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The InfoSec Mentors Project

- Started May 2010

- 51 matches made so far

- Based on volunteer interests and exp

- "To introduce people in the Information Security Community to people they might not otherwise get to meet."

- World-wide participation

What makes a good mentor?

- Patience, enthusiasm, belief

- Being an advocate

- Recommendations to cut through the nonsense out there

- Open doors

What makes a good mentee?

- Determination, Passion, Energy

- Following through on suggestions

- Add value to your mentor (Yes, you can!)

- Maintain the relationship

- Pay it forward

Get involved!

- www.infosecmentors.com

- infosecmentors.blogspot.com

- Pull up the newbies to a new level

- Bring mentoring to your workplace

- Make a difference!