity protection** • Comprehensive protection for service accounts • Universal multi-factor authentification • Simplified privileged access management
11:45	Coffee break	
12:15	Jannis Stemmann, CEO	**Lecture: OT Security: Effective + Efficient** • Proven approaches for regulated and unregulated OT operators • Selection of OT anomaly detection systems • Selection of secure remote access systems
12:40	Katrin Schummer, Sales Director	**Lecture: Cyber Security Awareness** • Security awareness for employees • Real-time insights for security teams • Automation saves resources
13:05	Georg Hess, Head of Sales	**Lecture: External Exposure Management - Why? Why? Why?** • External Exposure Management • Minimization of external cyber risk • Better conditions for cyber insurance

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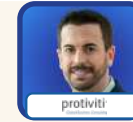| Time	Speaker	Session
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09:00	Manuel Ressel, Group CISO & Oliver Hackert, Managing Director IT	**Case: Employee trust as an opportunity for security** • Security through trust
09:35	Muhammed Dagtekin, Deputy CISO & Sven Milstein, Head of Cyber Security	**Case: topic follows...**
10:10	**Tech Hotseats**	
10:35	Robert Wortmann, Principal Security Strategist	**Vortrag: Curious incidents and security without bullshit – a practical report** • How a medium-sized company took security seriously despite pressure and limited resources • From incident to strategy: real events, real decisions • What proved successful – and what was unnecessary
11:00	Andreas Bahr, Cybersecurity Principal Solutions Consultant	**Lecture: Strengthening digital resilience: DORA and modern data protection strategies** • DORA key aspects: Risk management, incident reporting, cybersecurity testing, third-party management. • Cybersecurity strategies with a focus on data security & automation. • Use cases: fulfill DORA, increase resilience and security.
11:25	Geriet Wendler, Manager, Solutions Architect	**Lecture: The Role of DNS in Zero Trust** • DNS as a security wall: Blocks intruders before they strike. • Zero Trust with DNS: Only trustworthy requests pass through - everything else stays outside. • Intelligent threat defense: DNS detects threats and shuts them down quickly.
11:45	Coffee break	
12:15	Sebastian Mayer, Managing Director	**Lecture: Adversary emulation as a realistic sparring partner: training for emergencies** • In this presentation, we will show why traditional penetration tests often provide a false sense of security - and how you can instead recognise real threats and use them in a targeted manner to strengthen your company's overall security situation.
12:40	Denis Maligin, Senior Sales Engineer	**Lecture: Secure with Zero CVE - The new standard for container security** • Why Zero CVE is more than just a compliance goal. • How risks like Log4Shell can be avoided with "Secure by Design" approaches. • Best practices for using hardened images in everyday DevSecOps.
13:05	Christardt Berger, Senior Enterprise Account Executive	**Lecture: Cybersecurity and digital sovereignty** • The SEK of cybersecurity • Proactive security • Intelligent infrastructure transparency

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13:30 Lunch

14:30
Christoph Klemann
Key Account Executive

Lecture: NIS-2 decoded: Making cyber risks measurable with Bitsight
- Insight into regulatory requirements and obligations
- Risk transparency through security ratings
- Practical steps for sustainable compliance

15:05
Tim Maier
Head of Information Security
&
Marco Brück
Senior Manager - Audit IS

Case: Synergies - information security & internal auditing
- A common approach to risk mitigation

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Chris Lichtenthäler
Director Cyber Risk
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Frank Dröge
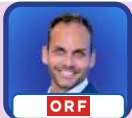Head of IT Governance

Case: Between complexity and control:
Security strategies for AI, compliance and vulnerabilities
- Complex requirements need clear priorities and close cooperation!
- How do I remain capable of acting in a dynamic environment?

16:15
Steven Rottmann
Senior VP IT
&
Jörg Scheiblhofer
CISO

Case: Cybersecurity for crystal-clear TV images
- Ensure real-time signal integrity
- Layered defense
- Live-resilient incident response

16:50
Stadium tour

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Lecture: More IT security = more revenue?
- How can you use cybersecurity to differentiate your company from others?
- What criteria are used when purchasing software?
- How can you generate more ROI from technology investments?

15:05
Thomas Theisejans
Deputy CISO
&
Fritz Oswald
Snr VP IT Infrastructure

Case: Ready for Takeoff - IT security in critical infrastructure
- How does Fraport AG view the issue of IT security?
- How should a resilient IT infrastructure be structured?
- How do you find the right balance between regulation and pragmatism?

15:40
Florian Augthun
Deputy CISO
&
Hermann Huber
CISO

Case: Comparison of CISO roles
- Keep calm and always have a plan B.
- Learn from military action in combination with economic interests and be surprised.

Register now!
Let's save the digital world together.

"Super cool event with innovations"

Michael Schrank - CISO - Adidas

"Best Networking"

Stefan Baldus - CISO - Hugo Boss
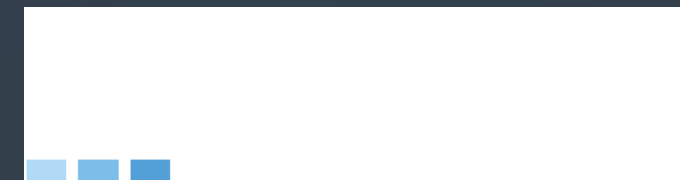
"Helpful for my daily work"

Chis Lichtenthäler - CISO - Esprit

Become part of the community now!

Is there anyone who is also interested in this topic?

Then recommend us to others.

That gives good karma!

Thank you very much

for the interest!