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Biography

Dr. Sanjay Bahl has over three decades of experience in the ICT industry. His background includes broad and deep skills and knowledge encompassing unique experiences in technology, business, global trade, and policy in the private and public sectors along with academic, public policy and legal areas.

He is currently a Senior Consultant with CERT-In. He has provided consultancy in the area of policy, governance, risk, compliance, security and privacy to national level projects in India.

As resource person for UN-APCICT, Dr. Bahl delivers the security and privacy training module of the Academy of ICT Essentials for government leaders. He was Chief Security Officer (CSO) for Microsoft Corporation (India) Pvt Ltd., and was also the global CSO of Tata Consultancy Services (TCS). He was the Chief Information Officer (CIO) for Hughes Tele.com (India) Ltd on secondment from TCS. While at PT Infotimur Sistimatama, Jakarta, and CMC Ltd, New Delhi, he developed, executed and managed large complex software and turnkey projects.

Abstract on the Topic of the Presentation

“Emergency response of security incidents”

Today the successful innovative exploitation of cyberspace has changed the way knowledge is imparted, government operates, business is transacted and national security assured. As the cyberspace continues to expand at a rapid pace, it is increasingly being recognized that the same network connectivity has also increased the vulnerability of businesses, academia, society, individuals and Nations at large. Compromising the confidentiality or integrity or availability of data, has the potential to threaten international peace or the security of global systems thereby deserving effective cyber security emergency response to incidents. This response to security incidents needs to be comprehensive involving people, process and technology while at the same time it involves a combination of preventive, detective and reactive processes to deal with the crisis. The actions need to be coordinated, multi disciplinary and broad based for rapid identification, information exchange, swift response and remedial actions for mitigation and recovery. This presentation will touch upon some of these areas.