

## ISSA SOUTH TEXAS CHAPTER

### Luncheon Reminder For September 2012



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### Luncheon Program

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#### Luncheon Topic:

#### *Insider Threat Prevention; The good, the bad and the ugly*

The privileged user is granted extraordinary rights to access sensitive applications and information, but distinguishing unauthorized from legitimate activities is very difficult when a user has all the required credentials and access rights to sensitive data. Worse yet, personal webmail, social media, and purpose-built outlets (i.e. WikiLeaks) provide insiders the ability to anonymously compromise information more efficiently than ever before. Deterring the insider threat requires total visibility and control of a privileged user's activities in their full risk context, without limiting or impeding legitimate uses. In this presentation, Bill Munroe, Vice President of Marketing at Verdasys, will analyze some highly publicized data theft cases from the manufacturing, automotive and bio-pharmaceutical industries and utilize customer case studies to offer organizations in the oil and natural gas industry and beyond a view into successful and cost-effectively programs that successfully mitigate the risk of insider threats, including:

- Insider threat deterrence using real-time risk awareness, education and self-compliance to mitigate as much as 80% of employee risky behavior.
- Using forensic event logging to successfully prosecute employees who have compromised sensitive data while reducing the costs of insider threat investigations and thereby creating an even greater deterrent than employee education alone
- Using encryption technology integrated with employee identity and data sensitivity to move beyond existing technologies in closing the "system administrator" loophole in IT security.
- How different companies are dealing with emerging technologies and the additional risks created including; virtual environments, consumerization and the adoption of tablets and smart phones.

This session will focus on three real case studies where large global companies have seen measurable damage from an

insiders or risk reduction against the insider threat and the lessons they all learned in the process of events or data security program development.

**Our Guest Speaker:**

[Bill Munroe](#), VP of Marketing, Verdasys

**Bio:**

Bill Munroe is VP, Marketing at Verdasys. He brings over 15 years of experience as a marketing professional in the software industry to Verdasys. Prior to Verdasys, Bill directed both product marketing and product management at OpenPages, Inc. a leader in Risk Management, Governance and Compliance software solutions. Bill has held various marketing and product management positions at Avidyne , Netegrity, Sybase and EMC.

Bill served for 9 years as a Naval Aviator flying the P-3C Orion and holds a BA from the University of Kansas and an MBA from the F.W. Olin School of Business at Babson College.

**Date:**

September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2012

**Time Schedule:**

11:15 a.m. Registration / Networking  
11:30 a.m. Luncheon / Networking  
11:45 a.m. Chapter Business Meeting  
11:55 a.m. Sponsor Presentation  
12:00 noon Presentation  
1:00 p.m. Adjourn

**Location:**

HESS - Houston Engineering and Scientific Society Club  
5430 Westheimer at Yorktown. (Free Garage Parking)

Advance Registration Appreciated

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**Registration:**

Monthly meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month at the following location:

[Houston Engineering & Scientific Society \(HESS\) Club](#)

5430 Westheimer at Yorktown. (Free Parking).

Time: 11:15 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Next Meeting: September 13th.

Meetings are open to all members and visitors who are interested in Information Security.

**NOTE:** We now ask for members to include their ISSA membership number when registering. A current ISSA membership is required to qualify for member meal prices and workshop fees. If you do not have your membership number available when registering on-line through Eventbrite, please bring your membership number with you to the meeting for check in and payment.

We encourage members and guests to make reservations [via Eventbrite](#) prior to 5:00 p.m. on the Tuesday before the meeting to help the chapter plan for enough meals and seating. Advanced reservations may also qualify for a discount on the meeting charge.

**NOTE:** For security reasons, ensure that you close your browser after booking your lunch reservation through Eventbrite .

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**LuncheonMeeting Fees**

	Advance Registration	Late - On line or Walk in Registration (after 5:00 pm Tuesday)
<b>Luncheon Meeting (11:15 am - 1:00 pm)</b>		
<b>Chapter Members</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>	<b>\$25.00</b>
<b>Non Members</b>	<b>\$30.00</b>	<b>\$35.00</b>

CPE Credit:1 hour for the luncheon presentation

Pre-Requisites: None, or as specified in the event.

Dress Code: Business or Business Casual Attire

Questions?: Visit the chapter web site for contact information ( <http://southtexasissa.org> )

**Upcoming Training Opportunities**

As usual, our prolific education director is busy preparing educational opportunities for our chapter members at remarkably attractive prices .

1. CISSP Review Class - **In progress!!**

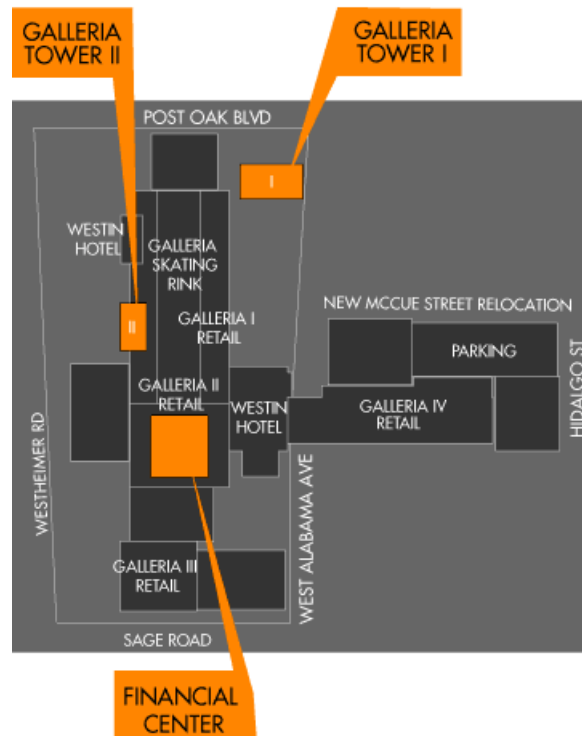
- Tuesday evenings from 6:00 pm to 8:30 pm, beginning August 14<sup>th</sup>, every Tuesday through October 29<sup>th</sup> (12-weeks).
- Registration Link:
- Location:

DeVry University  
Houston Galleria Center  
Galleria Tower 2  
5051 Westheimer, Suite 500  
Houston, TX 77056  
( [http://www.devry.edu/locations/campuses/loc\\_houston.jsp](http://www.devry.edu/locations/campuses/loc_houston.jsp) / 713-850-0888)



The Galleria Tower 2 building is between the Westin Oaks and the CheeseCake Factory. There is **Free** parking on the lower decks of the Galleria.

Cost: \$450 for ISSA Members, \$525 for non ISSA Members.



## 2. Computer Forensics:

- Saturday October 13<sup>th</sup> and run through November 17<sup>th</sup> (6 Saturdays with 5 main classes and a 1 day tools class). The class will be held at the City of Houston Emergency Center, 5320 N. Shephard (south of Tidwell).
- Click [here](#) for the map.
- Additional sessions on Forensics tools are also in discussion, and may be held as a separate class at this or another location.
- Cost \$874 for ISSA Members, \$999 for non ISSA Members.

## 3. CISSP Overview Class:

- Saturday November 3<sup>rd</sup> / November 10<sup>th</sup>.  
This class is currently be scheduled as two half day session on each of these days.
- Location: DeVry University Galleria campus.
- Cost \$125 members / \$ 150 non-members.

Please check our Eventbrite registration site at <http://southtexasissa.eventbrite.com>

Once again, please contact Joanne Ashland ([education@southtexas.issa.org](mailto:education@southtexas.issa.org)) to express your interest or for any questions.

## Upcoming Regional Training Opportunities:

### Austin:

- ConSec '12, September 17-19, [www.consec.org](http://www.consec.org)
- AppSec USA 2012, October 23-26, [www.appsecusa.org](http://www.appsecusa.org)

## Houston:

- September 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup>, Qatalyst Global Presents: [Cyber Security for the Chemical Industry](#) - 20% ISSA discount

### Sponsorships Available for Future Monthly Meetings

If your company is active in the information security business, you should consider taking advantage of the opportunity to raise awareness of your company to our members.

Each month we solicit a sponsor for the luncheon presentation as well as any special workshops. The charge is quite small and it provides you the following benefits:

- (1) your logo on our chapter web site
- (2) five minutes at the beginning or end of the presentation to present your company, and
- (3) the opportunity to conduct a drawing, if you would like to, in order to collect business cards



Please contact Josh Locker ([marketing@southtexas.issa.org](mailto:marketing@southtexas.issa.org)) or any member of the ISSA chapter board to express your interest.

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### For CPA CPE candidates:

**Our TSBPA CPE provider number is 008915.**

**Objectives:** See description above

**Content:** See description above

**Prerequisites:** None

**Experience Level:** Moderate

**CPEs:** Varies by event (1 to 40 hours)

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