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CIPS is pleased to inform its members that we have completed the grand parenting process for the Information Technology Certified Professional (ITCP) standard. Last fall, CIPS wrote to you asking you to complete a form if you did not wish to receive the new CIPS designation. By not submitting this completed form you have indicated that you would like to hold the ITCP and your membership records have been updated accordingly.

CIPS is also excited to inform its members that we have successfully been accredited by the International Professional Practice Partnership (IP3) and all eligible ITCP holders will also be able to use an international post-nominal when the IP3 officially launches their program. You will receive further notice from CIPS on the international post-nominal title to be used. The IP3 is an initiative led by the International Federation of Information Processing (IFIP), to promote IT professionalism worldwide. CIPS has been a founding member of this initiative. For the full story, go to: <http://www.cips.ca/node/1350>

[CIPS Offering Student Membership Promotion \(May 1 - June 30, 2009\)](#)

Each CIPS Provincial Society is providing 50 free student memberships on a first come first served basis between May 1 and June 30, 2009. Please help promote this great opportunity to all IT students. Students can apply using the membership form found at <http://www.cips.ca/studentsjoin>. A faculty signature is required.

[CIPS Members Awarded Member Pricing for IS Professional Development Conference](#)

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The Project Management Institute (PMI) Information Systems Specific Interest Group (ISSIG) would like to offer all CIPS members PMI member pricing to their Professional Development Symposium.

The 13th Annual PMI-ISSIG Professional Development Symposium (PDS) is a professional development conference for project management professionals that attract world class presenters and delegates with a particular interest and focus on information systems. Learn about the latest innovations and leading solutions, and earn up to 22 PDUs while networking with IS professionals from all over the world.

Program keynotes include: Rémi Racine, President and Executive Producer of Artificial Mind and Movement (A2M) and Denis Lacasse, Studio Head at Artificial Mind and Movement (A2M), Canada's largest independent video game developer, CGI Vice-President, Gisèle Gagné and Dr. James T. Brown, a REP for PMI and author the Handbook of Program Management.

CIPS Members will receive PMI member pricing (value of USD\$200 discount) off their non-member registration. Enter the code < MKCIPS> while registering for the 13th Annual PMI-ISSIG Professional Development Symposium (PDS). Register before the Early Bird date of April 30th to maximize your savings! To register, go to: <http://pds.pmi-issig.org/Registration/tabid/138/Default.aspx>

**2009 World Congress on Privacy,
Security, Trust and the Management of e-
Business**

Registration opens May 15th. A 10% CIPS discount will be available for Industry Day (\$200 less 10%, August 25) and for the whole conference (\$600 less 10%, Aug 25-27)

The 2009 joint conference will be the 9th annual World Congress on the Management of e-Business and the 7th annual PST conference. The 2009 event will feature seven theme areas:

- Privacy (program chair: David Townsend, University of New Brunswick)
- Security (program chair: Nur Zincir-Heywood, Dalhousie University)
- Trust (program chair: Andrew Patrick, NRC Institute for Information Technology)
- eHealth (program chair: Norm Archer, McMaster University)
- HCI (program chair: Milena Head, McMaster University)
- eInnovation: (program chair: Michael Bliemel, Dalhousie University)
- eGovernment (program chair: Bill McIver, NRC Institute for Information Technology)

By combining forces we are able to offer attendees a much richer experience for a single registration fee. The 2009 World Congress on Privacy, Security, Trust

and the Management of e-Business will include workshops, tutorials, panel discussions, keynote speakers, research papers, a graduate student symposium, a public safety / critical infrastructure summit and social events. For more information, or to register, go to: <http://www.unb.ca/pstnet/congress2009/>

Interviews, Blogs & Podcasts by Stephen Ibaraki FCIPS, I.S.P.

Hear the thoughts and commentary from international experts and community leaders:

- Interview with Raffael Marty, see Raffael Marty, Leading Security Strategist and Author http://stephenibaraki.com/cips/v108/raffael_marty_podcast.html
- Interview with Kelly Gotlieb, see Chats with Kelly Gotlieb, "the" Internationally Renowned Pioneer in Computing - Kelly talks about his work with IFIP and CIPS http://stephenibaraki.com/cips/v88/kelly_gotlieb_august08.html
- Interview with Patrick Grossetete, Fred Wettling, (Ciprian Popoviciu), see Global IPv6 Strategies from Business Analysis to Operational Planning - a chat with two of the International Experts/Authors: Patrick Grossetete, Fred Wettling, (Ciprian Popoviciu) http://stephenibaraki.com/cips/v88/ipv6_podcast08.html

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