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AI governance, cybersecurity and evidence for board decisions

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Board and executive contribution

More than 25 years of experience at the intersection of cybersecurity operations, legal technology, digital forensics and regulatory assurance. Advises on AI use-case authority, third-party dependencies, incident decisions and the evidence that supports independent oversight.

Selected leadership experience

Regulated financial services | Chief Information Security Officer
Multisite cybersecurity leadership, ransomware recovery, examiner-response evidence, third-party risk and remediation governance.

TIAA consulting | Enterprise resilience architecture
Legal, risk and compliance architecture, technology portfolio review and security evidence.

Merck | Director of Compliance and Risk Management, Cyber Fusion Center
Leadership across three international Cyber Fusion Center hubs, including incident response, threat defense, digital forensics and third-party security.

HoundBytes US | Cybersecurity and GRC practice leadership
Advisory work on AI governance, managed detection, software and AI supply chains, and cryptographic resilience.

Areas of focus

Board oversight · AI governance operating models · Cyber crisis and resilience · Evidence and litigation support · Portfolio and transaction risk

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