

# Cyber Training Academy Leadership Awareness Course

**Information Security is now a Boardroom level topic and there is a need for Executive Leaders to gain a deeper understanding of the risks and consequences their organization is subject to. While middle management will be relied upon to mitigate a cyber incident, the Board will ultimately be responsible to manage a data breach and the communication process, particularly when the media gets involved.**

It is now critical for Executive Leaders to gain a high-level understanding of cyber threats and ensure their organization has holistic plan in place to respond rapidly to minimize reputational damage in the event of a real-world incident; from the time that the incident occurs, through to a breach communication process and ongoing mitigation.

### **Business Challenges**

Cyber incidents make front page news all too frequently. Many organizations adopt the “it won’t happen to me” or “I’ll deal with it when it happens” approach to the risk presented, with no Emergency Action Plan in place to execute should an incident occur. Today, a cyber-incident is no longer a matter of “if”, but “when” and organizations need to be prepared. Failing to prepare can lead to incidents being handled poorly in the public eye, resulting in a loss of trust and damage to reputation. Bringing Senior Leaders together to undertake a training course offers an effective solution to become aligned and prepared for a cyber incident.

### **Solution**

RUAG Cyber Training Academy offers specific information security training courses for Leadership teams. These can range from a basic threat awareness course, through to full crisis management training, breach communication and media management. By utilizing real-world examples with field expert trainers a comprehensive set of learning objectives can be achieved. Regularly repeated training will help optimize roles, responsibilities and an emergency plan should a security incident occur.

Bespoke training can be created to combine different teams or groups to provide wider experience in managing an incident effectively. Tying in expert training scenarios with technical teams from IT-Operations to provide a comprehensive scenario where the wider group learns together.

### **Key Features and Benefits**

- Independent, specialist courses customised specifically for Executive Leaders
- Courses available in Bern, Switzerland, Berlin, Germany, or on-site
- Training scenario simulations based on real events
- Incident management process to minimize organizational disruption during an actual event
- Incident role responsibility definitions and authority
- Recognize approaching threats and how to mitigate them
- Crisis management training and optimization through full scenarios
- Improved incident communication skills
- Monitored and recorded sessions for analysis playback
- Repeatable courses to show team improvement
- Additional modules such as “Think like a hacker” to highlight information security vulnerabilities

## About RUAG

RUAG develops trailblazing innovations and internationally sought after cutting-edge technology in the fields of aerospace and defence. By combining outstanding technological expertise with a high degree of foresight and responsibility, it creates the foundations for security and progress within society.

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## Other Relevant Services

- Incident Response and eForensics
- Cyber Academy Training
- IT Emergency Planning
- Security Health Check

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## Scenarios

### Aligning the Leadership Team

It is vital that a Leadership Team is aligned to the risks and threats their organization is subject to and knows how to operate together under pressure. A real-world cyber incident scenario creates that pressure and will show where responsibilities and processes need to be further refined.

### Awareness Update

With new attacks being created and carried out each day, it is often an issue for the senior leaders to keep pace with the changes. An awareness update quickly brings the whole team up to speed with new threats, how to recognise them and plan for what happens next.

### Cyber Incident Experience

A variety of cyber incident scenarios are available to be acted out. From a data breach, with media involved, through to a ransomware attack. Reading about the expected or planned response is not as effective as having to live through it. The scenario can begin in the workplace and then transfer to a training center – bringing together the relevant people and teams to understand how they will operate during an incident in order optimize the process for dealing with a real incident should one occur.

## Pricing

Pricing depends on level of customization and number of scenarios required.  
As an indicator:

- Leadership Awareness Training Course from 8'000 CHF (up to 12 people)
- Crisis Management Training Course 16'000 CHF / day (up to 12 people)

## Why RUAG Cyber Security Services

RUAG Cyber Security Services have grown out of high profile engagements with the Swiss Government, operating in highly secure environments with specialist personnel. A consistent approach to projects of all sizes ensures a high-quality, on-time, on-budget deliverable which is tailored to the customer's specific needs.

Customers for Cyber Academy Courses include government departments, manufacturers, telecommunication providers, finance (Bank & Insurance), transportation, logistics, food manufacturers.



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