

Patrick Harrison
Security Expert

Patrick has more than twenty (20) years of information security experience in various roles and specializes in risk management, web application security, infrastructure vulnerability assessment, penetration testing, firewall management, PCI Compliance, and Incident Response.

Patrick also has an extensive Networking, Linux, and DevOps engineering background.

In addition to working on a global scale with several multi-nations in various locations, Patrick has been working in Thailand for about eleven years. This not only allows him to "think globally", but also positions him to understand the Thai ways of conducting business.

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Full CV and References available upon request



EXPERIENCE

HEAD OF VAPT, CENTRAL GROUP

Bangkok, Thailand — 2021-Present

Head of Vulnerability Assessment and Penetration Testing, leading a team of Penetration Testers. Responsible for all aspects of vulnerability management across all business units in the Central Group enterprise.

DATA SECURITY MANAGER/ ACTING CISO, ACOMMERCE

Bangkok, Thailand — 2016-2021

Currently serving as the de facto company CISO to design and implement a complete enterprise security program. This includes comprehensive vulnerability management programs, regulatory compliance initiatives, and managing a diverse staff of security engineers.

Noteworthy:

• Additionally, served as Interim Region IT Director.

NETWORK ENGINEER, CHIANG MAI LANNA BUSINESS SERVICES

Chiang Mai, Thailand — 2015-2016

Managed all Voice Over IP (VoIP) systems. Performed in a DevOps capacity managing Linux infrastructure.

SENIOR SECURITY ENGINEER, AGODA

Bangkok, Thailand — 2013-2015

Performed Penetration Testing, Web Application Security Testing, and PCI Level 1 Certification.

SENIOR SECURITY ENGINEER, LIVINGSOCIAL/ ENSOGO

Chiang Mai, Thailand — 2011-2013

Oversaw all security initiatives in the Asia Pacific and Australia regions.

SENIOR SECURITY ENGINEER, AWARE CORP LTD.

Chiang Mai, Thailand — 2007-2011

Managed all aspects of data center architecture including routing, firewalls, servers, and virtualization platforms.

DIRECTOR OF SECURITY OPERATIONS, REVOLUTION LLC

Washington DC, USA — 2006-2007

Designed and implemented an enterprise security program that included PCI and HIPAA compliance.

SENIOR SECURITY CONSULTANT, TRUE NORTH SOLUTIONS

Herndon VA, USA — 2005-2006

Performed large scale security product implementations for federal governments and commercial clients.

PRINCIPLE SECURITY ENGINEER, TRUSECURE/ CYBERTRUST

Herndon VA, USA — 2000-2005

Designed and implemented an enterprise security program globally.

SENIOR ROUTER SECURITY ENGINEER, UUNET/ WORLDCOM

Fairfax VA, USA — 1998-2000

Mitigated and tracked DDoS attacks across the internet backbone.

TECH SUPPORT MANAGER, TIDALWAVE INTERNET

Chantilly VA, USA — 1998-1998

Managed the technical support team for a local ISP. Also assisted managing a collection of customer facing servers.



TRAINING AND CERTIFCATION

PCI Certified Internal Security Auditor (ISA #801-764)

PCI Professional (PCI-P)

Certified Blue Coat Instructor

Certified Barracuda Support Engineer

Blue Coat Certified Proxy Administrator (BCCPA)

Blue Coat Certified Proxy Professional (BCCPP)

Check Point 4.0 & NGX Training

Juniper SSL VPN Training

Juniper Firewall and Advanced VPN Training

Juniper IDP Training

UUNET Cisco I Training

UUNET Ascend MAX/TNT Training

UUNET Network Management Training

UUNET Cisco II Training

UUNET BGP Training

Cisco Context Based Access Control Training

Global Knowledge Perl Scripting Training

Global Knowledge Perl CGI Training

Certified Security Compliance Specialist (CSCS)

TruSecure ICSA Certified Security Associate (TICSA)



UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON

Houston TX, USA — 1993-1994

Physics Major, Math Minor, and Computer Science Minor.



Penetration Testing
Web Application Security
PCI Compliance
Incident Response
DevOps Engineering

Professional



Languages