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PATCH MANAGEMENT AUDIT: ENSURES THAT SYSTEMS ARE REGULARLY UPDATED WITH THE LATEST SECURITY PATCHES

"Ensure Every System Stays Secure, Up-to-Date, and Audit-Ready"

Schedule

Date	Venue	Fees (Face-to-Face)
23 – 27 Mar 2026	London – UK	USD 3,495 per delegate

Introduction

In the face of relentless cyber-threats and tightening compliance mandates, timely patching is mission-critical. Yet many organisations still struggle to track, test, deploy, and verify security updates across diverse environments. This intensive five-day programme arms IT auditors, security leaders, and operations teams with proven frameworks and hands-on skills to evaluate, improve, and continuously monitor enterprise patch-management processes in line with global standards and best practice.

Objectives

By the end of the course participants will be able to:

- Interpret patch-management requirements in ISO 27001, NIST SP 800-40, CIS, PCI-DSS, and SOC 2.
- Map the full patch lifecycle—from vulnerability discovery to deployment validation.
- Design audit scopes, criteria, and evidence-collection plans for patch compliance.
- Use industry tools (e.g., WSUS, SCCM/MECM, Intune, Tanium, Qualys, Nessus) to verify coverage and remediate gaps.
- Quantify patch-related risk and communicate findings to technical and executive stakeholders.
- Draft actionable audit reports that drive measurable improvements.

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Why Attend

- Mitigate risk of exploits that target unpatched systems.
- Prove compliance to regulators, clients, and external auditors.
- Optimise resources by identifying bottlenecks in current patch processes.
- Enhance career prospects with specialised IT-audit capabilities.
- Network & benchmark with peers facing similar security challenges.

Target Audience

This program is designed for:

- Business continuity managers and professionals responsible for BCP implementation
- Risk management and compliance officers
- IT disaster recovery specialists
- Operations and facility managers
- Senior management and executives overseeing business resilience
- Internal auditors and consultants

Individual Benefits

Key competencies that will be developed include:

- Proficiency in ISO 22301:2019 structure and implementation
- Capability to conduct BIAs and continuity risk assessments
- Skills to design and maintain continuity and crisis response plans
- Knowledge of performance evaluation, audit, and continuous improvement in BCMS
- Strategic planning for business resilience and recovery

Organizational Benefits

Upon completing the training course, participants will demonstrate:

- Enhanced organizational resilience and preparedness
- Stronger alignment with global business continuity best practices
- Improved risk management and reduced downtime from disruptions
- Documented continuity strategies enhancing stakeholder confidence
- Readiness for ISO 22301:2019 certification audits

Instructional Methodology

The course follows a blended learning approach combining theory with practice:

- Strategy Briefings – Deep dive into ISO 22301:2019, business continuity management principles, and BCMS frameworks
- Case Studies – Real-world examples of successful BCMS implementation and crisis response
- Workshops – Hands-on exercises to create business continuity plans, risk assessments, and recovery strategies
- Peer Exchange – Group discussions on challenges and lessons learned in business continuity
- Tools – Templates for BIA, risk assessments, business continuity plans, and crisis communication

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Course Outline

Detailed 5-Day Course **Outline**

Training Hours: 7:30 AM – 3:30 PM **Daily Format:** 3–4 Learning Modules | Coffee breaks: 09:30 & 11:15 | Lunch Buffet: 01:00 – 02:00

Day 1: Introduction to ISO 22301:2019 and Business Continuity Planning

- Module 1: Overview of ISO 22301:2019 (07:30 – 09:30)
- Introduction to ISO 22301:2019 and its importance in business continuity management
- Key principles and requirements of ISO 22301:2019
- Overview of the BCMS lifecycle and its role in organizational resilience
- Module 2: Business Continuity Concepts and Governance (09:45 – 11:15)
- Definitions and core components of a BCMS
- Leadership and governance roles in business continuity
- Integration with organizational strategy
- Module 3: Policy, Scope, and Objectives (11:30 – 01:00)
- Establishing scope and context of the BCMS
- Setting objectives and continuity policy aligned with ISO 22301
- Module 4: Risk Management Fundamentals (02:00 – 03:30)
- Risk identification and mitigation strategies
- Relationship between risk management and business continuity

Day 2: Business Impact Analysis (BIA) and Risk Assessment

- Module 5: Conducting a Business Impact Analysis (07:30 – 09:30)
- Purpose and process of BIA
- Identifying critical functions and acceptable downtime
- Module 6: Risk Assessment Methodology (09:45 – 11:15)
- Analyzing continuity risks and vulnerabilities
- Evaluating likelihood and impact
- Module 7: BIA & RA Workshops (11:30 – 01:00)
- Hands-on session using BIA and RA templates
- Module 8: Strategy Development (02:00 – 03:30)
- Developing continuity and recovery strategies
- Linking risks and BIA findings to mitigation planning

Day 3: Designing and Implementing the BCMS

- Module 9: Resource Planning and Documentation (07:30 – 09:30)
- Allocating resources and responsibilities for BCMS implementation
- Document control and version management
- Module 10: Business Continuity Plan Development (09:45 – 11:15)
- Elements of a strong business continuity plan
- Continuity planning for departments, processes, and systems
- Module 11: Crisis Communication Planning (11:30 – 01:00)
- Developing internal and external communication strategies
- Notification protocols and escalation paths
- Module 12: Workshop – Creating a Business Continuity Plan (02:00 – 03:30)

Day 4: Testing, Exercising, and Monitoring the BCMS

- Module 13: Testing and Exercising Plans (07:30 – 09:30)
- Types of continuity exercises (table-top, simulations, full-scale drills)
- Designing and evaluating test outcomes
- Module 14: Monitoring and Performance Evaluation (09:45 – 11:15)
- ISO 22301 metrics and KPIs
- Management reviews and performance tracking
- Module 15: Internal Audit of BCMS (11:30 – 01:00)
- Planning and executing BCMS internal audits
- Addressing nonconformities and corrective actions
- Module 16: Workshop – Continuity Exercise Design (02:00 – 03:30)

Day 5: Certification, Improvement & Course Review

- Module 17: Preparing for ISO 22301 Certification (07:30 – 09:30)
- Certification requirements and audit process
- Role of external auditors and registrar bodies
- Module 18: Continuous Improvement of BCMS (09:45 – 11:15)
- Root cause analysis and process improvements
- PDCA cycle for resilience enhancement
- Module 19: Final Assessment and Group Activity (11:30 – 01:00)
- Review quiz and team presentation on continuity planning
- Module 20: Course Wrap-Up and Feedback (02:00 – 03:30)
- Key takeaways, Q&A, and certificate distribution

Certification

Upon successful completion, delegates receive a Certificate of Completion – Patch Management Audit (Advanced), affirming their capability to assess, report, and strengthen enterprise patch-management practices in line with leading security and audit standards.

Why Choose MAWA Events

- **Global Expertise:** More than 17 years of experience in professional training and consulting.
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