



## COUNTDOWN TO ISC WEST: 11 DAYS

ISC West is back and returning to Las Vegas at the Sands Expo from July 19-21! To celebrate, ISC News Editor-in-Chief DJ Murphy is conducting a series of interviews with organizers, attendees, sponsors and partners in the security space who just can't wait to gather again in person.

Exhibitors are such a huge part of a live event and we are thrilled to welcome so many back to ISC West. On this edition of Countdown to ISC West, we sit down with Lora Wilson, Director of Americas Marketing for Genetec. Lora is as excited as we are to be back live in Las Vegas for ISC West. She shared ways the pandemic has changed the security business, how lasting those changes might be and what she missed about not being able to attend in-person events...

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## Most Security Leaders Do Not Report to the CEO

While most organizations have experienced a security incident in the last two years and spend approximately \$38 million on security activities, only 7 percent of security leaders report to the CEO, according to a new report from LogRhythm.

The research, titled “Security and the C-Suite: Making Security Priorities Business Priorities” and based on research conducted by the Ponemon Institute, surveyed 1,426 chief information, technology and security executives in the United States, EMEA and Asia-Pacific.

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As we return to a post-Covid society, the need for stronger, more streamlined security solutions in educational facilities has never been greater. Open platform access control solutions have numerous benefits, including monitoring several systems through a common interface, and integration with other systems. In addition to access control, it's important to note that video management is a crucial aspect of security, especially in an educational setting. Therefore, equipping schools with a robust, highly flexible access control solution that allows for extensive integration will significantly strengthen the facilities' infrastructure.

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