

Press Release – ObjectSecurity joins the SOA Consortium

(Cambridge/UK, 08 September 2008) – ObjectSecurity, the leading solutions provider for Model Driven Security Management and secure information sharing in mission-critical industries such as finance, healthcare, air traffic control and transportation, defense, homeland security etc. today announced that they joined the SOA Consortium (www.soa-consortium.org), a SOA advocacy group comprised of end users, service providers, and technology vendors, committed to helping the Global 1000 successfully adopt SOA by 2010.

ObjectSecurity joins the consortium as a SOA security specialist. While security is sometimes overlooked in SOA roadmaps, it has become a critical enabler for today's complex, interconnected IT landscapes. Without good SOA security design, many business benefits of SOA cannot be fully achieved, such as: (1) aligned business and IT security, (2) business and SOA agility, (3) SOA manageability and cost-savings, (4) reuse and flexibility, (5) assurance and robustness etc.

To move the state of the industry forward in the area of SOA security, ObjectSecurity also runs the SOA Security Concerns stakeholder portal www.secure-soa.info, which is backed by the UK government's Cyber Security KTN (www.cybersecurity-ktn.org).

ABOUT OBJECTSECURITY - ObjectSecurity Ltd. is a Cambridge (United Kingdom) and Palo Alto (CA, USA) based world-leader in model driven security management and authorization management. The company offers the groundbreaking model-driven OpenPMF enterprise security management ecosystem and various secure middleware platforms. OpenPMF 2.0 has been designed to protect SOA and enable SOA agility with security. In addition, ObjectSecurity provides services for model driven security, middleware security, SOA security, secure information sharing (e.g. CDM). Their customer base includes Agilent Technologies, BAA Heathrow Airport, Deutsche Telekom, ESG, European General Electric, Intel, Lufthansa Systems, QinetiQ, Royal Bank of Scotland, Real-Time Innovations, Twinsoft/Hewlett-Packard, US Naval Research Lab and others. ObjectSecurity specializes on information security for complex IT environments in mission-critical markets.

ABOUT THE SOA CONSORTIUM - The SOA Consortium is a new SOA advocacy group comprised of end users, service providers, and technology vendors, committed to helping the Global 1000 successfully adopt SOA by 2010. The SOA Consortium mission, strategies, and tactics center on the following premises: (1) Service-oriented architecture adoption is a key enabler for the 21st century enterprise (2) Achieving the benefits of service-oriented architecture requires significant changes for both IT and business executives (3) Service-oriented architecture is perceived by business executives as an IT integration and productivity story, rather than a business agility story (4) Enterprise SOA practitioners would greatly benefit from a vibrant practitioner community to drive local, business-driven, SOA success, and to spur broader enterprise, and industry-wide, SOA adoption.

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