KANIKA A.

Corporate Trainer | PMI Authorized Instructor

PMP • CAPM • ITIL • PRINCE2 • COBIT • SIAM • Scrum • ISO Information Security & GRC



PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Corporate Trainer and PMI Authorized Instructor with 4+ years of experience in information security, governance, risk and compliance (GRC), and cloud security (AWS). Delivers certification training and consultancy to enterprise clients across 50+ nationalities in project management, IT service management, governance and security domains.

Skilled in ISO/IEC 27001:2022, ISO/IEC 42001, ISO/IEC 27701, ISO/IEC 22301, ISO/IEC 27017, ISO/IEC 27018, PCI DSS, SOC 2, NIST and DPDPA, with hands-on expertise in risk assessments, TPRM, BCMS, vendor assessments and audit coordination. Known for strong stakeholder management and a practical, exam-focused teaching approach.

TRAINING EXPERTISE

- PMI-PMP / PMI-CAPM (PMI Authorized Instructor)
- PRINCE2 7th Edition (Foundation & Practitioner)
- ITIL 4 and ITIL 5 (Foundation, Specialist, Leader)
- COBIT 2019 (Foundation, Design & Implementation)
- SIAM (Foundation & Professional)
- Scrum Master / Scrum Fundamentals
- Six Sigma (Yellow, Green & Black Belt)
- CISM and CRISC
- AWS Cloud Security and Architecture
- ISO 27001:2022 / 27701 / 22301 / 27017 / 27018
- GRC, Risk Management and Business Impact Analysis (BIA)
- Information Security and Cybersecurity

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Information Security Lead | Business Next

July 2026 – September 2026

- Led ISO/IEC 27001:2022 readiness assessments, implementation support and audit preparation for IT and manufacturing clients, including gap assessments, remediation roadmaps, control mapping, and Stage 1 and Stage 2 audit evidence.
- Coordinated audit readiness across ISO 27001:2022, ISO 42001, ISO 27701, ISO 27017, ISO 27018, ISO 22301, PCI DSS, SOC 2 and DPDPA: evidence collection, control mapping and remediation tracking.
- Supported ISO 27701 Privacy Information Management System (PIMS) implementation, including Annex A control mapping, data flow analysis and privacy documentation.
- Managed Third-Party Risk Management (TPRM) and vendor risk assessments, maintained risk registers and supported executive reporting.
- Supported Business Continuity Management through Business Impact Analysis (BIA), policy documentation and corrective action tracking with HR, Legal, IT and Operations.
- Applied PMP, ITIL and COBIT principles to structure GRC initiatives and continuous audit readiness.

Global Consultancy Lead (Remote) | Koenig Solutions Pvt. Ltd.

February 2022 – June 2026

- Provided international consultancy and professional guidance in Information Security, Cybersecurity, GRC and Cloud Security (AWS), alongside Project Management, ITIL, COBIT and SIAM engagements.
- Worked with IT professionals and enterprise stakeholders across public and private sector organizations, spanning professionals from over 50 nationalities.

- Identified knowledge and capability gaps, gave structured recommendations and aligned guidance with industry best practices and organizational needs.
- Contributed to international engagements for organizations including Aramco, Deloitte, GlaxoSmithKline, SABIC, NEOM, Wipro, Bank of Tanzania, and government entities across Saudi Arabia, Angola, Mozambique, Uganda, Ethiopia and the Maldives.

CERTIFICATIONS

- PMI Authorized Instructor
- CAPM – Certified Associate in Project Management
- PRINCE2 7th Edition – Foundation & Practitioner
- COBIT 2019 – Foundation, Design & Implementation
- ITIL 4 – Foundation
- ITIL 4 Specialist – Create, Deliver and Support
- ITIL 4 Specialist – Direct, Plan & Improve
- ITIL 4 Specialist – Drive Stakeholder Value
- ITIL 4 Leader – Digital and IT Strategy
- ITIL 5 – Foundation
- SCRUM Master Certified & SCRUM Fundamentals
- SIAM Foundation
- CISM
- AWS Certified Solutions Architect
- AWS Certified Developer – Associate
- AWS re/Start Program – Anudip

EDUCATION

- MBA (IT Management) – Amity University, Noida

LANGUAGES

English, Hindi. Experienced in multinational, cross-cultural training and consulting environments.