

## Week 5 Welcome: Security Governance, Compliance, and assigning responsibility

Hi everyone and welcome to Week 5 of Security and Risk Management in a Digital Environment. During this week, we will evaluate the relevance and importance of security governance and compliance within an organisation.

We will start the week with a lecture (slides with voiceover) on Security Governance and Compliance to enable you to gain an understanding of what they both represent and put into context their place in an organisation.

We will also have a lecture (slides with voiceover) on roles and responsibilities to give an insight into where the responsibility lies to implement security policies and compliance of them within the organisation.

There will be a paper to read to evaluate the difference between using different approaches available for implementing security procedures; one that is voluntary, and one that is mandatory.

We will also continue reading chapters and extracts from the main course text for you to read around the subjects for the week, and gain a deeper understanding of the subject area.

I will also be asking you to share with fellow students what knowledge and experience you have of governance and compliance within your own place of work. This is to enable you to discuss your understanding of the importance of having knowledge and understanding of relevant security measures.

Please ensure that you engage with these discussions as they will further your understanding of the weeks' content and can contribute as useful information to add to your portfolio for the summative assessments. Please keep this portfolio updated as you will benefit from it and read the summative assignment specifications regularly in order to ensure you record all the relevant information in the portfolios.

Please Note: Just a reminder to submit the first piece of Summative Assessment (40% of the module weighting), that was given in Week 3, via Turnitin on Canvas.

Please complete all of the activities for the week and enjoy the work as we continue on our journey.

At the end of the week, there will be a summary of the week.