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CyberSecurity Malaysia Organizes InfoSecurity Professionals Networking

A platform for IT Professionals to share knowledge and keeping abreast with the latest industry trends and development

KUALA LUMPUR, 8 February – CyberSecurity Malaysia, the national cyber security specialist centre and an agency under the Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation (MOSTI) today hosted the second InfoSecurity Professionals Networking Forum and Cocktail reception at the Putra World Trade Centre, Kuala Lumpur. The event initiated by CyberSecurity Malaysia is held to provide a platform for Information Security practitioners to collaborate and sharing knowledge on the latest information security industry trends and development.

With the themed of "**Shifting Cyber Landscape; Gearing Towards Innovation**", the event has brought together various groups of information security professionals consists of security analysts and engineers, IT staffs, C-level executives, technical specialists, researchers and members from the higher education community to share knowledge, conceptualize ideas, and seek solutions to present-day challenges faced by the global information security industry, particularly cyber crimes and malicious Internet activities.

"This is part of our initiative to gather and to meet the IT professionals in the country. Despite of providing them with an avenue to acquire knowledge and exchange ideas, the event will also strengthen their ability to protect information assets from the dynamic and ever-changing cyber threat. We want to encourage them to talk to us. The information we share will be used to prepare us to respond on information security related issues in timely manner as well as preventing all of us from becoming a victim of cyber threat". Said Lt. Col. Husin Jazri (Retired), CEO of CyberSecurity Malaysia.

Organized with a special focus on addressing the issues related to technology, operational and training requirements of Malaysia's information security industry, the event highlighted a panel discussion and presentation by two renowned speakers on cyber security topics - **Professor Fred Piper** from Royal Holloway, University of London and **Dr. Gopi Kurup**, the Chief Technology Officer from Extol MSC Bhd.

The Information Security Professionals Networking Forum and Cocktail reception was organized in conjunction with the **CyberSecurity RSA Seminar 2010**, in which to be held on the 9th February 2010 at PWTC. The Seminar is a collaborative effort between CyberSecurity Malaysia and RSA,

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the Security Division of EMC which is the premier provider of security solutions for business acceleration, helping the world's leading organizations succeed by solving their most complex and sensitive security challenges. The seminar will provide information security professionals and managers with the most up-to-date information, tools, trends, legislation, and strategies for addressing information security issues. Some of the notch speakers include Mr. Geoff Hayden (VP of RSA), Mr. Freddy Tan (Chief Security Advisor, Microsoft), Mr. Uantchern Loh (Regional Managing Partner, Deloitte) and Mr Sam Curry (CTO, Marketing RSA).

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- Security Assurance
- Malaysia Common Criteria Certification Body (MyCB)
- Cyber Security Training and Professional Certification
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