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## Topic: GDPR: Insights from a Practitioner (Conducted in English)

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<b>Date:</b>	<b>Tuesday, 4 September 2018</b>
<b>Time:</b>	7:00pm to 8:00pm (Registration - 6:30pm)
<b>Venue:</b>	UT, Admiralty Learning Centre, SCOPE, City University of Hong Kong, 8/F, United Centre, 95 Queensway Admiralty, Hong Kong (near MTR Admiralty Station Exit D) <a href="#">MAP</a>
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<b>CPE Hour:</b>	1 CPE
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### Abstract

The EU General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) is more stringent than previous privacy laws. It has international reach, so it affects companies globally. Data breach reporting within 72 hours is mandatory. The fines for non-compliance are hefty. This talk will look at GDPR and how companies are coping with the changes. It will dispel some myths about GDPR, and give practical examples of how companies should adapt to ensure compliance.

### Biography



Ian Christofis is Managing Principal Consultant with Thales eSecurity, driving solution-focused professional services in Asia-Pacific (APAC).

He is a specialist in information security, applied cryptography, and personal data privacy. Lately he has been working with a number of large clients on EU General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) compliance. He combines a strong understanding of the commercial and strategic business issues with a detailed knowledge of the technology. He has over 30 years' experience providing consultancy, guiding businesses, and providing thought-leadership across a range of industries, including the banking & financial sector, eCommerce, manufacturing, and government.

Ian is Australian, based in Hong Kong, and has previously lived in Japan and Germany. He has worked in a mix of major global firms (Thales, Verizon, Hewlett-Packard, and Racal), mid-sized solution vendors, and as a board member of boutique consulting firms.

He has the following affiliations:

- ISACA: Member
- Cloud Security Alliance (CSA) Hong Kong & Macau Chapter: Founding board member.
- Professional Information Security Association (PISA): Member and on the PISA Journal editorial board.
- International Association for Cryptologic Research (IACR): Member.

Ian is a frequent public speaker, and has been interviewed for print media, radio and television.