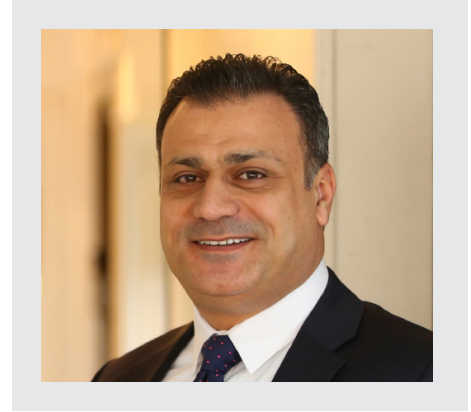# WALEED HAMMAD

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SHORT BIO

Waleed Hammad is a distinguished speaker, thought leader, consultant, and trainer. He is a seasoned Information Security Management, Governance, Risk & Compliance (GRC) professional with over two decades of expertise. He is dedicated to elevating the field by assembling exceptional teams of professionals. With a global footprint, Waleed has provided consultancy and training in Information Security, Data Privacy, GRC, Business Continuity & Disaster Recovery (BCM/DR), and IT Strategic Management & Leadership to organizations and individuals worldwide.

Waleed's contributions have reached professionals across the US, Europe, Middle East, and Africa. He is the Chief Executive Officer at PROXC and the Chairman of the board at TheAdvanced. He has cultivated strong affiliations with influential organizations such as ISACA, IAPP, and DRI International. His leadership expanded DRI International's presence in the UK & MEA from 2010 to 2016. His extensive expertise spans global regulatory and accreditation requirements.

CREDENTIALS

- CISM-Certified Information Security Manager-ISACA
- CISA-Certified Information Systems Auditor-ISACA
- CIPM-Certified Information Privacy Manager-IAPP
- Lead Auditor ISO 20000-IT Service Management
- Lead Auditor ISO 22301-Societal Security (BCM)
- Lead Auditor ISO 27001-Information Security
- DRII Business Continuity Management Instructor

CLIENTS PROTFOLIO

- SAP, ADP, Capgemini.
- JP Morgan, GE Capital, Invesco.
- HSBC, CIB, QNB, QDB, CBE, MCI.
- British Petroleum, General Electric.
- ISO Organization, Grohe, Aljazeera.
- Hoag Hospital, Children Cancer Hospital 57357
- Vodafone, Zain Telecom, Celtel Telecom, Etisalat.
- UNODC-United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime.

EXTENDED BIO

Waleed Hammad is a distinguished professional, boasting a remarkable career spanning more than 20 years. He is driven by an unwavering commitment to enhancing the standards and practices within the field, exemplified through his exceptional leadership in assembling teams of extraordinary professionals. His contributions continue to shape and elevate the industry, leaving an enduring legacy of professionalism and innovation.

Waleed's international acclaim extends to his role as a distinguished speaker, thought leader, consultant, and trainer. Over the course of his illustrious career, he has had the privilege of sharing his expertise with professionals spanning the United States, Europe, the Middle East, and Africa. His dynamic presentations and thought-provoking insights have left an indelible mark on the industry.

In his current capacity as the Chief Executive Officer at PROXC, a renowned consultancy firm that collaborates with world-class leaders in the information management industry. His strategic vision and leadership have significantly contributed to PROXC's success in delivering top-tier consulting and training services. Furthermore, Waleed is the Chairman of the board of TheAdvanced, an organization committed to pushing the boundaries of professional excellence.

Waleed's professional affiliations are a testament to his standing within the industry. He has cultivated strong affiliations with influential organizations such as ISACA (formerly known as the Information Systems Audit and Control Association), IAPP (The International Association of Privacy Professionals), and DRI International (The Disaster Recovery Institute). Notably, Waleed played a pivotal role in the expansion of DRI International's footprint across the United Kingdom and the Middle East and Africa regions during the period spanning 2010 to 2016.

Throughout his illustrious career, Waleed has made invaluable contributions through the provision of consultancy and training services to a broad spectrum of organizations and individuals on a global scale. His expertise encompasses a diverse range of domains, including Information Security, Data Privacy, GRC, Business Continuity & Disaster Recovery (BCM/DR), and IT Strategic Management & Leadership. His profound insights and guidance have empowered countless professionals to navigate the complexities of these critical domains.

In addition to his advisory roles, Waleed possesses an in-depth understanding of regulatory and accreditation requirements, including but not limited to NIST, PCI DSS, GDPR, CCPA/CPRA, COBIT, and HIPAA. His comprehensive knowledge in these areas has enabled organizations to navigate complex compliance landscapes with confidence.