

PROFILE SUMMARY

Senior Information Security Professional with over 25 years of versatile experience in Information Security Management, Security Architecture, Governance, Risk and Compliance.

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS

- CISSP – Certified Information Systems Security Professional
- CISA – Certified Information Systems Auditor
- CISM – Certified Information Systems Manager
- CCSK – Cloud Computing Security Knowledge
- CLIP BS 10012 – Certified Lead Implementer for BS 10012
- ITIL Foundation Ver. 3.0
- CCNA - Cisco Certified Network Associate
- CCSA – Certified Checkpoint Security Administrator (Checkpoint 2000)
- ISSP – Information Systems Security Professional from University of Queensland
- BS 7799 certified Lead Auditor
- SANS Course on Auditing Networks, Perimeters and Systems (Audit 507)
- SANS Course on Advanced Computer Forensics and Incidence Response (FOR 508)
- Data Security Council of India certified Lead Assessor in Privacy
- ACIArb - Associate level course on Arbitration (Alternate Dispute Resolution) conducted jointly by Nani Palkhivala Foundation and CIArb –
- Certified Corporate Director from Institute of Directors

Work Experience

- Working as Director, Corporate Security in Cognizant Technology Solutions
- Worked in Tata Communications Limited, HCL Technologies, CSC, Shaw Wallace & Co Ltd etc

EDUCATION

Ph.D – Inter Disciplinary (Criminology + Computer Applications) from University of Madras, Chennai
MCA - From University of Madras, Chennai
B.Sc. (Mathematics) from University of Madras, Chennai

Other Professional Activities

- Associated with University of Madras as visiting faculty and member of their Advisory Committee for their M.Sc – Cyber Forensics and Information Security course from 2011 until 2018
- Invited by **Interpol** for their **Underground Economy Conference 2013** and represented Tata Communications in their headquarters at Lyon, France in September 2013
- Invited by Kerala Police to present a paper on “Insight to Ransomware” in CoCoN 2013 – An Global Information Security Conference in September 2013
- Represented India in the ISO / IEC SC 27 conference held in Hong Kong in April 2014.
 - Reviewed the new standards on Cloud Security ISO 27017, ISO 27005, ISO 27036, ISO 27018
 - Nominated as Co – Editor for re-development of ISO 27008 (Technical Guidelines for Auditors on Information Security)
- Speaker on multiple Cyber Security Conferences
- Serving as Vice President for ISACA Chennai Chapter
- Serving as Director for ISC2 Chennai Chapter