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GSE UK Enterprise Security Working Group – Next Meeting

We are pleased to confirm that the next meeting of the GSE UK Enterprise Security Working Group, is scheduled as follows:

Date	Thursday 10th June 2021, 10:00 – 17:30 BST (Please note the time zone! The meeting is being run from the UK)
Venue	Via Zoom
Registration	Click here
CPE/CPD hours	Up to a maximum of 6 hours (full attendance required to claim maximum number of hours)

This meeting is suitable for anyone with an interest in Mainframe Security, including Mainframe Security Professionals (newbies to experienced), Cyber Security Specialists, System Programmers, Auditors and Managers. Attending this meeting will grow your professional skills and knowledge in the following areas:

- Latest security innovations from vendors and how they help enhance security for your organisation
- Current threats, trends, including regulatory and compliance updates to help you prioritise security and compliance efforts
- Share problems, knowledge, best practices with working group members
- Give feedback to vendors on their offerings, including product direction
- Earn CPE/CPD hours to support maintenance of certifications or an education portfolio

Please read on for the agenda line up.

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Chairman of the GSE UK Enterprise Security Working Group

Agenda

Please note: There will be a 15-minute gap between most of the sessions to allow for switchover to the next presenter. Agenda and timings are subject to change.

Start	End	Topic	Who
10:00	10:30	**Introduction from the Working Group Chairman** Kickoff session for the meeting, where the Chair will provide an update on working group business and news from the GSE UK Region, such as the annual conference.	**Jamie Pease** (Working Group Chairman)
10:30	11:30	**Configuring zCX with LDAP on z/OS (ITDS) with RACF and MFA Support** In this session Philippe Richard describes how to set up and configure a zOS LDAP server (IBM Tivoli Directory Server) for authentication to zOS Container Extensions (zCX) and other open source applications (DPP,…).	**Philippe Richard** (IBM France)
11:30	11:45	**Break while we switchover presenter**	**All**
11:45	12:45	**Zero Trust and your Home Network** With the explosion of smart devices, our home networks now have a variety of devices connected – from voice assistants to internet connected cat flaps! Do you trust them, should you trust them and what steps should you be taking to keep your home network secure?	**Jamie Pease** (GSE UK)
12:45	13:30	**Lunch Break**	**All**
13:30	14:30	**A Mainframe External Security Manager View of Zero Trust** Implementing Zero Trust is not an all or nothing endeavor. There is functionality available to pave the way for incremental Zero Trust implementation on the mainframe. Join us to take a look at old and new functionality in the external security managers that should be implemented to gain 'Zero Trust' protection of your organization's most important data , assets, applications, and services in the mainframe environment.	**Mary Ann Furno & John Pinkowski** (Broadcom)

14:30	14:45	**Break while we switchover presenter**	**All**
14:45	15:45	**Using the SERVAUTH class to protect TCP/IP on z/OS** This presentation describes the RACF controls that can be used to increase network security on z/OS and provides recommendations about best settings and how to implement them.	**Robyn E Gilchrist** (RSH Consulting, Inc)
15:45	16:00	**Break while we switchover presenter**	**All**
16:00	17:00	**Creating cloud-based air-gapped third copy of mainframe backup data to defend against ransomware** Ransomware attacks have only grown worse since the start of the COVID pandemic. One of the few good defenses is ensuring that key data is "air-gapped" -- stored on a separate system – so that a given attack is not able to infect every copy. At the moment, many backup and recovery systems are not air gapped. So, smart enterprises are now considering the "third copy" option, as a backup of a backup, to gain this key protective advantage. Although any remote location or colocation facility could be the target, achieving an air-gapped, third copy affordably is usually most feasible on a public cloud using a cost-effective, software-only solution. Learn how to create an air-gapped third copy of your mainframe backup/archive at a remote location, colocation facility, or public cloud.	**Pav Kumar Chatterjee** (Model 9)
17:00	17:30	**Hints & Tips** Do you have any questions, ideas, conundrums you would like to share with the group? This 'all hands' session is your opportunity to tap into a wealth of expertise! It could be a technical question, or maybe you are interested to know who has implemented a specific change and what were the challenges. This is a session for everyone to participate, so please come prepared with those questions.	**All**
17:30		**End of meeting**	

Future GSE UK Security meetings for your calendar

More details of our schedule, including other events from the GSE UK Region can be found here: https://www.gse.org.uk/events/