Tiger Scheme transfers operations to University of South Wales

The Tiger Scheme, a highly regarded national accreditation for cyber security professionals is transferring its operations to the University of South Wales.

The scheme will be wholly run and managed by the University, a move which will continue to strengthen ties within academia and ensure the growth and expansion of the scheme while building on the University's reputation for information security excellence.

Endorsed by the National Technical Authority for Information Assurance (CESG) and backed by a University-based assessment, Tiger Scheme qualifications are essential for those seeking career progression within the technical security industry.

Chris Meehan, President and Director of Tiger Scheme Ltd, highlights the necessity for industry to be at the cutting edge of new developments in this area:

"Effective cyber security is an essential component of protecting and supporting economic growth. The industry itself is a significant component of the UK economy - the level of expertise available in the UK is recognised worldwide.

"Migrating Tiger Scheme operations to our partners, the University of South Wales will provide the level of integration and coordination necessary for a world class industry. It is imperative that the scheme continues to meet the evolving requirements of our members and their customers. This move will strengthen our ability to ensure the career progression of our members through entry level certification, intermediate level certification, and senior and technical specialist roles."

The Tiger Scheme continues to grow, with more candidates than ever successfully attaining the qualifications. From July, the University will also be offering the Team Member (QSTM) qualification at their London Centre as well as continuing to run the Team Leader (SST) qualification from their campus in Pontypridd, South Wales.

The scheme will be managed by University of South Wales Commercial Services Ltd, the commercial subsidiary of the University.