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## **CIPS Connections**

*Connecting you to News Affecting CIPS and the IT Profession*

### **CIPS Volunteer of the Month: Diane Mitchnick I.S.P.**



#### **What value has your involvement with CIPS provided?**

"The benefits I have gotten from CIPS have been endless. Starting from getting my ISP designation, it allowed me to speak at conferences I wouldn't have been able to speak at. Building on that, I have been considered many times in my career for roles because of my designation, since my employers saw the value in that as well. But it is my volunteering efforts with CIPS that has provided the most value. Here, I learned how to network, speak to large groups, manage events, and lead initiatives. All these skills I've been able to carry on into my career. I encourage those who are a member but have not been involved in CIPS events to attend, participate and volunteer if they can. It really is a great association to be part of!"

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### **Upcoming Events**

CIPS Strategy Update and Member Feedback Webinar Part 2 (June 2, [Webinar](#))

The World Conference of Disaster Management (June 7-8, [Toronto](#))

26th CIPS Manitoba Annual Golf Tournament (June 9, [Winnipeg](#))

CIPS SK Luncheon: "If SharePoint had Warning Labels" (June 9, [Regina](#))

CIPS AB Event: "Taking the Long View -- Integrating Projects and Operations" (June 13, [Edmonton](#))

## CB Insights CEO and co-founder muses on what enterprises can learn from startup culture

via IT World Canada

By Stephen Ibaraki FCIPS, I.S.P., ITCP



The death of enterprises is a certain reality by not: [investing in a startup mentality](#), executing with agility and promoting exponential change.

The change stemming from the [Second Machine Age](#) (from MIT professors Brynjolfsson and McAfee) and [The Fourth Industrial Revolution](#) (by professor Klaus Schwab founding executive chairman of the World Economic Forum). As enterprises, a transformation of your business model is required. As an example, this is happening with GE and their new multi-modal factory where at one location, they service multiple industries at ten percent of the cost and with 3D printing producing jet engines with a jet fuel nozzle five times more durable and at lower weight. The nozzle used to be made of twenty different parts welded together.

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## Featured Jobs

[Systems Solution Analyst](#), Targray Technology International, Kirkland, Quebec

[Executive Assistant and Issues Management](#), Treasury Board Secretariat, Toronto, Ontario

[Information Technology Analyst](#), Thompson Rivers University, Kamloops, British Columbia

[Capacity Advisor](#), Treasury Board Secretariat, Toronto, Ontario

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[Senior Systems Analyst](#), SAIT, Calgary, Alberta

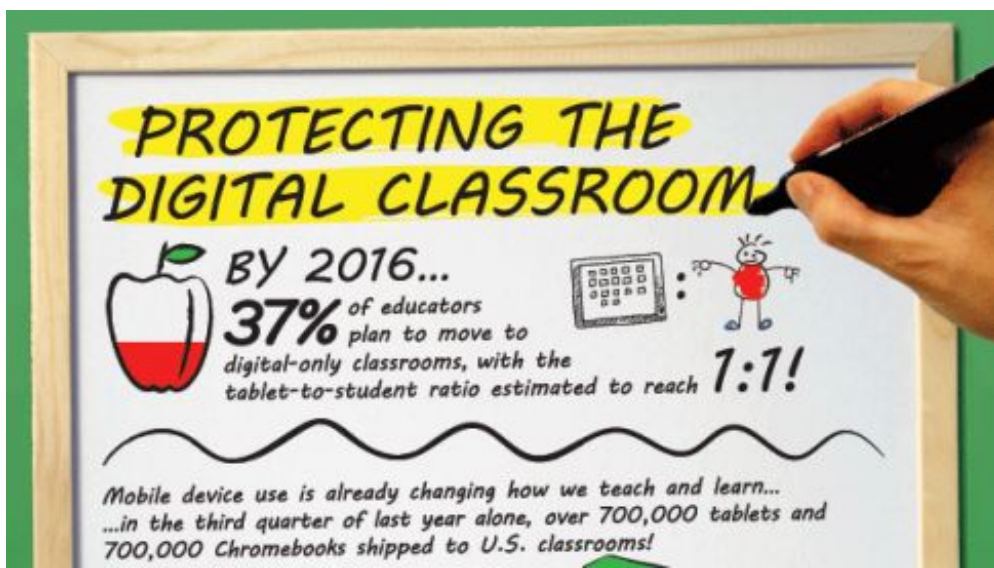
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[I&IT Telecommunications Oversight Officer](#), Treasury Board Secretariat, Toronto, Ontario

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## Featured Infographic: "Protecting the Digital Classroom"

via Tripp Lite



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## Featured Webinar: Extend Your VMware Workloads onto the Cloud

via IBM

Date: Thursday, June 16, 2016  
Time: 11:30 AM EDT, Duration: 1 hour

### Summary:

Is your data centre holding you back?  
Are you looking for ways to reduce IT spend?

Extend your VMware workloads from on-premises onto the IBM Cloud - it's as easy as "copy & paste!" We'll tell you how! Join our IBM Cloud Platform Services and VMware experts to learn the benefits of moving to IBM Cloud:

- It's easy to integrate, expand or migrate your on-premises workloads - and your business - into the world of high-performance, global cloud.
- Expand capacity, improve disaster recovery, consolidate your data centre, support rapid application development - quickly, seamlessly and cost-effectively.



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## Volunteer Positions: CIPS Certification Council Chair & Vice-Chair

Interested in actively supporting your Professional Society? Looking for a new challenge? The CIPS Certification Council, the body responsible for managing the professional certification application policies and procedures, is looking for certified members to fill the CIPS Certification Chair and Vice-Chair positions.



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## Canada's Identity Theft & Data Breach Conference 2016

Ottawa, June 13-14, 2016



This will be the most comprehensive and educational event on how to protect against and best survive a data breach from legal, technical, financial and even communications perspectives. Special guest speakers will also examine current issues surrounding big data, information privacy and the new mandatory data breach notification requirements being created by the Canadian Government.

Only two days at this **conference** could help save your organization millions of dollars in losses along with devastating effects to your overall brand that we have seen hit so many public and private sector organizations like Target, Ashley Madison, CRA, Sony etc.

As a member of CIPS, you and your staff are eligible for the "Friends and Allies" \$200 conference discount. Simply go to the **registration page** on the **website** and select the **REGULAR registration button** and click **NEXT**. On the following page, enter the discount code - **databreach**.

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## Art of Marketing

Toronto, June 14, 2016



**CIPS Member Discount! - SAVE UP TO \$100**

The Art of Marketing is coming to Toronto on June 14th and we have an opportunity to participate in this exceptional day of learning. Additionally, a preferred rate has been established for our members that are interested in attending.

This one day conference features a collection of five internationally renowned bestselling authors and thought leaders that will share an exciting blend of cutting edge thinking and real world experience on today's most critical marketing issues. Don't miss out on your chance to gain a competitive advantage and network with over 1,200 of Canada's most influential marketers. Speakers include:

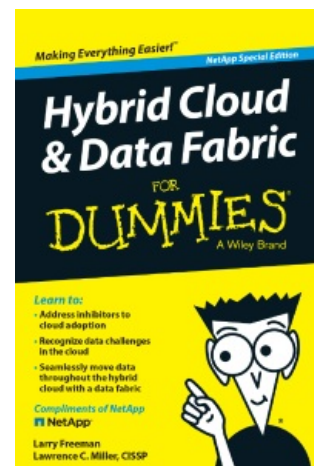
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## Featured Whitepaper: Hybrid Cloud & Data Fabric for Dummies

via IT World Canada

Increasingly due to cloud computing-in particular the interconnection of public and private clouds and on-premise resources-is changing the role of IT organizations into that of a service broker. CIOs are looking to hybrid cloud infrastructures to create operational efficiency, speed application deployment and increase responsiveness; however, it can be very challenging, especially around security and management of data. This free eBook presents the role a data fabric plays in addressing the challenges inhibiting hybrid cloud deployment, and how it protects corporate data both within and outside the corporate walls.

[Register today to download and learn the seven key benefits of a hybrid cloud data fabric](#)



**Canada should be prepared for "unprecedented" levels of cyber risk, warns ex-CSIS official**

via IT World Canada

If you think that \$500 billion in worldwide cyber crime is a problem now, brace yourself. It's about to get even more intense, said speakers Tuesday at a panel discussion at the [Tech Day on Parliament Hill](#), organized by TechConnex and Northof41.



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"I've never seen it at this velocity and level of complexity in my 30 years in security," said Ray Boisvert, the president and CEO of I-Sec Integrated Strategies and a senior associate at communications firm Hill & Knowlton Strategies.

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