



Managing Cybersecurity Threats in the Financial Sector – The Panel

Patricia Rowe-Seale



Patricia Rowe-Seale is the Director, Enterprise Security, Fraud and Supplier Risk Management at CIBC FirstCaribbean International Bank with over 20 years of progressive experience in internal auditing, cybersecurity, IT, third-party and fraud risk management. As a member of the technology and operations management team, Patricia is tasked with protecting the Bank's information assets.

As a volunteer instructor with the Institute of Internal Auditors (IIA), she facilitates their Cybersecurity Auditing and Fundamentals of IT auditing seminars globally. She is also a member of the IIA Examination Development Committee.

Patricia, a Commonwealth Scholar, received her undergraduate degree with honours in Mathematics and Computer Science from the University of the West Indies and her Masters, with honours, in Computer Sciences from the University of Waikato in New Zealand. She also completed a leadership development programme with the Wharton School of Business.

Ryan Greaves



Ryan Greaves is the Chief Technology Officer at the City of Bridgetown Co-Operative Credit Union Ltd., where he is responsible for establishing C.O.B's technical visions, developing the technology roadmap, and overseeing the technical infrastructure of the credit union. He has more than 25 years of experience in information technology, and is passionate about aligning technology and business innovation.

Ryan is a graduate of the University of the West Indies, Cave Hill Campus, and holds a Master's degree in Management Studies and a Bachelor of Science in Management studies.



Ryan also holds a number of industry certifications in cybersecurity and networking such as CISSP, CEH, CCNP, and CCNA.

Jason Downey



Jason Downey started his IT career over 25 years ago in the trenches as a Tech Support rep for Cable & Wireless. He then moved on to Barbados Shipping & Trading (now Massy Group), where he progressed through the ranks from IT Specialist, and is now the IT Security, Privacy and Governance Manager for Massy Integrated Retail Portfolio.

He holds several IT Security certifications including Certified Information Systems Security Professional (CISSP), Certified Cloud Security Professional, Certified Ethical Hacker, along with other certifications from various vendors.

He is one of the founding members and current Vice President of the Barbados Chapter of the Information Systems Security Association.

Jason is also a Sub Lieutenant in the Barbados Defence Force Reserves in the newly-established Cyber Unit.