



iSIGHT Partners Marks First Anniversary with Innovative Solutions to Combat Security Threats

Industry's leading experts join global risk mitigation firm

DALLAS (Dec. 5, 2007) — iSIGHT Partners is setting the standard for global risk mitigation solutions as positive business momentum highlights its first anniversary. The firm offers a team of professionals with the industry's leading breadth and depth of experience in government, intelligence and business; unmatched analytical capability deployed through a global network; and a best-in-class proprietary database of threats and risks.

Founded by former iDefense CEO John Watters, iSIGHT Partners is based in Dallas, Texas with offices in Washington, DC and New York complemented by a global network of security analysts. iSIGHT Partners will open its office in China in January, 2008. The company markets its services to corporations, industry associations and federal, state and local governments, with a customer portfolio including *Fortune* 100 companies in the financial services, technology and retail sectors.

"The next wave of global coordinated attacks blends physical, logical and cyber exploits – specifically targeting high-value intellectual property and customer information around the world," said Watters, iSIGHT Partners' Founder, Chairman & CEO. "This trend will dominate the future threat landscape."

Complementing the client's risk mitigation team, iSIGHT Partners reduces exposure to human, electronic and physical threats using in-country, culturally sensitive resources to proactively identify and manage risk to a client's business-critical assets.

Global Risk Management Solutions

iSIGHT Partners delivers a suite of products and services to build customer knowledge of threats and vulnerabilities; alert customers to emerging threats requiring action; and provide support to address and resolve incidents.

The company's intelligence reporting informs clients about threats to their industries, geographic locations and organizations themselves. iSIGHT Partners integrates comprehensive analysis with highly customized solutions. Examples of the company's solutions include:

- **IntelliSIGHT Threat Intelligence Suite** provides actionable intelligence on high-priority emerging threats, such as malicious code, software vulnerabilities and intellectual property theft risks. The IntelliSIGHT suite of products includes daily technical reports on technologies and issues that are strategically and operationally relevant, action reports on emerging threats, analyst calls, monthly threat reports tailored to individual customer needs, and customer-requested research.
- **ThreatScape Intelligence Suite** provides deep research into the ecosystem of stolen intellectual property and analyzes the dual electronic and human elements of cyber crime threats. Sophisticated fraudsters keep decentralized businesses at a distinct disadvantage by preying on the often-disconnected risk, IT and security groups charged with protecting critical assets. ThreatScape provides useful intelligence data and in-depth research about the threats that confront our customers and helps them with defensive measures.
- **iSIGHT Partners Risk Mitigation Programs** protects targeted assets and confront customer-specific threats. Asset-driven programs "reverse-engineer" potential physical and cyber attacks. Threat-specific solutions evaluate known attacks and actors to build new risk mitigation strategies that reduce the likelihood of further compromise.

Industry-leading Expertise

In its first year, iSIGHT Partners attracted an industry-leading team of global security experts from government, military, intelligence and private enterprise:

- Jonathan Couch, chief technology officer (CTO), brings 12 years of expertise at the National Security Agency (NSA), United States Air Force Information Warfare Center, and Lockheed Martin's Advanced Technology Labs, specializing in cyber threat information security.
- Ken Dunham, director of global response, is one of the industry's leading malicious code experts. He was previously the director of the VeriSign iDefense Rapid Response

Team (RRT) and worked closely with the VeriSign Managed Security Services (MSS) team. He is a subject matter expert on malicious code, phishing and computer security threats.

- Matt Keane, chief financial officer (CFO), directed customer service for iDefense.
- Jim Melnick, director of global threat intelligence, was a Soviet expert at the Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA), and is a retired Colonel in the U.S. Army Reserves in Military Intelligence; he previously led the geopolitical threat analysis for VeriSign iDefense, reporting on hacking groups, critical infrastructure, cybercrime law and geopolitical threats.
- D. Scott Parsons, strategic advisor, financial services is the former Deputy Assistant Secretary for the United States Department of the Treasury in charge of Critical Infrastructure Protection and Compliance Policy.
- Scott Schneider, vice president of business development, previously vice president of sales at iDefense and Western Regional Director at Network Associates, Inc. (now McAfee, Inc.)
- W. Michael Susong, vice president of global intelligence, has three decades of private business intelligence and public service with Fujitsu Ltd. and the U.S. government

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About iSIGHT Partners

iSIGHT Partners is the global risk mitigation firm providing threat intelligence-fused products and solution sets in protection of targeted assets such as sensitive data, intellectual property and facilities in high-risk areas. The company's products, solution sets and global intelligence experts ensure an integrated approach to risk identification and mitigation across cyber and physical assets, managing real-world risk beyond the edge of customers' own resources and physical boundaries. For more information, visit www.isightpartners.com or call 866.586.4572.

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