

News Release

Training Partners Announces Strategic Partnership to Deliver IAPP Certification Programs throughout Asia Pacific

Singapore, 11 September 2017 - Training Partners (TP) today announced that it has been appointed as an official training partner for IAPP training programs. This partnership will leverage TP's regional coverage in Asia Pacific and existing customer base to promote data protection and privacy certification training.

As organisations go through digital transformation, almost everything will be digitalised which means data privacy will be even more critical.

During 2016, Asia Pacific region witnessed significant data protection legislative reforms in China, Japan, the Philippines and Australia, with signs of new developments to come in Indonesia and Thailand. 2016 also witnessed a significant step-up in privacy enforcement action – a trend that is likely to continue as cyber security breaches occur more regularly and as more and more dedicated data protection authorities take office.

“In partnering with IAPP, TP brings to the market a global industry standard certification, complementing our robust portfolio of leading technology courses that include Cloud, Cybersecurity, Collaboration, Data Centre, Network Programming etc.” said Sarab Singh, Managing Director, Training Partners.

“As more countries around the region develop privacy or data protection laws, we are seeing increased demand for our professional certifications. We are delighted to have Training Partners on board to increase the availability of training for our certifications across the region. ” said Rona Morgan, Managing Director, IAPP Asia.

IAPP certification trainings are scheduled to commence throughout Training Partners' centres in Singapore, Malaysia, Thailand, Hong Kong, Taiwan and India.

TP offers two Information Privacy certification programs:

- **Certified Information Privacy Manager (CIPM)**
The first and only privacy certification for professionals who manage day-to-day operations
- **Certified Information Privacy Technologist (CIPT)**
The industry benchmark for IT professionals worldwide to validate their knowledge of privacy requirements

About Training Partners

Training Partners is Asia Pacific's leader in IT infrastructure learning and development, delivering advanced technology training as well as training consulting services to multinational corporations. Established in Singapore in 1994, Training Partners operates in eight countries in the Asia Pacific region, delivers training programmes and services in five languages, and has successfully trained over 100,000 IT professionals. Training Partners is a wholly owned subsidiary of Dimension Data. For more information, please visit www.training-partners.com.

About IAPP

The IAPP is the largest and most comprehensive global information privacy community and resource. Founded in 2000, the IAPP is a not-for-profit organisation that helps define, support and improve the privacy profession globally. For more information, please visit www.iapp.org.

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