CIPS Volunteer of the Month: Beverley Gooding I.S.P. (ret.)

"In 1991, I received my I.S.P. that meant a great deal to me as I have no post-secondary education. It was very exciting to be able to have my experience in the field recognized.

By working with CIPS, I am very fortunate to have had the opportunity to develop/enhance skills such as project management, public speaking, working with volunteers, interviewing techniques, assisting others in their roles, learning nuances of dealing with government, interacting with other CIPS sections as well as CIPS National. These were all very beneficial to me personally as well as in my career. Through networking I met many very interesting, knowledgeable and dedicated individuals. One of the best benefits of CIPS is meeting, learning and sharing experiences with other people.

Although I am now retired, I am still enjoying being active in CIPS and being on the CIPS Saskatchewan board."

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CISO Toronto Summit (Aug 30, Toronto)
CIO Calgary Summit (Sept 1st, Toronto)
5th Annual Summit on Enterprise Mobility Canada (Oct 4-5, Toronto)
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Business Systems Administrator, KUBOTA MATERIALS CANADA
Tips for unmasking network attackers
via IT World Canada
By Yogi Schulz I.S.P., ITCP

No one wants to join the growing list of companies that have announced they’ve been hacked and suffered a data breach. As CIO, you have confidence in your IS staff but you’re still wondering if an undetected attack has already occurred.

Attacks begin with a tiny, difficult-to-detect event such as a single infection or the take-over of a single computer. The good news is that, as attackers invariably increase their activity on your network, you can stop them if you know how to unmask them. Here are five strategies to identify attackers and stop them.

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via IT World Canada

From collaboration to communication to data access, the web is a mission-critical business tool. Enterprises rely on the web not only to innovate and compete, but also to conduct business. But the web poses significant security risks that are easily encountered by users, yet not so easy to detect. Read this paper to learn how Cisco web security provides Cloud-based intelligence, context-based policy and management and network enforcement.

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New plan to bring government’s IT infrastructure into the 21st century
via IT World Canada

The Canadian government is borrowing a page from the private sector with the new Information Technology Strategic Plan it revealed on June 29.

In what Government of Canada CIO John Messina acknowledges is a long-overdue upgrade, the living document provides a blueprint for the public sector’s various tech departments to follow between now and 2020, as they upgrade the country’s IT infrastructure to reflect the security, reliability, and innovation that Messina says Canadians have come to expect from the private sector.

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