

DAY 1 • June 8th

08:30 – 9:30 • Registration

10:00 – 10:45 Orange Business Talk

Hacking a Billion Dollar Bank in 20 Minutes – Mr. Glenn Wilkinson, Ethical Hacker

11:00 – 13:00 Opening Session

Welcome Note: Mr. Ossama Kamal – Chairman, **Mercury Communications**

Sponsors Notes:

- ▶ Mr. Mohammed Amin – Sr. VP CEEMETA – **Dell Technologies**
- ▶ Mr. Ibrahim Sarhan – Chairman and CEO – **eFinance Investment Group**
- ▶ Mr. Mohamed El Mofty – CEO – **ICT Misr**
- ▶ Mr. Mohamed Kamel – Country Manager – **Cisco Egypt**
- ▶ Mr. Bishoy Wasfy – Information Security Senior Director – **Cyshield**
- ▶ Mr. Khaled Fawzy – Sr. Country Manager, Egypt, Libya, and Sudan – **Fortinet**

11:35 – 11:40 ▶ H.E. Mohamed Bin Amor – Director General – Arab Information & Communication Technologies Organization

11:40 – 11:45 ▶ H.E. Lacina Kone – The Director General and Chief Executive Officer – Smart Africa

11:45 – 11:50 ▶ H.E. Dr. Divine Selase Agbeti – Director General – Ghana Cyber Security Authority (CSA) & ANCA Chair

11:50 – 11:55 ▶ Dr. Jan Ellsberger – Director General – European Telecommunication Standards Institute (ETS)

11:55 – 12:00 ▶ Dr. Islam Azzam – Executive Chairman – Financial Regulatory Authority (FRA)

12:00 – 12:10 ▶ Brigadier General Ahmed Mohamed Any – On Behalf of Minister of Defense

12:10 – 12:20 ▶ Dr. Sherif Hazem – Sub-Governor Cyber Security – Central Bank of Egypt

12:20 – 12:30 ▶ H.E. Dr. Sherif Farouk – Minister of Supply, Egypt

12:30 – 12:40 ▶ H.E. Dr. Khaled Abdelghafar – Minister of Health and Population, Egypt

12:40 – 12:50 ▶ H.E. Eng. Raafat Hendy – Minister of Communications and Information Technology, Egypt

13:00 – 13:30 • Coffee Break

13:30 – 14:15 Securing Agentic AI: When Your AI Can Act on Your Behalf — Breakout Room A

Moderator: Mr. Sherif Shaltout – MENA Managing Executive, **Liquid C2**

Panelists:

- ▶ Mr. Stefano Maccaglia – Director IR and Red Team Practices – **NetWitness**
- ▶ Mr. Mohamed ElShal – Senior Named Account Executive – **Cloudflare**
- ▶ Mr. Hassan El Bamby – Country Manager (Egypt, Bahrain, Jordan) – **Beyond Trust**
- ▶ Mr. Mostafa El Anany – Country Manager Egypt and Libya – **Veeam**
- ▶ Mr. Ibrahim Shamel – Cyber Security Sales Leader, Egypt – **Cisco**
- ▶ Mr. Hazem Moftah – Sales Engineering Manager, **Forcepoint**

13:30 – 14:15 Cyber Judgment Day: Balancing Regulation, Risk & Innovation — Breakout Room B

Moderator: Mr. Bishoy Wasfy – Information Security Services Senior Director, **Cyshield**

Panelists:

- ▶ Dr. Mohamed Hamdi – Cybersecurity Expert – **AICTO**
- ▶ Mr. Gamal Thabet – Information Security Manager – **eFinance**
- ▶ Mr. Ashraf Koheil – Vice President of Sales, META, ANZ & CIS – **Group IB**
- ▶ Mr. Amr Farouk – Chairman & CEO – **Jatdev**

- ▶ Mr. Mohamed Mazroaa – Senior Director of Network Security – **Telecom Egypt**

15:00 – 17:00 Guarding the Future: African & Arab Frontiers in Securing the Cyberspace

Closed Session

14:30 – 15:15 Predictive SOC: Intelligence Before Incident — Breakout Room A

Moderator: Ms. Rania El Rouby – CISO, **Banque Misr**

Panelists:

- ▶ Mr. Hussam Sidani – Vice President METAPCIS Region – **OPSWAT**
- ▶ Mr. Mohamed Elgarf – Regional Business Development Manager – Egypt and East Africa – Security Operations – **Fortinet**
- ▶ Mr. Muhammad Sukkar – Cybersecurity Consultant – **Exabeam**
- ▶ Mr. Ahmed Nader – MENA SOC Leader – **Liquid C2**
- ▶ Dr. Ahmed Abu Ghazala – Regional Executive Chief, Information Security Officer – **Egyptian Arab Land Bank**

14:30 – 15:15 Post-Quantum Cryptography: From Roadmap to Action Plan — Breakout Room B

Moderator: Dr. Ahmed Hassan Aly – Cybersecurity Director, **ALKAN CIT**

Panelists:

- ▶ Mr. Mohamed El Mofty – CEO – **ICT Misr**
- ▶ Mr. Mohamed El Prince – Information Security Consultant, Manager – **GTS Holding**
- ▶ Mr. Ahmed Saafan – VP, Security R&D – **Cyshield**
- ▶ Mr. Sameh Emam – Cybersecurity Director – **Cisco**
- ▶ Mr. Mohamed Abdel kader – Regional Director MEA – **OpenText**

15:30 – 16:15 Security in the Age of Claude Mythos: CISO Strategies to Cope with Leaps in AI Capabilities — Breakout Room A

Moderator: Dr. Sherif Hashem – Information Sciences and Technology Professor at George Mason University, VA, **USA**

Panelists:

- ▶ Mr. Mahmoud Ezzeldin – Regional Senior Enterprise Security Architect – Egypt & KSA – **Akamai**
- ▶ Mr. Damiano Coletti – Global Business Development – **Entanglement Inc.**
- ▶ Mr. Rick Geers – Advisory Consultant, Solutions Architecture, United Kingdom – **Dell Technologies**
- ▶ Mr. Fuad Mihdawi – Field Director META Region – **NetWitness**
- ▶ Mr. Waseem Youssef – Technical Solutions Director - Egypt and North Africa, – **Palo Alto Networks**

15:30 – 16:15 Governmental Shields: Navigating Geopolitical Cyber Threats in the Modern Middle East — Breakout Room B

Moderator: Mr. Yehia El Gohary – Head of Information Security, **eFinance**

Panelists:

- ▶ Mr. Sherif Yehia – Advisor to The Minister – **Ministry of Investment and Foreign Trade**
- ▶ Dr. Ahmed Anas – Deputy General Manager & Head of Cybersecurity Governance Department – **CBE**
- ▶ Mr. Ashraf El Gohary – CTO – **Ministry of Finance**
- ▶ Prof. Ahmed Khattab – **NTI Director**

DAY 2 • June 9th

08:30 – 09:45 • Women in Technology Breakfast (By Invitation)

10:00 – 10:45 Women in Cybersecurity — Breakout Room A

Moderator: Dr. Marwa Zaghaw – Director of Cybersecurity Services Strategy, **Dell Technologies**

Panelists:

- ▶ Eng. Abeer Kheidr – Group Head of Cybersecurity – **National Bank of Egypt**
- ▶ Eng. Iman Wafi – Regional Energy Lead – **ICT Misr (Libya & KSA) & IoT Misr**
- ▶ H.E. Prof. Nnenna Ifeanyi Ajufo – Vice Chair – **African Union Cyber Experts Group**
- ▶ Ms. Zara Ahmed Sedick – Director General AI Ministry of Telecommunication and Digital economy of the – **Republic of Tchad**
- ▶ Ms. Ghada Alshammari – CISO, **Alraedah**

11:00 – 13:00 Banking Meeting — Breakout Room A

13:00 – 14:30 Anti-Fraud Strategies in the AI Era — Breakout Room A

Moderator: Mr. Ossama Kamal – Chairman, **Mercury Communications**

Panelists:

- ▶ Mr. Mostafa Khidr – Director Fraud and Financial Crimes Combating – **Central Bank of Egypt**
- ▶ Judge Mohamed El Zind – Chair of the National Committee for Preventing & Combating Cybercrime
- ▶ Mr. Maximilian Menhard – Associate Expert – **UNODC Vienna**
- ▶ Ambassador Amira Fahmy – Deputy Assistant – **Minister of Foreign Affairs**

14:45 – 15:30 Who Failed Who? Has Zero Trust Failed, or Have Enterprises Failed Zero Trust? — Breakout Room A

Moderator: Mr. Abdel Rahim Rasem – Strategic Account Manager, **Cyshield**

Panelists:

- ▶ Mr. Mohamed Nabil – Cyber Security Business Development Director – **Noventiq**
- ▶ Mr. Chris Key – CTO, VP UK & Europe – **Cyberteq**
- ▶ Mr. Ashraf Atef – Regional Business Development Manager, Egypt and East Africa – SASE – **Fortinet**
- ▶ Mr. Mohamed Said – Regional Director, Advanced Services – **CONNECT Professional Services**
- ▶ Mr. Aly Sabry – Cybersecurity Regional Leader – **Cisco Africa**

10:00 – 10:45 Defending the Edge: OT & Critical Infrastructure — Breakout Room B

Moderator: Mr. Ayman Abdel Aziz – Business Unit Director, Telecom & Commercial Sectors, **Cyshield**

Panelists:

- ▶ Mr. Amr Nour – CEO – **IoT Misr**
- ▶ Dr. Mohamed Abdelfattah – Regional Business Development Manager – Egypt and East Africa – **Fortinet**
- ▶ Mr. George Atef – CIO – **Emaar Misr**
- ▶ Mr. Hussam Abu Rida – Technical Director, MEA – **TxOne Networks**
- ▶ Mr. Sherif Saleh – Security Advisor – **Kaspersky**

11:00 – 11:45 Resilience by Design: Building Systems That Fail Safely — Breakout Room B

Moderator: Dr. Manar Helal – Cybersecurity leader & Chief Digital Officer, **Alamein Petroleum Company**

Panelists:

- ▶ Mr. Ahmed El Menshawy – Regional Sales Manager – **Dell Technologies**
- ▶ Mr. Mahmoud Sherif Ghanem – Regional Manager MENA & Turkey – **Fortra**
- ▶ Mr. Elie Kortbawy – Regional Director – **Baracuda Networks**
- ▶ Mr. Mohamed Negm – Solutions Engineer Egypt and Kuwait – **Trellix**
- ▶ Mr. Mahmoud Salaheldin – Managing Director – **Digital Defense Group**



12:00 – 12:45 Machine – Speed Defense for Machine – Speed Threats — Breakout Room B

Moderator: Mr. Tarek Fouad – Enterprise Sales Manager, Egypt and Kuwait, **Trellix**

Panelists:

- ▶ Mr. Rami Naccache – Senior Security Consultant – **Palo Alto Networks**
- ▶ Mr. Omar Elwy – Head of GRC – **eFinance**
- ▶ Mr. Hisham Magdy – CEO – **Snappers**
- ▶ Mr. Louay Saleh – Cyber Security Technical Assessments General Manager – **NBE**
- ▶ Mr. Ahmed El Bahnihy – Country Manager – **Cyberknight**

13:00 – 13:45 Deepfakes, Synthetic Media, and the Future of Digital Identity — Breakout Room B

Moderator: Mr. Asem Galal – Managing Partner, **G&K**

Panelists:

- ▶ Mr. Ahmed Abdelfattah Saleh – **Member of African Union Advisory Group on AI**
- ▶ Ms. Zara Ahmed Sedick – Director General, AI Ministry of Telecommunication and digital economy – **Republic of Tchad**
- ▶ Mr. Mohamed Hassan – Regional Director Manager Africa, Iberia & Eastern Europe – **RSA**
- ▶ Mr. Ossama El Gedawy – Assistant Director for Technology – Security Operations – **AUC**
- ▶ Mr. Khaled Yehia Salah – SR-GTM Security MCC – **Microsoft Egypt**

14:00 – 14:45 Multi-Tier Cybersecurity Certification Framework and the Sovereign Cloud Stack — Breakout Room B

Moderator: Dr. Ahmed Hassan Aly – Cybersecurity Director, **ALKAN CIT**

Panelists:

- ▶ Mr. Ayman El Zhoghby – VP Cyber Defense MEA – **Digital Defense Group**
- ▶ Mr. Mohamed Sohail – Advisory Consultant, Data Center & Business Resiliency – **Dell Technologies**
- ▶ Ms. Hadir Labib – MENA GRC Leader – **Liquid C2**
- ▶ Mr. Mohamed Abdelwahed Mahmoud – Lead Technology Consultant – Egypt, Levant & Africa – **Amiviz**
- ▶ Mr. Mohamed Hamdi – Cybersecurity Expert – **Group IB**

12:00 – 13:00 Fortinet Commercial RoundTable • Orlov Boardroom

12:00 – 13:30 Beyond Cybersecurity Compliance: Implementing Egypt’s New Personal Data Protection Law in Practice • Hope (Meeting Room)

Panelists:

- ▶ Dr. Ziad Bahaa Eldin – Founding Partner, Former Deputy Prime – **Thebes Consultancy**
- ▶ Mr. Sherif Shaltout – MENA Managing Executive – **Liquid C2**
- ▶ Mr. Ismail Ramadan – Partner, Regulatory & Legal Consultant – **Thebes Consultancy**
- ▶ Ms. Hadir Labib – MENA GRC Manager – **Liquid C2**

10:30 – 11:30 Telecom Round Table • Breakout Room C

12:00 – 13:00 Oil & Gas Round Table • Breakout Room C

Securing the Unpredictable: Strengthening Cybersecurity and Resilience of Critical Infrastructure

Moderator: Mr. Karim Solyman – Chief Digital Officer, **Ministry of Petroleum and Mineral Resources**

13:00 – 14:00 Fortinet Workshop • Breakout Room C

14:00 – 14:30 Fireside Chat • Breakout Room C

H.E. Karim Badawy – Minister of Petroleum

14:45 – 15:30 Securing the Skies: Aviation Cybersecurity in the Age of AI & Hyper Connectivity — Breakout Room C

Moderator: Mr. Hossam El Moshryfy – Cloud Security Alliance, **Egypt Chapter President**

Panelists:

- ▶ Eng. Yasser Omran – CIO – **Egypt Air Holding Company**
- ▶ Dr. Hany Helmy – PhD Cybersecurity & Artificial Intelligence Expert – **Holding Company for Airports**
- ▶ Mr. Sherif Shaltout – MENA Managing Executive – **Liquid C2**
- ▶ Mr. Bishoy Wasfy – Information Security Senior Director – **Cyshield**
- ▶ Mr. Yehia El Gohary – Head of Information Security – **eFinance**

16:00 – 17:00 • Closing Ceremony

Closing Remarks: Mr. Ossama Kamal – Chairman, **Mercury Communications**

Keynote: H.E. Ahmed Kochock – Minister of Finance, Egypt

Honoring International Guests

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