



SHORT LEARNING PROGRAMME: DATA SECURITY MANAGEMENT



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The Data Security Management course from the Waterfall School of Business is an introductory short course designed to equip individuals with the foundational knowledge needed to enter the growing field of cybersecurity. It is particularly relevant for those who want to understand how to protect digital information from threats and comply with data protection regulations.

Course code:

The course code is not publicly listed.

Accreditation status:

• This is a non-credit-bearing short learning programme endorsed by the Cyber Security Institute.

Duration:

4 weeks

Entry requirements:

None

Topics covered:

- The data lifecycle and different types of cyber threats.
- The dark web and its implications for data security.
- The regulatory environment, including the POPI Act and GDPR.
- · Data risk management and response strategies.
- Performing qualitative and quantitative risk analysis.
- Developing effective responses to data breaches.

Assessments:

• The course material is structured into learning units. Students are assessed through formative assignments, and a final summative assessment is required to successfully complete the course. There are no formal exams.

Type of certificate awarded:

You will receive a Certificate of Competence from Waterfall School of Business.



