10 Uncomfortable Truths About Cybersecurity



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Cybersecurity is a business risk



Cybersecurity is everyone's responsibility, starting at the top. Leadership buy-in is crucial; without it, risks multiply, leaving the entire business exposed to threats.

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Success in cybersecurity is beyond technical skills and certifications



A resume never shows the true "hacker mindset", incl. how people overcome challenges and setbacks.

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You will be breached. It's not if - it's when



100% security is impossible - you will be breached. There will always be a weakness

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The skills shortage isn't just a people shortage



Focus on hire and build, fill immediate needs AND nurture, building talent from within.

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Technology alone won't save the day



Understand what is required to keep tools & tech running effectively. Have a good view of the total cost of ownership, including the time required for people to maintain and monitor it.

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Cybersecurity isn't just penetration testing



Focus on continuous improvement, awareness, and resilience to keep cyber risks to your business under control

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Compliance doesn't equal security



Attackers don't care about you passing your audits, they care about your weak points. Compliance often gives a false sense of security.

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Cyber insurance isn't a get-outof-jail-free card



Insurance. Won't. Fix. Your. Reputation.



Security teams are burning out



We need to start taking better care of those who protect our systems and data before they decide to protect themselves and leave. 10

Legacy systems are your Achilles' heel



Prime targets for attackers: Those succulent, juicy, ripe old legacy systems, often not developed and deployed with security in mind.

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