



## **CSI tools is nominated as one of the finalist for the 2015 EU Cyber Security & Privacy Innovation Awards**

**Herent, October 2015,** CSI tools is pleased to announce that we are nominated as one of the finalists for the 2015 EU Cyber Security and Privacy Innovation Awards.

Each year in October, Europe's most innovative and forward-thinking researchers and entrepreneurs gather in Brussels, recognizing those who are bolstering Europe's cyber security landscape. With the awards, the IPACSO consortium supported by the European Commission under FP7, support Privacy and Cyber Security Innovations 'Made in Europe'.

CSI tools' unique approach to the Access Governance of SAP environments is nominated: The challenge of SAP security is first to really understand how it works. CSI tools gives his customers guidance to simplify the complexity by splitting it into two layers, a governance layer and a technical layer.

The main advantage is that access governances become transparent; management can focus on the governance aspects and the technical people can focus on technical layer and get the instructions through the governance layer.

CSI tools simplifies SAP security and makes it understandable for all layers of the organization. CSI tools has a unique approach and structures the (difficult to understand) technical security data, into 300 data elements that are easy to understand and interpret within all layers of the organization. These data elements covers all control objectives for the confidentiality, Integrity and availability of the SAP data and are used to define the security requirements in an understandable and correct way.

"CSI tools promotes analyzing, reporting and remediation on the real risks and vulnerabilities for access governance in SAP and delivers complete solutions for this. We are very happy and proud that IPACSO recognizes our unique features and effective approach. Being recognized, we can continue spreading the word and help organizations with their SAP access governance"- Johan Hermans, CEO CSI tools



#### About CSI tools

*CSI tools has been on the market with their solutions for SAP access governance since 1997 and provides analytic control solutions that audit and monitor SAP environments, manage and validate authorizations, and build roles tuned to the organizations security requirements and business needs.*

#### About IPACSO

*IPACSO (Innovation Framework for Privacy and Cyber Security Market Opportunities) is a private consortium aimed at supporting Privacy and Cyber Security innovations in Europe. Its aim is to support ICT Security innovators with State of the Art methodologies and best practices in their innovation process, that will help them to find their road to market faster, more effective and more efficient. IPACSO is supported by the European Commission, and aims to improve the competitiveness of the European Cyber Security & Privacy market. Alongside LSEC, VASCO Data Security, the Waterford Institute of Technology and Espion, both from Ireland, and the German Institute for Economic Research make up the rest of IPACSO. With the Cyber Security & Privacy Innovation Awards, the IPACSO consortium, supported by the European Commission, awards Privacy and Cyber Security Innovators in Europe. Out of a hundred nominees, an independent commission created a short list of 20 companies with the most innovative products and services in the security and privacy domains, and today will announce the winners per each of the categories.*

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