



# CISO 360

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Securing Tomorrow,  
Navigating Complexity,  
Driving Resilience



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## Securing Tomorrow, Navigating Complexity, Driving Resilience.

### Join us in Windsor

We are thrilled to unveil the evolving programme for **CISO 360 UK & Ireland 2025**, taking place in the historic setting of Windsor on 18-19 March 2025. We cordially invite you to join CISOs and senior cybersecurity practitioners and luminaries in Windsor on **18-19 March**.

Created and hosted by Pulse Conferences, CISOs and cybersecurity leaders will gather for an energetic and impactful event that is focused on core priorities and across key industry sectors.

CISOs will share their strategies, exploring emerging trends, and benchmarking the latest tools and tactics to address the rapidly evolving cybersecurity landscape through case stories, fireside chats, focus groups and the AI and Quantum Roundtable.

Beyond the sessions, the CISO 360 UKI experience extends into immersive evening networking events, an exclusive dinner at Brown's, just a short walk away—offering the perfect backdrop for forging meaningful connections and strengthening the cybersecurity community. Join us in Windsor for an unparalleled opportunity to engage, collaborate!



CISO 360 Team  
Pulse Conferences

**Delegate Inclusions:** Lunches, Dinner (18 March), Refreshments, Materials, Gallery, Video, Certificate...

#### Tuesday, 18 March

15:30-16:00 | Afternoon tea

16:00-18:30 | AI, Quantum Roundtable

18:30-23:00 | Networking Drinks & Dinner in Windsor

#### Wednesday, 19 March

08:00 - 08:30 | Coffee and Refreshments

08:30-16:00 | CISO 360 UK & Ireland Conference

16:00-16:30 | Networking & Sponsors' Prize Draw

### Key Topics:

- AI + Quantum: New frontiers
- Operational Resilience: First-hand experiences of DORA compliance
- Threat Intelligence Fusion
- CISO GRC Toolkit: What to work towards in 2025? Core Controls for 2025
- OT-IoT-Cyber: Leveraging + mitigating trends
- Supply Chain Security: Navigating risks in an interconnected world

### Why Attend?

- Focused on the challenges that matter most, curated by CISOs for CISOs.
- Build trusted connections.
- Participate in the CISO 360 Pre-Roundtable addressing Quantum and AI.
- Tackle unique security challenges at Sector Focus Groups: Financial Services, Energy, Healthcare.
- Case Stories: CISO to CISO sharing
- Scenario-Based Crisis Exercise: Enhance response readiness.
- 1-2-1 Speed-Meetings Innovation Hub! Discover what's out there with optional compact 5-minute meetings!
- Networking: Two lunches, evening reception, dinner!





# Programme

## Tuesday 18 March – CISO 360 Roundtable

### Integrating AI, Quantum and Emerging Technologies.

Shared use cases, insights, predictions and preparations.

A focused, peer-to-peer gathering designed to explore the opportunities, risks, and preparations for AI and Quantum Computing. Join senior cybersecurity, ai, technology and business leaders for an afternoon of meaningful discussions and networking in a trusted, closed-door setting.

#### 360 Roundtable Faculty:

- **Dr. Leila Taghizadeh, CISO IberoLatAm, Allianz**
- **Dr. Runli Guo, CEO and Founder, AI Dionic**
- **Michael Colao, Chief Underwriter – Cyber and Non-Cyber Risks, AXA XL**
- **Carolyn Brown, Chief Information Officer, British Medical Association**

#### Talking Points:

##### AI 360 Perspectives & Use Cases

- Is AI 'Secure by Design a utopian vision? How do we shift left with developers of AI?
- How can we differentiate between what is "pure AI" and "leveraged AI" without a roadmap?
- How do we comprehend AI and where we are exponentially, what's real?
- Gamification to leverage to engage teams in understanding AI-related threats
- Convergence in insurance and AI risks – deep fakes fall under fraud insurance rather than cyber
- Future AI roles and multi-skilled teams: How can we be agile not fragile!

##### Preparing for Quantum Computing

- What are the realities of readiness?
- How can we separate hype from reality in the quantum computing narrative?
- How can CISOs leverage value creation and mitigate risks associated with quantum advancements?
- What insights can CISOs take from beyond the security sphere?

#### Timings:

**11:00–11:30** *Optional: The Changing the Guard ceremony at Windsor Castle takes place on Tuesdays at 11 AM. The ceremony includes the New Guard marching from Victoria Barracks to the Castle, where they perform a ceremonial handover of duties. The Old Guard then marches back to Victoria Barracks.*

**15:00–15:30** Check into The Castle Hotel.

**15:30–16:00** Afternoon Tea & Networking

**16:00–18:30** Roundtable Discussions

**18:30–20:30** Networking Drinks

**20:30–23:00** Dinner in Windsor

#### Why Join?

- Misinformation, disinformation and harmful content
- Learn from real-world use cases
- Share roadmaps to date for addressing quantum readiness
- Benchmark strategies for mitigating AI-driven risks
- Address challenges in securing AI models and applications within the enterprise
- Examine the use of AI in cyberattacks and the evolving threat landscape
- Analyse the impact of Generative AI on traditional security measures and controls
- Debate how CISOs could champion AI innovations while addressing risks

## Join Evening Networking – 18 March! *Included*

**18:30–20:30** Networking Drinks – The Castle Hotel

**20:30–23:00** Dinner – Brown's Windsor

Following the CISO 360 Roundtable, it's time to relax with a drink and get to meet CISO 360 participants while enjoying Windsor! Join the all-included evening networking with CISO and cybersecurity peers. Experience the sights and culture of the host city first-hand while deepening the bond with peers. We would like to thank the generous Sponsors, as enablers of these events.





# Programme

## Wednesday 19 March – CISO 360 UKI Conference

### Securing Tomorrow, Navigating Complexity, Driving Resilience.

**08:00–08:30** Coffee and Refreshments

**08:30** Chairperson's Welcome

**08:35** Introduce yourself to the persons on your left and right

**08:40** **Spotlight: Cyber Defence and Geopolitics**

Enhancing infrastructure resilience and strategies. Misinformation, Disinformation.

**Lady Olga Maitland, Founder, Defense and Security Forum**

**08:55** **Spotlight: The Cyber Resilience Workforce of the Future: Gen Z with Gen AI**

**Steve Hill, Independent Board Risk Adviser, Former Group CISO of Credit Suisse**

**09:15** **Spotlight: CISO Liability**

- Questions to ask at interview
- What should be in your contract
- What to do in the first 100 days

**Jonathan Armstrong, Partner, Punter Southall**

**09:30** **Case Story: CIO Perspective on AI Governance and Adoption**

**Carolyn Brown, Chief Information Officer, British Medical Association**

**09:45** **Panel: First-Hand Experiences of DORA Compliance – How are CISOs Surviving and Thriving in Complex and Interconnected Threat and Regulatory Landscapes?**

Gain insights into emerging trends shaping operational resilience, practical communication strategies for engaging regulators and stakeholders, and actionable advice for meeting evolving regulatory requirements from bodies like the Bank of England, FCA, SEC, and DORA.

- Cybersecurity preparedness
- Incident response and recovery
- Adhering to multiple frameworks
- Maintaining trust with stakeholders, customers, regulators during disruptions
- Third-Party risk management

**CISOs, Regulators...**

**10:15** **Spotlight: AI An Underwriters' Perspective**

**Michael Colao, Chief Underwriter – Cyber and Non-Cyber Risks, AXA XL**

**10:40** **CISO 360 Innovators Panel: Enhancing Digital Trust in our Cyber Ecosystems**

A friendly platform for cybersecurity startups and new product launches to talk openly about their innovative solution, share their journey so far, and highlight how their offering contributes to enhancing digital trust in the broader cyber ecosystem.

- Startup Journeys: From Vision to Impact – What problem are we solving? What inspired the creation?
- Key milestones and challenges faced so far
- Addressing the biggest trust gaps in cybersecurity today
- Overcoming barriers to adoption – how to gain credibility and customer trust
- Future Outlook: The Road Ahead
- Predictions for the next five years in cybersecurity.

**With: Dr. Runli Guo, CEO and Founder, AI DIONI**

**11:00–12:00** **Morning Coffee Break + CISO 360: 1-2-1 Speed-Meetings**

Connect with technology and due diligence luminaries in our dynamic informative 'speed-meeting' setting to discover key market movers and shakers, in an efficient and engaging way for 5-minute voluntary door-openers. You'll be pre-matched based on your mutual interests. A unique opportunity to evaluate new tools, discuss real-world challenges, and directly influence the technologies that will shape the future of security. We are all part of the same puzzle. Not to be missed!

**12:00** **Fireside Chat: Cyber NEDs: CISO Life v.2**

CISOs have a unique and valuable skill set that makes them excellent candidates to take on NED roles.

- What the role entails.
- Criteria around becoming a NED. Can you do this alongside your CISO role?
- What are the benefits and challenges – shared experiences
- Setting up for success

**12:20** **Fireside Chat: TechSec – How are Software Companies Building Trust and Self-Protecting?**

- Clarifying the roles of Field CISO – what is the optimal mix?
- CIO-CISO collaborative leadership
- Protecting Intellectual Property (IP) – Safeguarding proprietary tools, algorithms, and R&D
- Monitoring privileged users and preventing data leaks
- Securing internal operations from advanced threats
- Protecting data and services hosted in the cloud
- Ensuring the security of client-sensitive information

**With Carolyn Brown, CIO, British Medical Association, CISOs, CIOs/CTOs and luminaries from the financial services sector**

**12:45** **Curated Table Discussion: CISO Value Creation in a Global Uncertain World**

Sharing AI innovations and Managing Regulation risks  
 · Reality of Regulation in an AI World?  
 · Influences of the Trump Administration?  
 · CISO value inputs to regulators and government policies?  
 · Regulating AI – Competing countries, GDPR issues  
 · Space and 6G competitive future  
 · Intelligentization advances over Informatization  
 · Competing value of bio-computing and Brain Science  
 · Global upstream cyber-attacks  
 · Security and Energy Uncertainty in Europe  
 · Company Resilience against sabotage and Insider Threats

**Dr Sally Leivesley, Managing Director Newrisk Limited, Member of the Register of Security Engineers and Specialists**

**13:15–14:25** Lunch

**14:25** **Case Story – Responding to Ransomware**

Highlighting the challenges, including managing downtime of critical systems, navigating regulatory reporting requirements, and handling ransom demands. Actionable lessons on preparation, response, and recovery, offering practical guidance to strengthen organisational resilience against ransomware threats.





# Programme

## Wednesday 19 March – CISO 360 UKI Conference

### Securing Tomorrow, Navigating Complexity, Driving Resilience.

#### 14:50 Sector Focus Groups

Join CISOs and luminaries from the industry of most interest to explore real case stories, share lessons learned, and discuss strategies to navigate the cybersecurity challenges unique to your sector.

##### Case stories: HealthSec

- Protecting Patient Data – Ensuring compliance with regulations
  - Ransomware – Preventing attacks targeting critical healthcare operations
  - Securing IoT Devices – Safeguarding medical devices connected to networks
  - Third-Party Risk Management – Vetting vendors and supply chains
  - Incident Response Planning – Rapid recovery from breaches or outages
- [With CISOs and luminaries from the healthcare sector](#)

##### Case stories: EnergySec

- Operational Technology (OT) Security – Protecting industrial control systems (ICS) and SCADA networks
  - Safeguarding energy grids, pipelines, and facilities
  - Ransomware – preventing disruptions to operations
  - Regulatory Compliance – Meeting industry mandates
  - Physical and cyber convergence
  - Resilience and Disaster Recovery – recovery from cyber incidents or outages
  - Protecting upstream and downstream operations.
- [CISOs from the extractives, utilities, power, and energy sectors](#)

##### Case stories: Financial Services

- Protecting against phishing, identity theft, and fraud
  - Ransomware – Securing critical banking operations from attacks
  - Regulatory compliance
  - Zero Trust Architecture – Enhancing access control
  - Data Encryption – Protecting sensitive financial data
  - Cloud Security – Securing data in hybrid cloud environments
  - Leveraging AI to detect anomalies in transactions
  - Insider Threat – Monitoring privileged access and behavioural patterns
- [With CISOs and luminaries from the financial services sector](#)

#### 15:30 Panel: Strengthening the Foundations – What are CISOs working towards in 2025?

- Transition from static inventories to dynamic, real-time visibility across IoT, AI, and cloud
- Move from ad hoc patching to SLA-driven processes automated by risk assessments
- Cloud: Enabling cybersecurity controls in the Cloud to protect the data and digital assets
- Adopt Zero Trust principles rigorously with phishing-resistant MFA and frequent privilege reviews
- Implement “configuration as code” practices, ensuring automated drift detection
- Update playbooks for AI-specific threats, including deepfake and multi-agent attacks, simulation training
- Future skills
- Red Teaming and Computer Simulation Techniques
- Navigating Data Sovereignty and Securing Data

#### 16:00–16:30 Networking Tea Break and Sponsors’ Prize Draw





# Our Venue

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location in the centre of Windsor. The hotel is only a few minutes' walk from both Windsor & Eton Central and Windsor and Eton Riverside train stations.  
**Event B&B Rate is £195 per night.**



## PRICING AND REGISTRATION INFORMATION

### BOOK ONLINE

#### DELEGATE

CISOs and senior cybersecurity practitioners

#### Free to participate

Available to book by in-house practitioners – i.e. persons who are doing the role of Chief Information Security Officer, Directors and Senior Managers of Information Security, Cybersecurity, Intelligence, Investigations, Risk, Resilience and other in-house executives roles who are not providing services, products or advice directly or indirectly to the security community.

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**PASS INCLUDES:**

Roundtable (18 March 2025)	Conference (19 March 2025)	Access to presentations post-event
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#### Inclusions

- Entry to CISO 360 UK, 18- 19 March 2025
- Invitation to join the confirmed networking events! Partners are welcome to join these (no cost)
- Lunches and daily refreshments
- Certificate of attendance soft copy provided post-event on request
- Post-event presentation materials (subject to speaker opt-out) and output report
- Loyalty programme membership for future events and invitation to bespoke community events in your city

#### Exclusions

Travel and accommodation and all other costs associated with planning for / joining the event

