

## SPEAKERS

**Michel Drescher**, Technical Manager at European Grid Infrastructure



After graduating in Computer Science and Biology in 1997, Michel's career started by providing the entire client side of the first UNICORE stack for HPC. Since then, distributed infrastructure and computing systems whether small or large-scale, commercial or academic, have been his constant companions. Having lived and worked in Germany, Netherlands, United Kingdom, and Switzerland, it was all but a logical next step to join forces with EGI.eu



**Jesus Luna**, Research Director of the Cloud Security Alliance (Europe)



His main responsibilities include the internal scientific/technical management of CSA's EU funded projects (HelixNebula, A4Cloud, CloudWatch, Cumulus, Cirrus and SPECS). Jesus has worked in the ICT security field for almost 20 years, both in America and Europe. Jesus obtained his PhD degree (Cum-Laude) in Computer Architecture from the "Technical University of Catalonia" (2008), and has published more than 40 scientific papers in prestigious venues. Jesus is also affiliated with the CS department of the Technical University of Darmstadt (Germany).



**Ian Osborne**, Senior Manager for Information and Communications Technologies, The Knowledge Transfer Network Limited



With experience of software engineering and technology marketing for large systems customers, Ian added innovation management knowledge and skills to his capabilities as his management responsibilities grew. He's been able to use that background to play a leading role in the knowledge transfer community, which lies at the heart of the growth agenda for the UK government. Ian established the first Knowledge Transfer Network in support of Grid Computing in 2005, he grew that portfolio through adding position and timing and cyber-security responsibilities and, now, he has the responsibility to lead the ICT agenda for the new KTN. He played a key role in the UK Government Cloud programme in 2009 through 2013 and is now a member for the Cloud Computing Select Industry Group for the European Commission. Board Member of the Federation Against Software Theft and a Code Governance Board Member of the Cloud Industry Forum, professional member of the BCS, IEEE and ACM.



**Colin Wallis**, Standards Architect and Authentication Standards Manager, New Zealand Government



Colin holds leadership positions across the consortium space in Information Security, Privacy and Trusted Identity. In OASIS, he sits on the identity-related Technical Committees of Security Services (SAML), Customer Information (CIQ), Identity in the Cloud, Trust Elevation, Privacy by Design for Software Engineers & Transformational Government. In the Kantara Initiative, Colin Vice-Chairs the eGov work group and serves on the Leadership Council and Board of Trustees. In the US NSTIC IDESG he Vice Chairs the International Co-ordination Committee. In ISO JTC1 SC27, Colin is the NZ HoD and an acknowledged subject matter expert on identity and privacy in Working Group 5. In NZ, he is a founding member of the Cloud Security Alliance's (CSA) NZ Chapter, on the Industry Advisory Board of University of Waikato Cyber Security Lab and acted as 'Government observer' on the Steering Committee for the private sector led <http://www.nzcloudcode.org.nz/>. Colin has been involved in the New Zealand Government's online IAM Programme since 2004, for which it won awards in 2007 and 2011.

INTERNAL AFFAIRS



**Tony Richards**, Partner at IACS



As a senior Cyber Security and Information Assurance professional with over 14+ years experience of risk management and consultancy in central government and high threat environments, Tony has extensive experience as a CESSG Certified professional (CCP) and Listed Adviser (CLAS) as well as providing independent subject matter expertise to clients on topics such as: Cloud Security (CCSK) and, Composite Accreditation. During his career, Tony has led a variety of challenging projects, addressing most aspects within the Information Assurance arena and met the demands of many multinational and government clients, providing a wide breadth of consultancy services including: strategy & security architecture, business continuity, Accreditation, infrastructure implementation, technical assurance, security audit, review, and risk management.

