

**Date:** 6 & 7 April 2022

**Location:** Manchester

**Community Meeting Agenda – Connect with your Community**

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6 April 2022

14:30 – 17:00 **Cybersecurity, Marketing, Sales and Finance Genius Café**  
*The CompTIA Genius Café is an opportunity for MSP's to book 1:1 time with a selection of geniuses, handpicked from across the tech industry, for tailored business advice.*

Cybersecurity:

**Ian Thornton-Trump CD**, Chief Information Security Officer, Cyjax Limited

**Kevin Rasdale**, EMEA SE Team Leader, Arcserve

Marketing:

**Harpreet Narang**, Senior Marketing Consultant, Ingram Micro

**Dave Sutton**, Managing Director, Wingman Marketing

Sales:

**Paul Fuge**, Director of Business Development, Inbay Ltd

**Alicia Shepherd**, Sales Director, Terra Computer UK

Finance:

**Daniel Welling**, Director, Welling MSP

17:15 – 18:15 **Women in Tech:** *Connect with women in the industry, build your network and share best practice.*

18:15 – 19:00 **Networking Drinks:** *Catch up and drink up.*

19:00 – 22:00 **Networking Dinner CompTIA:** *Connect with old friends and new.*

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08:30 – 09:00 **Registration, Breakfast and Networking**

09:00 – 09:30 **Welcome with Update Genius Café and Community Updates**

09:30 – 10:00 **Keynote: Prepare Now for Your Business of the Future**

*5 Areas for Progress*

**Speaker: Dan Scott**, IT Nation Community Manager – EMEA, ConnectWise

10:00 – 10:20 **Open Discussion on Keynote:** Prepare Now for the Business of the Future

10:20 – 10:50 **Networking Break**

**Breakout 1: MSP User Group Discussion**

Here is your chance to discuss issues facing you and your MSP business with your peers. Come armed with questions as well as being ready to share best practices and any advice to those attending. **Moderator: Scott Riley**, Founder, Cloud Nexus

**Breakout 2: Vendor and Distributor User Group Discussion**

An opportunity for vendors and distributors to come together and share ideas, best practices and ways to overcome challenges facing the industry **Moderator: Jason Kemsley**, Director, Uptime Solutions

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11:50 – 12:50	<b>Lunch and Networking Break</b>
12:50 – 12:55	<b>Workforce Update</b>
12:55 – 13:10	<b>Inspiring the Future</b> Victoria Lawrence, Employer & Business Development Manager, Inspiring the Future
13:10 – 13:40	<b>Keynote: Cyber Resilience</b> CompTIA Resource: A CEO's Guide to Addressing Cybersecurity Concerns <b>Greg Jones</b> , Business Development Director (EMEA), Datto, Inc.
13:40 – 13:45	<b>Awards Announcement</b>
13:50 – 14:20	<b>Breakout</b> Each leader will introduce their breakout session, and attendees will select a session based on interest. <b>Awards Workshops:</b> <i>Awards is a recognition of your hard work and achievements. It can also increase credibility and attract great talent.</i> <i>BONUS: It's free marketing.</i> <b>Kristian Wright</b> , Chief Operating Officer, inSOC Inc <b>Social Media Best Practice and Tips</b> <b>Hollie Whittles</b> , Tech Director, Purple Frog Systems Ltd
14:20 – 14:45	<b>Networking Break</b>
14:45 – 15:35	<b>Community Connect Round Table Discussions</b> <i>What's changed, what are your priorities, how can we enable growth and empower our community. Your discussion will help us steer the community.</i> <b>Moderator: Robert Gibbons</b> , Business Development Manager, CARA Technology
15:35 – 16:10	<b>Closing Panel</b>
16:10 – 16:20	<b>Meeting Wrap-Up and Close</b>
16:20 -17:00	<b>Networking Drinks</b>