

Information security development in Ireland

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About ISI

- Launched in 2009 with support from Enterprise Ireland
- Set up to encourage
 - Networking at National & International Levels
 - Business opportunities between members
 - Positioning Ireland Inc internationally
- Activities
 - Host networking and information events
 - Digital media (WEB site, Twitter, Newsletter)
 - Generated a research paper
 - Attended some International conferences



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- Contribute to the development of Ireland as a centre of excellence in information security
- To promote Ireland, technologies, firms and academia as information security centre of excellence



Scope of Infosecurity sector

Ecosystem

Revenue

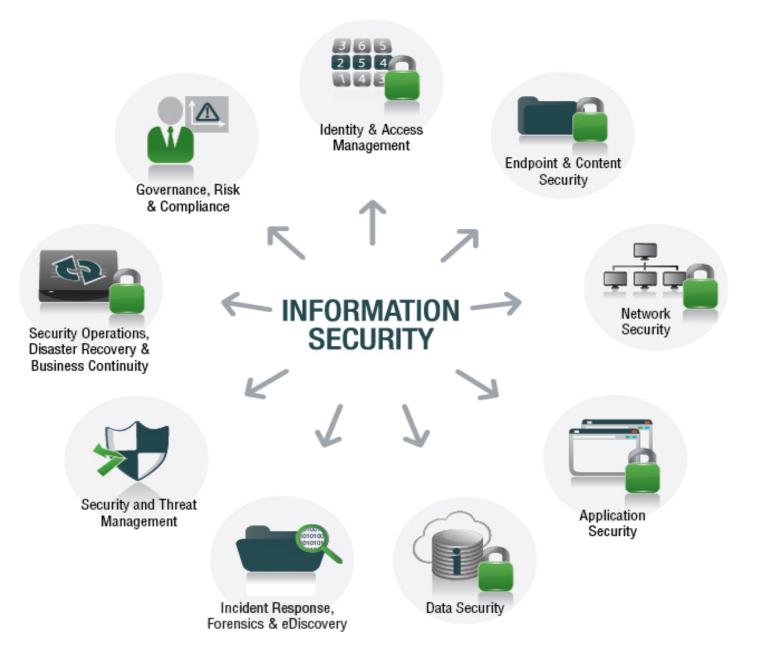
- Irish Company Sales €250m
 - Exports €200m
- 8 colleges
 Revenue from Irish Ops >€1.3Bn
- Security Groups

65 SMEs

15 MNCs

Employment 6,000

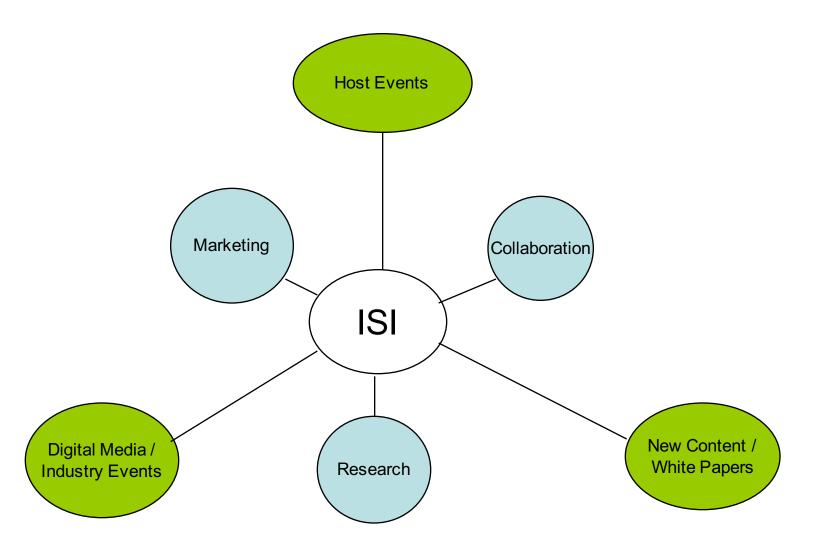






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ISI Value Add for Members

- Forum to meet and interact with the players in the infosecurity ecosystem, including Irish and multinational companies, third level colleges and research centres, development agencies, Gov't and other relevant organisations.
- Initiatives for careers and skills enhancement in infosecurity
- Technology, research and marketing opportunities among members.



ISI Activities

- Host quarterly events
 - Present on current topics
 - Networking
 - Discover common areas of research



Today's ISI Member Case Studies

Ken Bagnall, CEO, The email Laundry

John Brosnan, CEO, Netfort Technologies



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