



NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to our February 2008 Jericho Forum® Newsletter. As usual, feel free to share our news with your colleagues, and [email us](#) with your comments.

Jericho Forum at RSA 2008 - April 10th, 11.30-15.30

This will be held in our conference room at The Open Group's San Francisco office at 44 Montgomery Street - 2 blocks from the RSA 2008 event at Moscone Center. If you will be at RSA 2008, come and see us, and if you know someone who should attend, then invite them to request a place by sending their business contact information to jerichoforum-interest@opengroup.org

The RSA event (<http://www.rsaconference.com/2008/US/home.aspx>) is the premier security conference and exhibition of the year, where information security professionals gather to talk about the latest developments in security technologies, see a multitude of vendor products and solutions on display in the vast exhibition hall, and meet with fellow security professionals and decision-makers ranging in expertise from deeply-technical to top-level managerial and all points in between. For serious information security people, the RSA event is the place to be. That's why the Jericho Forum will be there - adding value. It's worth noting that this is the only event at RSA 2008 where we've nothing to sell, but attendees will get free hard information on how to respond to de-perimeterisation, with solutions in use today that they can adopt (with pride), and loads of free information for their business (again free) proven by some of the global 2000 corporates.

We have a very snappy agenda, starting with lunch, then:

- Keynote: (announcement on "who" will give this is imminent)
- Presentation 1: Why de-perimeterisation is affecting you now - the business case
- Presentation 2: The Jericho Forum's achievements, and where it's going
- Presentation 3: Today's challenges, and our solutions & strategies: COA, Secure Comms
- Roundtable: How to enable collaborative working in a de-perimeterised environment

Jericho Forum Spring Conference – April 22nd, 10.30-16.00

Our Spring Conference in the UK is again hosted by Reed Exhibitions, and co-located with InfoSec Europe 2008 (April 22-24) at the Olympia Conference Center, London – www.infosec.co.uk/jericho

The focus of the event this year is on Business Collaboration:

- Keynote - "Why Collaboration is Critical"
- Re-drawing the Boundary around the Data
- Effective Management for Collaboration - how to manage collaboration
- Collaboration Oriented Architectures - our framework for secure business collaboration
- COA master-class - how to enable collaborative working in a de-perimeterised environment



Attendees will receive VIP passes to our Conference and also to the Infosecurity exhibition and presentation sessions. See the agenda for the Jericho Forum conference, and invite those who you feel should attend to register online - at www.jerichoforum.org/events.htm

Looking forward to the 2nd half of 2008 – events to be confirmed:

- Sept: Infosecurity in US
We hope to partner again with Reed International to run a Jericho Forum conference during their Infosecurity event in Sept 2008.
- Nov/Dec: Jericho Forum conference at IS Summit, Hong Kong. We are exploring the opportunity to raise the profile of the Jericho Forum in the Pacific Rim region of the globe, by running an event co-located with the prestigious IS Summit conference.

Our Monthly NetWorkWorld columns

Maintaining our record of success with our monthly columns printed in Network World (NWW is one of the most well-read publications in the US IT marketplace), we are about to have our 5th column printed. See them at <https://www.opengroup.org/jericho/newses.tpl?CALLER=index.tpl>
The list to date is:

- on VoIP, Nov 2007, written by Paul Simmonds
- on Endpoint Security, in Dec 2007, again by Paul
- on Email, in Jan 2008, again by Paul
- on The Future of Network Security, in Feb 2008, by David Lacey

and our 5th column – on “Combining DLP and Encryption to assure Enterprise Information Protection”, by Jörg Horn (Utimaco) – is due to be published in the next few days.

New Forum – ISAF

Some of you may be aware that the ISSA (UK) has created an Information Security Awareness Forum - ISAF. It's objective is "*to create a co-ordinated cross-industry / cross-institution approach for delivering security awareness messages to large corporations, SMEs, and individuals*".

No, it's not trying to re-invent the wheel. It's objective is to provide a forum where the various industry groups involved in awareness can ensure messages and campaigns are co-ordinated - effectively a “forum of forums”. The Jericho Forum clearly can contribute on the future direction of information security. They ran a press launch on Tuesday Feb 12th at the British Computer Society, where several Jericho Forum members attended, and ensuing press coverage included a quote from us:

"The Jericho Forum (www.jerichoforum.org) welcomes this initiative to promote security awareness, an essential part of our vision to allow seamless and secure collaboration between businesses, suppliers and customers, allowing us to conduct business across an open, Internet-driven, networked world."