









# How to Build a Bridge Between Risk and Compliance – and Why It Matters

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### Introductions



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### Agenda

- Current State of Risk and Compliance
- Improved Communication and Information Sharing
- Impacts on Insurable Risk
- Questions





### Current State of Risk and Compliance

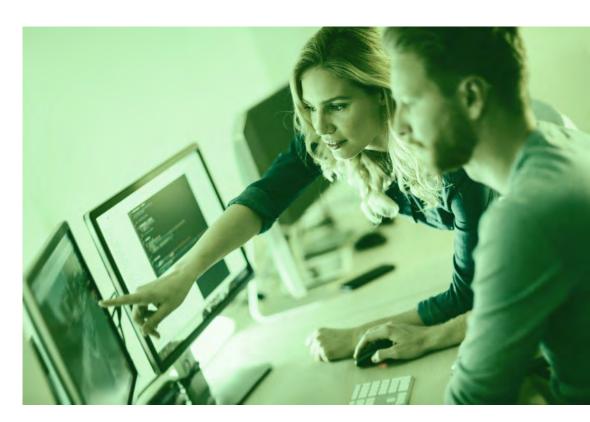
- Many organizations like to say they have full information transparency between assurance groups.
- However, that information is mainly shared through Monthly or Quarterly presentations or reports which leads to reactionary measures regarding issues that already happened.
- Risk and Compliance related information can be closely guarded and only shared on a need-to-know basis





### Current State of Risk and Compliance

- Risk and Compliance assessments happen regularly, yet the delay in providing real-time information can have serious impacts on
- New and Existing Products and Services
- Third Party and Contract Approvals
- Project and Implementation Timelines
- Policy Violations
- Insurance Renewals







## Improving Communication and Information Sharing

- What can we do to ensure we're making the best decisions with the most relevant information?
- Establish lines of communication between assurance groups to talk about the current state of risk and compliance and alignment to risk appetite
- Prepare more frequent interim reports or provide restricted access to systems containing risk and compliance information
- Collaborate on cross-functional risk and compliance reports to ensure all parties have the most complete view of information when completing assessments





## Improving Communication and Information Sharing

Why is a cross-functional risk and compliance report important when reviewing areas?

Operational Risk Management

Third Party Risk Management

Information Security Risk Management

Compliance Risk Management

LOW

**MEDIUM** 

HIGH

**MEDIUM** 

Viewed independently each area knows how to address their residual risk, but what story is being told when viewed side by side?

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# How AT&T is Connecting Risk and Compliance

#### **Transparency:**

- Understanding Risk Profiles
- Identifying areas of concern across assurance functions

#### **Coordination:**

- RMIS
- Audit
- Risk Measurement:
- Aligning on risk thresholds and descriptors







#### Impacts on Insurable Risk

- Most risk and compliance assessments cover insurable and non-insurable risk aspects, but is that information freely shared with the group responsible for managing the total cost of insurance?
- What is the risk appetite for insuring or retaining risk?
- What risk and compliance assessment information is currently being shared with that group?
- Does that group have a good understanding of the policies, procedures, control test results, unresolved issues, or other aspects that might impact insurable risk costs?
- Has the Insurable Risk group reviewed the Business Continuity Plan for the area and most recent readiness results? (Business Interruptions)





#### Impacts on Insurable Risk

### Shared Risk and Compliance information could be beneficial for the following

- Reducing overall insurable risk costs
- Providing evidence for claims filed against or within the organization
- Adding new metrics for assessing Premium Allocations
- Potential to reduce claim volumes by reducing potential incidents that occur from lack of compliance





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## How AT&T is Connecting Risk, Compliance and RMIS

#### **Loss Controls**

- Process platform to ensure policy compliance
- Claims
  - Tracking / reporting
  - Root cause

#### Insurance renewals

Legal & regulatory compliance vs operational initiatives

**ERM / ESG / Privacy Coordination** 





## Questions?



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