

Bios for presenters at Cal-Asia's "Meeting Security Needs in Asia Business: Security after 9/11 and Iraq - Are corporations doing enough to protect themselves?" April 24, 2003 at Hyatt Rickey's, Palo Alto

- Special Agent **Douglas Bruce** is a five year veteran of the U.S. Department of State's Diplomatic Security Service. A Criminal Unit Supervisor in the San Francisco Field Office, Special Agent Bruce served as the Assistant Regional Security Officer in the U.S. Embassy Beirut and began his career in the New York Field Office. He also carried out arduous and dangerous temporary duty assignments in the Sudan and Tajikistan under hostile conditions. Prior to joining the Diplomatic Security Service as a Special Agent, he served on the City of Phoenix Police Department for seven years. Special Agent Bruce studied criminal justice at Arizona State University. Special Agent Bruce will talk about the resources and assistance that the State Department's Overseas Security Advisory Council, commonly referred to as OSAC, can provide to America's businesses and corporations.
- **Rick Chong** has been a Partner of Sycamore Ventures since 1997. He primarily focuses on mid to late stage investments in wireless, e-commerce, software and consumer products companies.

Rick serves on the Boards of Idini Corporation (wireless) and Acme Components Malaysia (electronics). Rick was responsible for the investments in two public equity funds for Sycamore from 1997 until 2000, CG Asia Development Fund and Princeton Asia Development Fund. Both funds invested directly into Asian publicly traded equities during the Asian Financial Crisis. Prior to joining Sycamore, Rick directed the investments of Oncidium Technology Investments, an investment fund dedicated to equity investments of publicly-traded technology firms in the United States. He concurrently served as the U.S. representative for Hantech Venture Capital Corporation (HVCC), a Taiwanese-based investment corporation. Between 1990 and 1993, he served as Managing Director of Acme Components Malaysia (ACM), a privately held electronic ferrites company with a manufacturing base in Ipoh, Malaysia. He was Vice President of Strategic Planning for USI Far East (USIFE), a publicly listed Taiwanese petrochemical manufacturer, between 1983 and 1990 and concurrently served as Vice President of Finance for Luzon Petrochemical.

Rick received both his M.B.A. and undergraduate degrees from Stanford University.

- **Dr. Whitfield Diffie**, Distinguished Engineer PUC / Security Group, Sun Microsystems (Invited)
- **Ross W. Nadel, Esq.**, United States Attorney's Office

Mr. Nadel assumed the position of Chief of the Computer Hacking and Intellectual Property (CHIP) Unit in the United States Attorney's Office for the Northern District of California when the unit was created in February of 2000. He also assumed the position of Chief of the San Jose Branch of the United

States Attorney's Office in January of 2003. The CHIP Unit was the first unit in any United States Attorney's Office dedicated to prosecuting computer crime and intellectual property cases. In the summer of 2001, the Attorney General announced the creation of nine additional CHIP Units in U.S. Attorney's Offices around the country modeled after the Northern District's CHIP Unit. Prior to his appointment as Chief of the CHIP Unit and Chief of the San Jose Branch Office, Mr. Nadel held various positions in the United States Attorney's Office, including Chief of the General Crimes Section, Chief of the Economic Crimes Section, and Chief of the Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force and Attorney-Coordinator for the Northwest Region. Mr. Nadel has been an Assistant United States Attorney in the Northern and Eastern Districts of California since 1981.

Mr. Nadel has received various awards, including the Executive Office of United States Attorneys Director's Award for Superior Performance as an Assistant United States Attorney, commendations from Attorney General Janet Reno and FBI Director Louis J. Freeh, the U.S. Department of Justice Special Achievement Award in Appreciation and Recognition of Sustained Superior Performance, and the Federal Bar Association, Younger Federal Lawyer Award in Recognition for Outstanding Service in the United States and Citation for Distinguished Achievement in the Federal Legal Profession.

Prior to becoming an Assistant United States Attorney, Mr. Nadel served as a judicial law clerk to United States District Judge Samuel Conti and United States Magistrate Judge F. Steele Langford in San Francisco.

- **Mark Nelson**, Director, Corporate Communications, SAVI Technology (Invited)
- **Michael Pilato**, Vice President Marketing, Ortega Infosystems
- **Thomas E. Rowley**, President and CEO, Counterpane

As Co-Founder of Counterpane Internet Security, Inc., Thomas E. Rowley conceived the company's business plan, raised an initial \$7M in venture capital funding, and recruited a skilled management team. Now as the President and CEO, he is guiding Counterpane through deploying its service offering and establishing the company as the leader in a unique information security outsourcing market segment.

An entrepreneurial leader with strong marketing and engineering management skills, Rowley has been at the helm of several significant starts-ups in Silicon Valley. In 1996, he founded Veridicom, Inc., a Lucent Bell-Labs spin-off formed to commercialize a breakthrough silicon fingerprint sensor. In addition to raising over \$11M from venture capital groups, Rowley recruited Veridicom's key personnel, and transformed laboratory prototypes into high-quality production products. Rowley also spearheaded an intrapreneuring start-up within National Semiconductor where he led development of secure cryptographic semiconductor products for the information security and electronic commerce industries. The unit established numerous alliances, including Microsoft, Visa,

and RSA/Verisign, and generated over \$30M in orders for commercial and government applications.

Rowley was also the President of Centigram Communications, now a public company serving the voice processing industry. He also served as a senior executive for Voysys Corporation and Prompt Communications. Before moving to California in 1982, Rowley was employed on the East Coast by the National Security Agency, Systems Engineering Laboratories, and Perkins-Elmer Corporation.

Rowley holds a BEEE from Manhattan College. He has also done graduate work for a Masters Degree in Computer Science at University of Maryland. In addition, he holds two patents with the United States Patent Office.

- **GUY F. TCHEAU**, Chief Executive Officer and President, Buildfolio  
Mr. Tcheau brings with him 20 years of experience from the real estate and software industry. Prior to Buildfolio, Mr. Tcheau held the positions of Executive Vice President and Regional Head of GIC Real Estate in North America. GIC Real Estate, which oversees a multi-billion dollar global portfolio, serves as the real estate investment arm of the Government of Singapore Investment Corporation. Mr. Tcheau was the Director of Information Technology with Far East Organization before he joined GIC Real Estate. He holds an MBA from Syracuse University (Beta Gamma Sigma, Simon Keller Award) and a B. Sc. in Computer Science and Mathematics from National University of Singapore.

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- **Donald Thomas**, Vice President and a Director of Business Development in Parsons Commercial and Technology Group, Communications Division., who will talk about "Global Marine Container Supply Chain Security - The Total Systems Solutions".