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## **CIPS Connections**

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### **CIPS Webcast: "The changing role of IT in the digital enterprise - IT is too important to leave to IT"**

As part of CIPS' efforts for continuous learning, we are very pleased to bring you yet another great speaker and topic.

Recording of the CIPS Nov 2nd 2016 Live Webinar **"The changing role of IT in the digital enterprise - IT is too important to leave to IT"**

In digital enterprises, IT is used as a strategic asset that creates competitive advantage. This places higher and seemingly conflicting demands on the enterprise's IT function...

The slide features the CIPS logo in the top left and the ASL BISL Foundation logo in the top right. The main title is "IT is too important to leave to IT" with the subtitle "The changing role of IT in the digital enterprise". Below this, it says "CIPS webinar, 2 November 2016" and "Mark Smalley, The IT Paradigmologist, ASL BISL Foundation". A photo of Mark Smalley is in the bottom right. Social media links are listed in the bottom left: email (mark.smalley@aslbfoundation.org), website (allthingsitm.com/author/marksmalley), LinkedIn (www.linkedin.com/in/marksmalley), and Twitter (@marksmalley).

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### **Mentoring Program (BMMP) - A Call From Space**

By Lucien Peron, I.S.P., ITCP, Cert.APM

What does the Canadian Space Program and CIPS have in common?

A few months ago I had the opportunity to briefly meet with our very own Col. Chris Hadfield. In the brief conversation that ensued I managed to ask him what impact mentoring had played in his life. His answer started with a single and yet powerful word: "Huge". Have you been or are you being mentored by someone? Do you remember those that mentored you and made you the person and professional that you are today?

CIPS' Brian Murray Mentoring Program (BMMP) is actively receiving mentor applications. If you, or someone you know is interested, please point them to this page or to the contact information included at the bottom of this article.

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### **October CIPS Volunteer of the Month: James Lin**



**October 2016 CIPS Volunteer of the Month:**



**James Lin**  
City of Mississauga

"I'm thankful to be selected as the CIPS Volunteer of the Month. CIPS has been a great way to contribute to the wider IT and Information Security community.

My involvement during the past year with the CIPS webinar series has also benefitted me in terms of new connections and the new knowledge that comes from the wide, diverse, and highly experienced membership of CIPS. It has been a privilege and honour to have worked with great and giving individuals within CIPS."

[www.cips.ca/VolunteerOfTheMonth](http://www.cips.ca/VolunteerOfTheMonth)

## CIPS Webcast: "THE CASL STORM IS COMING - ARE YOU PREPARED?"

Canadian Anti-Spam Legislation (CASL) came into effect July 1, 2014 impacting how businesses can communicate electronically. While the requirements are relatively simple in macro terms, in actual application, CASL is not easy to comply with and is filled with nuances and subtle complexities that challenge all businesses. Although senior management looks at IT, the reality is that CASL affects many departments including, not limited to: IT, Legal, Risk, Marketing, Compliance and HR.



Departments and/or individuals require solutions dealing with distributed geographic locations and different divisions throughout Canada, with hundreds or even thousands of users; vast numbers of source databases for e-mail addresses; wide and varied uses of e-mail addresses; numerous systems/platforms, many of which are not integrated in any way; and various devices used to send e-mails all combine to make compliance complex and challenging.

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**Register for this FREE Upcoming Live CIPS Webinar!**

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Wed, Dec 6, 2016 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM EDT



**"Cyber Attacks are on the rise and are evolving - How should we deal with this problem"**

Speaker: Jason Doel, Co-Founder, Tracker Networks Inc

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As more and more workloads move to the cloud, organizations are finding licensing their servers harder to control. Comparex works to reduce risk, cost and complexity in your IT environment. Watch this webcast to hear Jonas Jasinskas, Microsoft Licensing Expert, discuss the benefits of moving to Windows Server 2016.



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iTech Toronto (Nov 17, [Toronto](#))

COUNTERMEASURE 2016 (Nov 17-18, [Ottawa](#))

CIPS BC Victoria Nov 22nd Event: "Driving the Corporate Vision through Enabling Technology" (Nov 22, [Victoria](#))

CIPS SK Saskatoon Nov 23 Luncheon: "Agile Project Management: Working Smarter, Not Harder" (Nov 23, [Saskatoon](#))

"Creating the new Alberta - Vision & Leadership" (Nov 26, [Red Deer](#))

Data Marketing 2016 (Nov 28-29, [Toronto](#))

CIPS Dec 6 Webinar: "Cyber Attacks are on the rise and are evolving - How should we deal with this problem" (Dec 6, [Webinar](#))

CI Connect's BC GovConnect (Dec 6, [Victoria](#))

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