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IT Security Consultant

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KEY EXPERTISE

Information Security
Risk Management
Security Governance
Security Architecture
Cloud & Infrastructure Security
Identity & Access Management
Data Protection & Privacy
Security Audits & Compliance
IT Sourcing & Vendor Management
Regulatory Compliance
Project & Program Management

Profile

Senior IT Security Consultant specialized in Security Governance & Sourcing in enterprise transformations, with deep expertise in information security management, risk management and IT compliance. Focused on ISO/IEC 27001 ISMS implementation and scalable security architecture design, combining strategic advisory with hands-on technical leadership across large-scale, regulated environments. Proven track record in complex, multi-provider transformations across space, automotive, banking, energy and manufacturing - bridging governance, sourcing and technical implementation.

Availability & Engagement

Available from	On request
Capacity	On request
Location & travel	Based in Tirol, Austria · DACH
Engagement model	B2B via Argana Consulting GmbH (independent external consultant)
Day rate	On request

Independence: Engaged on a B2B basis through Argana Consulting GmbH - no dependent-employment exposure. Audit neutrality maintained per ISO/IEC 27001 §9.2, keeping assessment and advisory activities separated where required.

Skills & Certifications

Roles & Designations

Senior IT Security Consultant
ISB / CISO / Information Security Officer
Data Protection Auditor (GDPR)
Auditor per DIN EN ISO 19011
Risk Manager (ISO/IEC 27005)
IT Service Management (ITIL V3)
Senior Project Manager

Core Competencies

ISMS · Security Architecture & Design
SIEM, Vulnerability & Incident Management
NAC, VPN, SD-WAN, Network Segmentation
PAM / IAM
Security Auditing & Gap Analysis
IT Sourcing, RFI / RFP Management
Regulatory: ISO 27001/27005, GDPR, BSI-KritisV, TISAX, MaRisk/BAIT

Skill Matrix

Competency	Experience	Level
Information Security ISO/IEC 27001, ISO/IEC 27002	11	Expert
Data Protection & Privacy DSGVO (GDPR), ISO/IEC 27701, ISO/IEC 29100	8	Expert
Risk Management ISO/IEC 27005, ISO 31000, ISO/IEC 23894	8	Advanced

Security Audits & Compliance ISO 19011, ISO/IEC 27007, ISO/IEC TS 27008	8	Expert
Security Governance ISO/IEC 27014	11	Advanced
Cloud & Infrastructure Security ISO/IEC 27017, ISO/IEC 27018, CIS Controls, NIST SP 800-53	13	Advanced
Identity & Access Management ISO/IEC 27001, ISO/IEC 27002, NIST SP 800-63	6	Advanced
IT Sourcing & Vendor Management ISO/IEC 27036, DORA	8	Advanced
Security Architecture & Design SABSA, ISO/IEC 27002	13	Expert
Regulatory Compliance NIS2, DORA, DSGVO, TISAX, BSI-KritisV, MaRisk/BAIT	6	Advanced
Project & Team Management	13	Advanced

Certifications · Education · Languages

Certifications	Information Security Officer (ISO) – IHK 2022 Data Protection Auditor – IHK 2022 Auditor ISO 19011 – IHK 2022
Languages	German - native / English – C1

Selected Projects

IT Sourcing – One-IT (Zeppelin GmbH)

01/2025 – 04/2026
Zeppelin GmbH
Construction / Energy / Industrial
via Horváth
Role: Sourcing Advisor & Security Consultant

- End-to-end RFI & RFP management for a group-wide, standardised IT operating model
- Security and network architecture consulting within the One-IT target operating model
- Security governance design: roles, responsibilities, incident escalation and reporting
- MSA / SoW contract negotiation support

Security Consulting – ESA Earth Observation Programmes

05/2024 – 12/2024
ESA – European Space Agency
Space
via T-Systems International
Role: Security Lead & Partner Support

- Solution design for network and security architecture (presales phase)
- SIEM, vulnerability management and security governance framework
- Risk-Register and security risk assessment procedures (ISO 31000)

Transition & Transformation – Webasto SE

11/2023 – 04/2024
Webasto SE
Automotive (TISAX)
via T-Systems International
Role: Head of Security Team

- Data-centre migration delivered in compliance with ISO/IEC 27001 and TISAX (VDA)
- Security concept, network concept and firewall change processes
- Security governance design and incident management
- Technical migration support and post-migration process optimisation

CDSE – Copernicus Data Space Ecosystem

05/2023 – 12/2023
ESA – European Space Agency
Space
via T-Systems International

- Security risk assessments and risk register per ISO/IEC 27005:2022 (assets, threat landscape)
- Vulnerability management design and SIEM infrastructure setup
- Verification & validation plan for security processes

Role: Head of Security Team & Technical Consultant

Security Infrastructure – Pfeifer Holding GmbH

09/2022 – present
Pfeifer Holding GmbH
Wood Industry / Manufacturing
Role: Technical IT Security Consultant

- Gap analysis and detailed concepts for NAC, SD-WAN and VPN across all locations
- CapEx / OpEx cost calculation and provisioning process modelling
- Rollout planning and management across all company sites

SIEM – Security Information & Event Management

12/2021 – 03/2023
SFT Sopra Financial Technology
Banking & Financial Services
via suXess information technologies
Role: Technical Lead incl. Regulatory Compliance

- SIEM technical concept and process design (MaRisk, BAIT, IT-SiG 2.0, GDPR)
- Roadmap, rollout plan and connection of 6 selected applications
- GDPR: processing directory, DPIA and deletion concepts

NAC & ISO/IEC 27001 Certification – ARZ Allgemeines Rechenzentrum

2018 – 2021
ARZ Allgemeines Rechenzentrum GmbH
Banking & Financial Services
Role: Project Manager

- Group-wide NAC rollout across 450 locations and ~63,000 end devices
- ISO/IEC 27001 certification support: gap analysis, vulnerability & change management
- PAM and central logging redesign (BSI IT-Grundschutz, BSI-KritisV, GDPR)
- Contract negotiations and CapEx / OpEx planning