Randall and Watkin-Child join CIP advisory board

Cybersec Innovation Partners (CIP) are delighted to announce the appointment of Don Randall MBE and Andy Watkin-Child (CSyP, CEng) as advisory board members who will provide expertise and strategic advice to support the company's growth plan.

On leaving City of London Police in 1995 Don was appointed as Managing Director at JPMorgan Chase and held the post of International Security Manager for Europe, Middle East and Africa and the Asia Pacific regions.

In 2008 Don was appointed Head of Security at the Bank of England and in November 2013 he became the Bank's first Chief Information Security Officer. Don was Chairman of the Global Banks Heads of Security Group from June 2013 to June 2015. He is the founder and Chairman of the Sister Banks' and 'Project Griffin - a joint partnership between the private and public sector security industries.

In 2016 Andy joined the Global Risk Leadership team of Santander in Madrid, as the company's first global Head of the 2nd Line of Defence (LoD) for cyber, technology and continuity risk management. He built and led the global team across Santander's 11 banks and global entities. Andy holds Royal Charters in Security (CSyP) and Engineering (CEng), and is one of 140 people to hold a place on the UK Chartered Security Register.

CIP CEO Andy Jenkinson said: "We are so pleased to have these two great men helping to drive our exciting growth plans. They recognise that in Whitethorn we have an offering that will soon become the industry standard in digital certificate management. Combined with the other elements of our cyber security ecosystem we have a uniquely compelling proposition for the market."

Don Randall said: "I was both impressed with Andy's professional and enthusiastic approach to this area of cyber security, coupled with a need to fill an exposed gap in this area on an international scale. The approach and application by CIP/Whitethorn in digital certification management will add enormous value to the industry and prevent substantial loss."

Andy Watkin-Child said: "Cyber security is one of the most complex non-financial risks facing companies today. A risk which is proven to impact the balance sheet, both the top and bottom lines. No matter which framework you choose to adopt, certificate management is an important aspect of many cyber security controls. Be that data security, access management, network security, web security or device policy management and a discipline which is often not effectively managed."

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