Champions in Security

Gala

2023 Awards Ceremony

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“When we first thought of honoring the wonderful human beings we knew that also served as cybersecurity leaders, we expected to transform our small venue into an elegant sit down affair that would spotlight the seventeen honorees and grow it from there. As awareness for the awards grew, we were overwhelmed by the number of leaders who asked to join us, some to share there thoughts on the honorees, others to become presenters, and still others wanted to come just to be there and take in this important moment. We ended up with an incredible line up of cybersecurity who’s who.

Our venue blew up. We had standing room only. The warmth and sincerity in that room brought tears to so many eyes. We never imagined that for the eighty or so cyber leaders who joined us at this inaugural Champions in Security Awards, this would become the highlight of their RSAC2023 experience.

Thank you to all of you who were there. You ignited one of the most important initiatives of 2023: The Champions in Security Awards - honoring Respect, Inclusion, Collaboration, Community, Innovation, and Education in Cyber. ”

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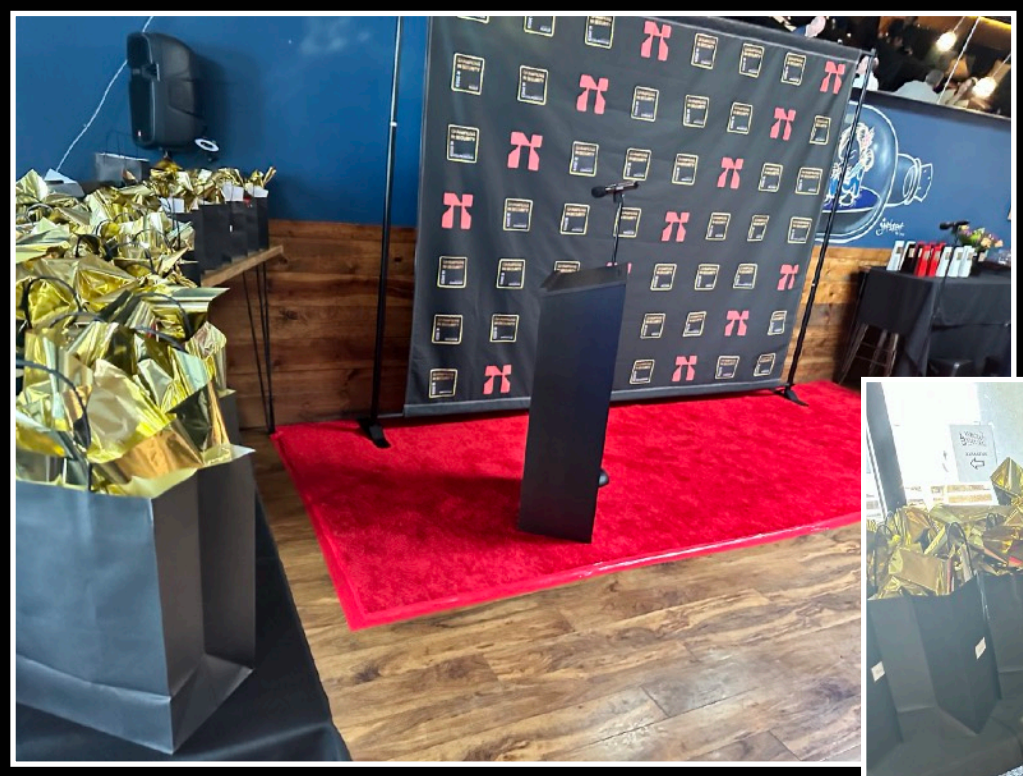
We transformed a bar…



with a red carpet to honor goodness, and goodies wrapped in gold tissue

…flew in gorgeous trophies from far away

By the end of the afternoon...

...those awards were in the right hands!

Standing L-R: Chris Roberts (CISO Boom Supersonic), Ray Espinoza (CISO Inspectiv), Rob Wood (CISO Center of Medicare & Medicaid Services), Mike Machado (CISO Shippo), Surbhi Tugnawat (MD EY, Frmr CISO SRI), Chitra Dharmarajan (Sr. Dir, Okta), Beth-Anne Bygum (CISO Acxiom), Nikita Raman (Co-founder Titaniam, Senior, Presentation High School), Aman Sirohi (CISO People.ai), Ramy Houssaini (Chief Cyber Risk Officer, BNP Paribas), John Masserini (TAG Cyber, on behalf of David Neuman, TAG Cyber)
Seated L-R: Tyson Kopczynski (CISO Aledade), Arti Raman (CEO Titaniam), Heather Hinton (CISO Pager Duty), Caroline Wong (CStrO Cobalt), Rohit Parchuri (CISO Yext), Kate Kuehn (CTrO AON) and Izak Mutlu (Frmr CISO Salesforce)

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Kayla Parolini played beautiful piano...

Kayla Parolini
on piano

Angela Lee to
support her

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...while amazing humans streamed in

Some faces you might recognize: Caroline Wong (CStrO Cobalt), Melinda Marks (Analyst ESG)

Javier Gonzalez (Frmr, CISO Barclays Mexico, John Masserini (Frmr CISO Millicom, Larry Letow (CEO CyberCX)

Shomiron Das Gupta (CEO DNIF), Pakshi Rajan (VP Titaniam), Izak Mutlu (Frmr CISO Salesforce) Sangram Dash (CISO CDK Global)

Tyson Kopczynski (CISO Aledade) , Resham Ganglani (CEO Halodata), Alyssa Pallotti (VP TouchdownPR), David Kruger (Analyst ESG)

The Red Carpet was well used!

Do you know these cybersecurity leaders and luminaries? Remarkable leaders and amazing humans

Ramy Houssaini (Chief Cyber Risk Officer, BNP Paribas) & Arti Raman (CEO Titaniam)

Troy Wilkinson (CISO IPG) & Shannon Wilkinson (CEO Tego Cyber)

Izak Mutlu (Frmr CISO Salesforce) & Arti Raman (CEO Titaniam)

...like really really well used!

Arti Raman (CEO Titaniam) & Jon Callas (Legend!!)

Chris Roberts & Charles Valentine (CISO, CIO Boom Supersonic)

Arti Raman (CEO Titaniam) & Larry Letow (CEO CyberCX)

Arti Raman (CEO Titaniam), Ramy Houssaini (Chief Cyber Risk Officer BNP Paribas), & Pavi Ramamurthy (Frmr CISO Upstart)

Kate Kuehn (CTrO AON) with Arti Raman and Pakshi Rajan (CEO & VP Titaniam)

The opening keynote was riveting!

Beth-Anne Bygum (CISO Acxiom) delivered an opening keynote that was thoughtful, inspiring, and left the group in awe of her selflessness and drive. Beth-Anne, you are a true inspiration!

The second keynote was a class act!

Kate Kuehn (CTrO AON) inspired the group with glimpses into her own journey through life and cyber. Kate, you are a role model for women. Thank you for all you do!

Champions in Security for Respect

Awarded by Pavi Ramamurthy (Frmr CISO Upstart)

To Tyson Kopczynski (CISO Aledade)

And Heather Hinton (CISO Pager Duty)

Champions in Security for Inclusion

Awarded by Troy Wilkinson (CISO IPG)

To Beth-Anne Bygum (CISO Acxiom)

Champions in Security for Inclusion

Awarded by Bhawna Singh (CTO Okta)

To Chitra Dharmarajan (Sr Dir Okta)

Champions in Security for Inclusion

Awarded by Charles Valentine (CIO Boom Supersonic)

To Chris Roberts (CISO Boom Supersonic)

Champions in Security for Collaboration

Awarded by Kate Kuehn (CTrO AON)

To Surbhi Tugnawat (MD EY, Frmr CISO SRI)

To Caroline Wong (CStrO Cobalt)

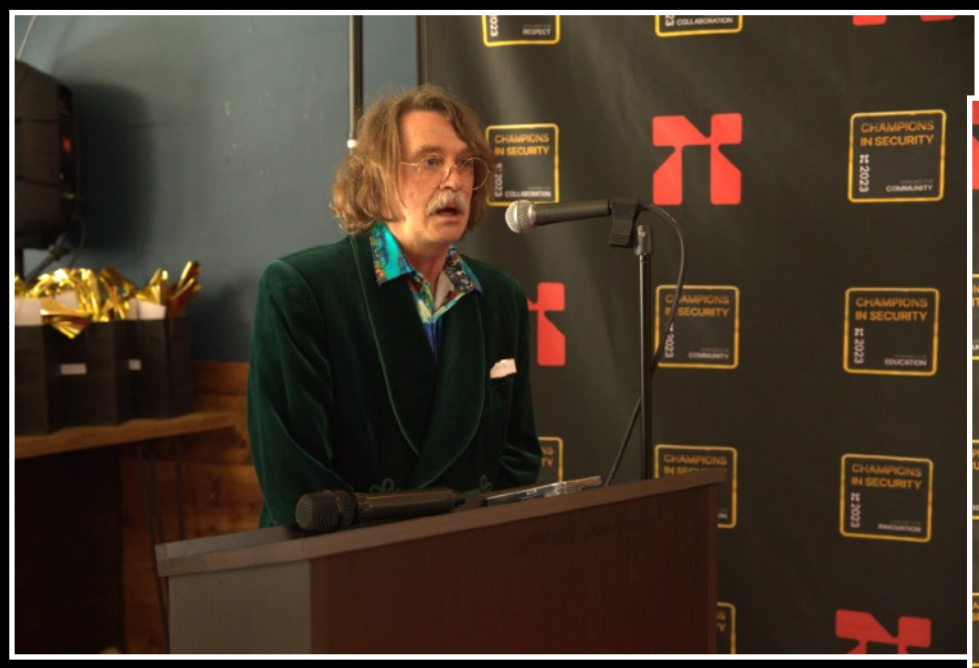
To Robert Wood (CISO Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services)

Champions in Security for Innovation

Awarded By Chris Roberts (CISO Boom Supersonic) To David Neuman (TAG-Cyber received by John Masserini)

To Michael Machado (CISO Shippo) above and Rohit Parchuri (CISO Yext) right

Champions in Security for Community



Awarded by Jon Callas (Legend. Co-founder PGP) To Ramy Houssaini (Chief Cyber Risk Officer BNP Paribas)

To Izak Mutlu (Frmr CISO Salesforce) above

To Anshu Gupta (CISO SPAN) right

Champions in Security for Education

Awarded by Leda Muller (CISO Stanford University - Residential & Dining) to Nikita Raman (Senior Presentation High School)

...and the Next Generation

To Aman Sirohi (CISO People.ai)

Champions in Security for Education

Awarded by Ryan Disraeli
(CEO Inspectiv)

To Ray Espinoza (CISO
Inspectiv)

True beacons among us were honored...

...by equally amazing leaders

And the Red Carpet saw more love...

Until Next Year...

Where 2023 honorees will name the 2024 Champions in Security!

About Titaniam

Titaniam is an award-winning converged data security platform that provides the industry's most advanced and comprehensive set of security and privacy controls in a single solution.

From cutting-edge encryption-in-use and searchable encryption to all types of data tokenization, traditional and format-preserving encryption, masking, anonymization and key-based controls, Titaniam enables enterprises to cut costs while still meeting the enormous challenges posed by ransomware, extortionware, insider threats and complex data privacy regulations.

Popular use cases include replacing traditional data tokenization solutions to enable secure search and analytics without detokenization, securing enterprise search, securing file servers from ransomware and extortionware, simplifying compliance, securely sharing sensitive data, enabling SaaS companies to let customers bring or hold their own keys (BYOK/HYOK), and enabling cross-border data privacy.

Titaniam can be used for new applications or with existing architectures via interoperable modules: Vault, Plugin, Proxy, and Translation Service. Titaniam is NIST FIPS 140-2 certified.

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