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Partner and CEO of FRSecure
“Information Security is good business”

Evan Francen is a passionate information security expert who serves small to medium-sized businesses in cooperatively solving the complex issues surrounding information security. He considers himself an “information security missionary”.

Prior to establishing FRSecure, Evan spent more than 15 years as a leading information security professional and corporate leader in both private and public companies. He is well-versed in governmental and industry-specific regulations, standards and guidelines including HIPAA, GLBA, PCI-DSS, FDA CFR Part 11, SOX and COBIT, but also understands the intricacies in aligning compliance with business objectives. Most recently and prior to establishing Francen & Rose, Evan established the formal information security programs for two publicly-traded companies.

Evidence of Evan’s true passion for information security can be found in his many writings on the matter. He has written in excess of 450 information security articles in the past 12 months alone, and has been featured in radio interviews with noted organizations such as BBC Radio (UK).

Information security professionals need to stay current in order to remain effective. Evan is an active participant in many information security organizations including the International Information Systems Security Certification Consortium (ISC²), the Information Systems Audit and Control Association (ISACA), and the Information Systems Security Association (ISSA) among others. Evan also holds the “Gold Standard” Certified Information Systems Security Professional (CISSP) and Certified Information Security Manager (CISM) certifications.

Information security is a complex and holistic discipline that can be confusing to the people who are not dedicated to it. Evan’s keen ability of explaining technical information to non-technical personnel in all levels throughout an organization, his unique sense of humor and “tell it like it is” demeanor, gets the point across and produces results for his clients.

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