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TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO
INTERNET GOVERNANCE FORUM

The Innovation Paradox – Balancing Progress with Responsibility and Resilience



Agenda

DAY ONE - January 29th, 2026	
9:00 - 9:05 am	National Anthem Welcome Remarks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dev Gosine, Chair, <i>Trinidad and Tobago Multistakeholder Advisory Group (TTMAG)</i>
9:05 - 9:25 am	Keynote Addresses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mr. Chengetai Masango, Head of Office at the <i>UN IGF Secretariat</i> Ms. Paula Oteguay, Head, Multistakeholder Engagement, <i>Latin American and Caribbean Internet Addresses Registry (LACNIC)</i>
9.25 - 10:50 am	Panel Session: Securing Critical Infrastructure <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Moderator: Prof. Sanjay Bahadoorsingh, Director, <i>TTMAG</i> Mr. Michael A. Ramesar, Senior Engineer and Consultant Mr. Camilo Cuartas, Senior Manager, Security Operations Center, <i>Liberty Latin America</i> Dr. Marlon Atherton, CEO, <i>ATEAM Solution Services</i> Mr. Dale Joseph, Chief Analyst Cyber, <i>Regional Intelligence Fusion Centre (RIFC), CARICOM Implementation Agency for Crime and Security (IMPACS)</i>
10:50 - 12:15 pm	Panel Session: Integrating AI into Digital Transformation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Moderator: Mr. George Gobin, Director, <i>TTMAG</i> Mr. Kirk Henry, Group Chief Information Officer, <i>ANSA McAL Group of Companies</i> Ms. Ebony De Leon, Chief Executive Officer, <i>DataAura Analytics</i> Mr. Christopher Reckord, Author and Digital Transformation Strategist
12:15 - 1:30pm	Panel Session: Digital Divide <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Moderator: Mr. Ajmal Nazir, Director, <i>TTMAG</i> Mr. Kurleigh Prescod, CEO, <i>Telecommunications Authority of Trinidad and Tobago</i> Mr. Rushton Paray, Managing Director and Founder of <i>Computer Technologies & Services Limited (CTSL)</i> Mr. Scofield Thomas, Managing Director, <i>800 TECH</i> Mr. Keenan Singh, CEO, <i>Air Link Communications</i>
1:30 -2:15 pm	Open Forum

DAY TWO - January 30th, 2026	
9:00 - 9:10 am	Welcome and Keynote Address <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dev Gosine, Chair, <i>Trinidad and Tobago Multistakeholder Advisory Group (TTMAG)</i> • The Honourable Dr. Michael Dowlath, Minister of Education, <i>Ministry of Education</i>
9:10- 12:00 pm	Youth Forum <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Led by Restore a Sense of I Can (RSC) in collaboration with the TTMAG
1:30-3:00pm	Panel Session: The Human Cost of Innovation – Mental Health and Well-being in the Digital Age <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Ms. Jacqueline Morris, Director, <i>TTMAG</i> • Mr. Glenn McKnight, Chief Information Officer, <i>Virtual School of Internet Governance</i> • Mr. Brandon Subero, Clinical Psychologist, <i>Elder Associates Limited</i> • Dr. Miranda Foon, Psychiatrist
3:00 -4:30 pm	Panel Session: AI, Cyber Resilience and Regional Innovation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Mr. Ajmal Nazir, Director, <i>TTMAG</i> • Mr. Anish Bachu, Manager, <i>TTCSIRT</i> • Ms. Esther Callender-George, President, <i>Information Systems Audit and Control Association (ISACA) Trinidad and Tobago Chapter</i> • Mr. Anthony Peyson, President, <i>ISC2 Caribbean Chapter</i>
4:30 - 5:00 pm	Presentation by the Caribbean Telecommunications Union: Caribbean AI Task Force Report
5:00 -5:10 pm	Vote of thanks and Closing

Meet our Speakers



The Honourable Dr. Michael Dowlath, Minister of Education

Dr. Michael Dowlath is a seasoned educator, consultant, and passionate advocate for holistic, student-centered education. With over 34 years of distinguished service in secondary education—twenty (20) of which were spent as Principal (five (5) years at IERE High School and fifteen (15) years at Naparima College). Dr. Dowlath has made a lasting impact on educational leadership and the academic and personal development of thousands of students across Trinidad and Tobago.

Dr. Dowlath's academic qualifications include:

- Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) in Chemistry & Biochemistry
- Diploma in Education (Science Teaching)
- Master of Education (M.Ed.)
- Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Education
- Fellow of the Association of Business Executives (FABE)

Dr. Dowlath remains deeply committed to advancing a student-centered and holistic approach to education, rooted in a spiritually enriching and values-based environment. His leadership is driven by the belief that true education nurtures both academic excellence and moral character. Guided by this philosophy, he continues to dedicate his efforts to the ongoing transformation of Trinidad and Tobago's education system, one that is inclusive, future-ready, and designed to empower every learner to thrive in an increasingly dynamic and globalized world.



Mr. Chengetai Masango, Head, United Nations Secretariat for the Internet Governance Forum

Chengetai Masango serves as the head of the United Nations Secretariat for the Internet Governance Forum (IGF), created following the World Summit on the Information Society to encourage global public policy dialogue on key Internet governance issues. The IGF's mission is to support the sustainability, security, stability, and development of the Internet through inclusive and open discussions.

Mr. Masango holds a master's degree in International Relations with a concentration in Global Information Policy, as well as degrees in Information Management and Computer Programming. His PhD research focused on transnational collective action and effective practices for globally distributed, multicultural teams.



*Ms. Paula Otegy, Head,
Multistakeholder Engagement,
LACNIC*

Paula Otegy holds a degree in International Relations and has completed specialization programs and diplomas in Internet Governance.

Paula has been part of the LACNIC staff since 2012 and is currently serving as Head of Multistakeholder Engagement as part of LACNIC's Strategic Relations department. Her responsibilities include coordinating and strengthening relationships with the various stakeholders in the regional and international Internet community. She also coordinates the Líderes Program, a scholarship and mentoring initiative that promotes Internet Governance research in Latin America and the Caribbean; Policy Shapers, a program that provides training scholarships to a group of researchers who have participated in the Líderes program; and the program that provides support for NRIs and Internet Governance Schools in Latin America and the Caribbean.

As part of her work in Internet Governance, she has been part of the Latin American and Caribbean Internet Governance Forum (LACIGF) Program Committee, was a member of the United Nations Internet Governance Forum (IGF) Multistakeholder Advisory Group (MAG) until 2024 and is currently part of the IGF Uruguay Program Committee.



Mr. Dev Gosine, Chair, TT MAG

Dev Gosine is a multifaceted professional from Trinidad and Tobago with several notable roles:

Education Leadership: He serves as Vice Principal at Naparima College in San Fernando, where he previously held positions as Head of the Science Department.

Internet Governance: He has been re-elected as Chairman of the Trinidad and Tobago Multistakeholder Advisory Group (TTMAG), an independent organization that promotes best practices for the local internet ecosystem and the .tt country code top-level domain. He's actively involved in discussions on digital transformation, cybersecurity, and ICT development.

Community Service: In Rotary Club, he has served as President for two terms, Assistant Governor, and District Secretary of Rotary District 7030 and is part of the district training team.

Amateur Radio: He's very active in amateur radio with the call sign 9Y4DG, using voice and digital communication modes, and is involved

with Orbiting Satellites Carrying Amateur Radio (OSCAR). He has even had historic voice contacts with astronauts.



Dale Joseph serves as the Chief Analyst Cyber at The Caribbean Community (CARICOM) Implementation Agency for Crime and Security (IMPACS), where he holds a pivotal leadership role. He is the lead for The CARICOM IMPACS Cyber Fusion Unit, which functions as a critical coordination mechanism designed to significantly advance cyber resilience across the Caribbean region. In this capacity, he also continues to drive vital Cybercrime Investigation and Cybersecurity capacity-building initiatives currently being executed by CARICOM IMPACS.

In a previous role as Cybercrime Policy Specialist at CARICOM IMPACS, he led the implementation of the first CARICOM Cyber Security and Cybercrime Action Plan (CCSCAP) and as the Chief Analyst Cyber was a key contributor CCSCAP update 2025.

A former Detective Police Inspector and head of the Trinidad and Tobago Police Service Cybercrime Investigative Unit and a qualified and highly recognized Digital Forensic Expert, Dale brings over thirteen years of specialized experience in High Technology and Fraud Investigations from his extensive work with Law enforcement in Trinidad and Tobago. His career spans over twenty-five years in law enforcement investigations, during which he has been instrumental in numerous successful technology-based investigations.

Dale holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Computer Science from the University of Hertfordshire, London, England, and a Master of Science degree in Forensic Computing and Cybercrime Investigations from University College, Dublin, Ireland. He further enhances his expertise with a comprehensive suite of certifications in Cybersecurity, Digital Forensics, Online Intelligence, and Analytics.



Mr. Michael Ramesar, Senior Engineer and Consultant

Michael A. Ramesar is a senior engineer and principal consultant with over three decades of expertise in industrial automation, control systems engineering, and cybersecurity for critical infrastructure. As Principal Consultant at MIAN Industries LLC, he leads initiatives to reduce engineering risk, enhance plant safety and reliability, and optimize operations for national and international clients. Michael is recognized for his technical leadership in identifying operational weaknesses, developing robust mitigation strategies, and implementing advanced remote monitoring solutions.

Previously, Michael served as Lead Cyber Authority and Engineering Authority at bp, where he oversaw global cybersecurity assurance, developed and audited cyber risk management policies, and led incident investigations across diverse facilities, including offshore platforms, refineries, and utilities. His work ensured compliance with leading industry standards such as IEC 62443, 61511, NIST, and NERC CIP, and he played a pivotal role in shaping organizational responses to cyber and operational risks.

Michael's career also includes significant contributions as Instrumentation & Control Systems Technical Authority, Operations Technology Coordinator, and Project Manager for bp's Field of the Future Program, where he drove the adoption of digital oilfield concepts and centralized remote operations. He is a Chartered Engineer (UK), a Registered Engineer in Trinidad and Tobago, and holds multiple certifications in SCADA, functional safety, industrial cybersecurity and risk management processes.

Active in professional communities, Michael is a Fellow of the Institute of Engineering and Technology (FIET), a Chartered Cybersecurity Professional of the UK Cyber Security Council, and a voting member of the ISA/IEC62443 Standards Committee. He is also dedicated to mentoring and advancing the engineering profession through his volunteer work as a Professional Registration Adviser and Interviewer for the IET.



*Dr. Marlon Atherton CEO, ATEAM
Solution Services*

Dr. Marlon Atherton, a Harvard Executive Business Fellow, Author and Speaker is the CEO of ATEAM Solution Services. He is a highly driven, motivated, and multifaceted leader with over 30 years of experience. As a senior cyberspace operations leader, Dr. Atherton was often required to make strategic decisions on complex and consequential matters that affect the overall operations within the US Department and Defense and its Allied Partners.

Dr. Atherton is the Founder and CEO of ATEAM Solution Services, a South Florida based firm at the forefront of digital transformation and cybersecurity innovation. Under his leadership, ATEAM has become a trusted partner in modernizing digital infrastructure and integrating cybersecurity at every layer of digital transformation. ATEAM's core strength lies in its ability to fuse business acumen with deep technical expertise delivering tailored solutions that combine cyber risk assessments, threat intelligence, and enterprise architecture optimization. The firm's multidisciplinary team includes professionals with advanced degrees and industry-recognized certifications such as

CCISO, CISSP, CISM, CEH, and PMP, ensuring the highest standards of technical excellence and operational integrity.

Dr. Atherton brings a distinguished track record in strengthening national and organizational cyber resilience through strategic evaluation of system vulnerabilities and the implementation of targeted security enhancements. His approach not only fortifies digital infrastructure but also streamlines operations by aligning business processes with advanced network architecture.



*Mr. Camilo Cuartas, Sr. Manager
 SOC & Network Security
 Cybersecurity & Core Network
 Office, Liberty Latin America*

Mr. Camilo Cuartas is an Electronic Engineer with advanced studies in Management Information Systems and an MBA, bringing over 15 years of experience leading large-scale ICT initiatives within multinational telecommunications environments, and more than 6 years leading cybersecurity projects. He currently serves as Senior Manager of SOC & Network Security at Liberty Latin America, where he leads regional Security Operations Center and Network Security teams across Latin America and the Caribbean. In this role, Camilo is responsible for incident response, Manager SOC & Network Security Cybersecurity & Core Network Office, Liberty Latin America threat detection, vulnerability management and the operational resilience of complex service provider networks.

Throughout his career, he has held leadership and engineering roles spanning network security, product engineering, and infrastructure delivery. His experience includes the design and deployment of solutions such as DDoS mitigation, SIEM, SD-WAN, managed security services, and carrier-grade IP networks, as well as driving technology roadmaps and time-to-market strategies for B2B products.

Camilo has achieved multiple industry-recognized certifications such as Juniper, Fortinet, Netscout, ISC2; and has had hands-on wide diverse of cybersecurity technologies like NDR, EDR, CSPM, WAF, amongst others.



Professor Sanjay Garth Bahadoorsingh H.B.M. is a national awardee and distinguished registered electrical engineer with over two decades of contribution to Trinidad and Tobago and the wider Caribbean in the fields of power systems, sustainable energy, electric mobility and technical education. He currently serves as Professor of Power Systems and Sustainable Energy at The University of the West Indies (UWI), St. Augustine.

Professor Bahadoorsingh holds the B.Sc. in Electrical and Computer Engineering from The University of The West Indies (UWI), the M.Sc.

*Prof. Sanjay Bahadoorsingh HMB,
Director, TT MAG*

degree in Power Systems Engineering and Economics from The University of Manchester Institute of Science & Technology (UMIST) and the Ph.D. degree in Electrical and Electronic Engineering from The University of Manchester (UoM). He is also a former Head of the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering at The UWI, St Augustine Campus (2021 to 2024). He is also a former Deputy Dean – Enterprise Development and Outreach (2019 to 2021) for the Faculty of Engineering.

Professor Bahadoorsingh holds several key positions related to standards and policy-making in Trinidad and Tobago. He is the Chairman of the National Technical Committee for Electrical Codes at the Trinidad and Tobago Bureau of Standards, responsible for overseeing the development of all electrical standards. He is also the President of the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) National Electrotechnical Committee Affiliate Country Programme for Trinidad and Tobago. He also serves as the Co-Chairman of the Specification Committee for Electric and Plug-in Hybrid Vehicles and the Chairman of the High Voltage Code Committee at the Trinidad and Tobago Bureau of Standards. He serves as the Chairman of the Joint, Association of Profession Engineers of Trinidad and Tobago (APETT) and Board of Engineering of Trinidad and Tobago (BOETT), Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Committee. Additionally, he was the inaugural Chairman of the TT MAG. During 2016 to 2025, he served as a Member of the Board of Trustees of The College of Science, Technology and Applied Arts of Trinidad and Tobago (COSTAATT). In 2024 he was appointed as an inaugural Director of The Angostura Foundation (TAF) and served for approximately one year. In 2024, he was recognized at the TTBS 50th anniversary celebration for his contribution to local standards development.

In 2024, he was also awarded the Hummingbird Medal Gold in the spheres of Engineering and Education for his loyal and devoted service to Trinidad and Tobago. In 2025, he was awarded the APETT Fenrick R. De Four Award for Outstanding Engineering Achievement.



Mr. Kirk Henry, Group Chief Information Officer, ANSA McAL Group of Companies

Kirk Henry is a senior technology and business executive with over 25 years of experience leading digital transformation across financial services and government. He currently serves as Group Chief Information Officer at ANSA McAL, where he is responsible for enterprise technology strategy, cybersecurity, and data governance across the group. He is a former Chief Executive Officer of a national ICT organization and a former Director of the Central Bank of Trinidad and Tobago, serves as Chairman of the Digital Business and Technology Committee of the Trinidad and Tobago Chamber of Industry and Commerce, and is a member of ISACA's CGEIT Exam Item Development Working Group, contributing to the development of global enterprise IT governance practices.



*Ebony De Leon, MBA, MSPM
 CEO, DataAura Analytics*

Ebony De Leon is a leading voice in the Caribbean's data and analytics landscape, helping executives harness the power of AI and analytics to drive business transformation. As former Head of Data & Business Analytics at Guardian Group, she spearheaded their regional analytics journey by launching AI-powered solutions such as recommender engines and fraud detection models, while building and leading a high-performing team of data scientists and analysts across the Caribbean. With prior experience implementing analytics solutions at Henry Schein in New York and a background in actuarial consulting at Willis Towers Watson, Ebony brings a rare blend of technical expertise, business strategy, and leadership. She holds dual graduate degrees, an MBA in Analytics and an MSc. in Project Management from George Washington University, alongside a B.Sc. in Mathematics and a B.A. in Economics from Howard University. Ebony now leads DataAura Analytics, focused on empowering Caribbean businesses to compete through data-driven innovation.

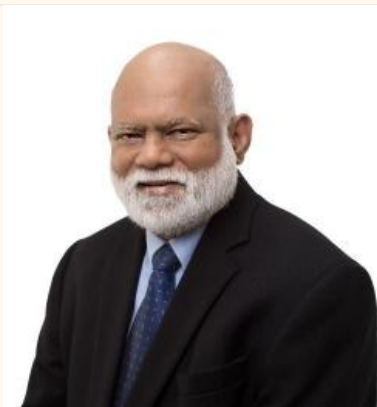


Mr. Christopher Reckord, Speaker | Author | Digital Transformation Strategist | AI Policy Leader | Entrepreneur | Board Director

Christopher Reckord is a distinguished technology executive, entrepreneur and digital transformation strategist with four decades of experience spanning IT services, cybersecurity and public-sector innovation. As former Chief Executive Officer of tTech Limited – Jamaica's first publicly listed Managed IT Services provider – and co-founder of Innovative Corporate Solutions, he has been at the centre of Jamaica's technology evolution, helping organizations achieve digital resilience and operational excellence.

Today he chairs and advises multiple national and regional boards on AI policy, digital transformation, and data governance, including the National Artificial Intelligence Task Force and the CTU Caribbean AI Task Force. He is co-author of Successful Digital Transformation – Your

World, Your Business, Your Life...Reimagined and is widely recognized as a leading voice on the intersection of human potential and emerging technology.



*Mr. George Gobin, Director,
 TT MAG*

George Gobin is the CEO and Founder of GTG InnoVision based in Florida focussed on delivery of Technology , Solutions and associated Services. He provides digital transformation / acceleration consultancy services to enable organizations to accelerate the implementation of their Digital Transformation and AI strategic initiatives.

George was a Consultant for Digital Transformation in Public Sector with TekSystems Inc (USA) and provided services to Microsoft in the English Speaking Caribbean during November 2021 to February 2023.

During the period 2015 - 2021, George was the Group Chief Technology and Information Officer at the SM Jaleel Group of Companies headquartered in Otaheite, Oropouche, Trinidad. Prior to this he was the General Manager for the Microsoft West Indies regional office of Microsoft Corporation USA and was based in the Microsoft Trinidad & Tobago office headquartered in Port of Spain, Trinidad. He has had experience of engaging with the Caribbean governments around their E-Govt strategies and consulting with top commercial organizations in the region who engage in finance, energy, and telecommunications.

George spent his formative years in IT at the Neal and Massy Group of Companies (18 Years) and was the CEO of the Information Technology Services Company and then appointed as Director of Professional Services at the Illuminat Group. George has been working in the Information Technology field for the last 43 years and has had experience in all aspects of the IT Industry and the management of people and companies.

George was also a Past-President (for two terms) of The Information Technology Professional Society of Trinidad & Tobago. He is currently on the Board of the Trinidad and Tobago Network Information Centre Ltd (TTNIC www.nic.tt) which is the organization responsible for managing domain name allocations on the .tt domain of the Internet. George is currently a Director on the Board of The Trinidad and Tobago Multistakeholder Advisory Group (www.mag.tt). George is also currently a Director of SOLIS (www.solis.tt), in Trinidad. He was presented in February 2006, with a “Caribbean Luminary Award” by the American Foundation for the University of the West Indies for achievement and for supporting peoples and educational projects in the Caribbean region. In September 2024, he was listed in the Who’s Who of America for his dedication to the field of Information Technology.



*Mr. Kurleigh Prescod, CEO,
Telecommunications Authority of
Trinidad and Tobago*

Kurleigh Prescod serves as the Chief Executive Officer of the Telecommunications Authority of Trinidad and Tobago, having been promoted from the role of Executive Officer Technology and Engineering in the organisation.

He has over two decades of leadership experience in technical and general management roles in the telecommunications sector. His portfolio includes work with both regulators and operators such as TSTT, Columbus Communications Trinidad Limited (Flow) and Cable & Wireless Communications Inc across various markets in the region, including Trinidad and Tobago, Curacao, Barbados and the Windward Islands. He also serves as Chair of the Spectrum Management Steering Committee of the Caribbean Telecommunications Union.

Kurleigh holds a B.Sc. (First Class Honours) in Electrical & Computer Engineering from UWI and an M.Sc. (Distinction) in Telecommunications from the University of Maryland, both pursued under academic scholarships.

He is an avid cricket fan and soca music lover, and lives with his wife Tricia and their two sons in central Trinidad.



*Rushton Paray, Managing Director
and Founder of Computer
Technologies & Services Limited
(CTSL)*

Rushton Paray is the Managing Director and Founder of Computer Technologies & Services Limited (CTSL), an integrated IT services company established in 1995.

Following a ten-year period of national service in the Parliament of Trinidad and Tobago, he returned full time to lead CTSL into its next phase of growth. During his tenure in Parliament, he served as Vice Chair of the Public Accounts Enterprises Committee, strengthening oversight and accountability within state enterprises, and contributed to legislative reform through his work on the Joint Select Committee on the Cannabis Authority Bill, 2020. With a professional background in telecommunications and project management, he has supported innovation in governance and community development.

He now brings this experience to advancing CTSL's mission of delivering practical, reliable, and forward-looking IT solutions that support business performance and national development.



Mr. Scofield Thomas, Managing Director, 800 TECH

Scofield Thomas is the Managing Director of 800-TECH Limited, where he has driven strategic growth and innovation for more than 13 years. With over 25 years of experience in Information and Communications Technology (ICT), Scofield has supported numerous established organizations in Trinidad and the wider Caribbean to modernize and optimize their technology stacks. His career spans strategic IT leadership, ICT governance, digital transformation, and cybersecurity program implementation.

Scofield holds multiple industry certifications in Microsoft technologies, network engineering, systems administration and design, fiber and copper technologies, managed services, and backup management. He also holds a Master's in Small and Medium Enterprise Management from the Arthur Lok Jack Graduate School of Business, bringing a balance of technical expertise and strategic business insight to his leadership.

Under his direction, 800-TECH has evolved into a trusted partner for businesses seeking secure, resilient, and scalable technology solutions. The company's services focus on cybersecurity as a core discipline, alongside IT Resourcing as a Service (IT-RaaS) and custom development services, helping clients confidently navigate digital disruptions and compliance challenges



Mr. Keenan Singh, CEO, Air Link Communications

Keenan Singh is the Founder and CEO of Air Link Communications, where he leads a team of over 100 professionals dedicated to delivering high-speed internet, video, and critical connectivity to rural communities across Trinidad. Under his strategic leadership, the company developed a TIA Rated 3 Data Center, a milestone project that supports Trinidad and Tobago's national development. An award-winning entrepreneur, Keenan was honored with the 2022 Business Technology Award by the Trinidad and Tobago Chamber of Industry and Commerce. Building on more than 20 years of executive experience in the telecommunications industry, he is currently advancing his technical and strategic expertise as a Doctoral Student at Florida International University, having previously earned an Executive MBA from the University of the West Indies.



Mr. Ajmal Nazir, Director, TT MAG

Ajmal Nazir is a Caribbean tech entrepreneur and CEO of Taurus. One, the company behind AutoKoda, a low-code platform accelerating digital transformation through automation, AI, and secure cloud solutions. He is also the founder of Red Touch, a cybersecurity and digital governance brand supporting organizations across the region.

With expertise in COBIT, ISO 27001, and ISO 42001, Ajmal helps businesses strengthen their digital resilience while advancing modern IT governance practices. Passionate about digital inclusion and building regional tech capacity, he works closely with SMEs, enterprises, and public-sector stakeholders to drive transformation and help bridge the digital divide in Trinidad & Tobago and the wider Caribbean.



*Mr. Anthony Peyson, President,
ISC2 Caribbean Chapter*

Anthony Peyson has spent nearly three decades helping organizations use technology safely, responsibly, and effectively across the finance, telecommunications, and energy sectors. His work has focused on strengthening digital foundations while enabling meaningful innovation in environments where reliability, trust, and regulation matter.

His experience includes supporting organizations as they bring automation, data-driven platforms, cloud technologies, and AI into everyday operations. He focuses on ensuring these capabilities are adopted thoughtfully, with strong security foundations and clear accountability, so innovation delivers meaningful outcomes rather than added complexity or unmanaged risk.

Anthony has also served on the boards of several state enterprises, contributing to national digital transformation and technology modernization efforts. These roles have shaped his perspective on how policy, governance, and innovation intersect, particularly in complex public-sector environments where scale, accountability, and sustainability are critical.

He is the Founding President of the ISC2 Caribbean Chapter, where he has been actively building cybersecurity capacity across the region through community development, professional training, and mentorship. Alongside his professional work, he remains committed to strengthening regional digital leadership and preparing organizations and individuals to navigate rapid technological change with confidence, especially as AI and intelligent systems reshape how work and services are delivered.



*Ms. Esther Callender-George,
President, Information Systems
Audit and Control Association
(ISACA) Trinidad and Tobago
Chapter*

Esther Callender-George is a passionate and accomplished cybersecurity leader with more than 25 years of experience spanning the Financial, Insurance and Telecommunications sectors. She has successfully designed and led the implementation of IT security systems, information security programmes and business continuity frameworks, establishing herself as a trusted authority in information risk and protection. She also brings with her, a depth of IT expertise, demonstrated through providing strategic CIO support for IT initiatives, and ensuring operational resilience and governance of IT operations.

Currently serving as the Chief Information Security Officer (CISO) and possibly the first and only female CISO in Trinidad and Tobago, Esther is a member of the prestigious Women in Cybersecurity (WiCyS) Executive Leadership Network and also holds the position of President of the Information Systems Audit and Control Association (ISACA) Trinidad and Tobago Chapter. ISACA is a global independent nonprofit association that supports IT professionals and organisations worldwide through the development adoption and use of internationally accepted practices in information systems, audit cybersecurity, governance and risk management.

She brings a strong academic and professional foundation spanning computer science, business administration, cybersecurity risk management, and AI security governance, underpinned by global industry respected certifications.

She is deeply committed to advancing online safety awareness and is a strong voice for the inclusion of women and girls in STEM and STEAM disciplines. Driven visionary and purpose-led, Esther continues to use her expertise, leadership and storytelling to empower organisations parents and students to navigate technology safely while paving the way for greater gender equity in cybersecurity.



*Mr. Anish Bachu, Manager,
TTCSIRT*

Mr. Anish Bachu is an experienced cybersecurity professional, currently serving as the head of the National Cyber Security Incident Response Team (TT-CSIRT) under the Ministry of Homeland Security. With six years of dedicated service to team and country, he is now tasked with leading national cyber incident management and coordination efforts, putting him at the forefront of safeguarding the nation's digital future.

Anish's oversees a dynamic team of highly skilled professionals who are responsible for a wide range of critical national cyber security functions.

Anish's technical expertise and strategic acumen have been instrumental in the successful execution of numerous critical cybersecurity projects within the Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago. Notably, he played a pivotal role in the national cyber risk assessment of 2021/2022, developing invaluable insights into the nation's cybersecurity posture. Anish serves on the Inter Ministerial Committee for Cyber Security and AI Safety, CARICOM Cybersecurity and Cybercrime Action Plan (CCSCAP) Steering Committee, the Inter Ministerial Committee for Counter Terrorism and the Commonwealth Caribbean Cyber Fellowship




*Mr. Brandon Subero, Clinical
Psychologist, Elder Associates
Limited*

Brandon Subero is a dedicated clinical psychologist at Elder Associates Limited, bringing nearly a decade of experience working in both the United States and Trinidad with individuals, couples, and families from diverse backgrounds. He specializes in marriage and family therapy and thoughtfully integrates a range of therapeutic approaches, tailoring his work to meet the unique needs of each client and family system.

At Elder Associates Limited, Brandon provides Employee Assistance Programme (EAP) counselling to an array of clients not only from Trinidad and Tobago, but across the greater Caribbean region. He offers both virtual and in-person sessions, allowing him to deliver accessible, culturally responsive, and evidence-based psychological support to individuals, employees, and their families wherever they are located.

In addition to his clinical work, Brandon hosts workshops for a range of companies and organizations on diverse mental health topics, from managing stress and anxiety to suicide prevention, to name a few. Deeply passionate about helping people navigate life's challenges, he is committed to strengthening relationships and equipping clients with practical strategies for lasting emotional well-being. Guided by

	<p>collaboration, empathy, and clinical excellence, he values creating a safe and supportive therapeutic space where meaningful growth can occur. Beyond his clinical practice, Brandon is devoted to improving the mental health of the society and is driven by a broader commitment to enhancing the state of the country. He believes that strong mental health at the individual, family, and workplace levels is foundational to building a healthier, more resilient society.</p>
 <p><i>Mr. Glenn McKnight, Chief Information Officer, Virtual School of Internet Governance</i></p>	<p>Glenn McKnight has been active in the Internet Governance space via his involvement with ICANN, IGF, ISOC, IGF and IEEE. Since Covid in 2020 he has been active with the Virtual School of Internet Governance, North American School of Internet Governance and the IGF DC Schools of Internet Governance. In 2025, he spearheaded the creation of the ISOC Ontario chapter with a focus on education with online safety, Seniors and Fraud, secondly an initiative on Connectivity and Indigenous Communities.</p>
<p><i>Dr. Miranda Foon, Psychiatrist</i></p>	<p>Dr. Miranda Foon is a medical doctor and a Consultant Specialist in Psychiatry : MBBS . (bachelor degree in Medicine and a Bachelor degree in Surgery) and also DM . ie a doctorate in the Doctor of medicine. She practices medicine managing Acute medical cases, strokes, cardiac arrest, Respiratory failure , etc. for 12 years on the medical wards at San Fernando General Hospital with 2 years in ICU and Anaesthetics and 10 years in Adult and children psychiatry managing the likes of Bipolar disorder, schizophrenia, substance abuse / dependence / Major depressive Disorders etc. She is currently practicing as a specialist at Surgimed Medical Centre. San Fernando</p>

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