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TITLE: Seven Strategies for Secure Network Operations

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The true foundations of a successful information security breach are most often established by the victims themselves. In a short amount of time, an over-confident organization can easily become its own worst enemy - creating security holes in three distinct areas: cyber, physical, and human behavior.

This insightful, vendor-neutral presentation reveals the subtle causes and effects that allow hackers to exploit the vulnerabilities of people, processes, and technology. Gain tactical insight to ensure you do not contribute to the loss of your intellectual property. Learn how to avoid unnecessary purchases of expensive security point solutions. Discover how genuine security principles will not only protect your assets, but will also lower the cost of operations, raise productivity, and increase your return on security investment.

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