



The IPSI Lecture Series Presents:



Let's Talk Privacy: Information Technologists, Lawyers and Policy Analysts Have a Conversation

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In recent years, the privacy role has become “professionalized” with accreditation available from different institutions and associations. While this has brought some standardization to the role, it does not address the greater challenge of privacy risk management within an organization that is subject to myriad regulations and manages personal information stored in different formats in different electronic systems, all of which may be made available to large numbers of individuals both internal and external to the organization for various purposes. In an era of “Big Data”, “Predictive Analytics” and the “Internet of Things”, who within an organization is best positioned to manage privacy risk?

This lecture will address law, policy and information technology / business processes applied to the management of personal health information in Ontario, as an example of why it is critically important that information technologists, lawyers and policy analysts have a conversation about privacy: a conversation to arrive at the multidisciplinary solutions that are the only way to effectively protect individual privacy and the confidentiality and security of sensitive personal health information in our increasingly complex world.

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