Session Overview:

On March 18, 2025, ObserveNow Media in collaboration with Google Cloud Security hosted an exclusive webinar centered on the theme "The Intelligent Security Ecosystem: Unifying Defense in the AI Era." This focused discussion brought together India's leading cybersecurity professionals and IT decision-makers to explore the integration of artificial intelligence into enterprise security frameworks.

The session highlighted the transformative role of AI in enabling proactive threat detection, streamlined incident response, and the development of unified, scalable security architectures. Leaders exchanged insights on building future-ready cybersecurity strategies that align with modern business needs and evolving threat landscapes.

About the Organisers:

ObserveNow Media-

ObserveNow Media is a B2B Media Marketing & Data Intelligence company that curates high-impact, thought leadership sessions. We specialise in organising closed-door Bespoke & Large Industry Events for our clients, connecting them to their relevant TGs and showcasing their products and services in the most efficient manner.

Google Cloud Security-

Google Cloud Security offers comprehensive cybersecurity solutions powered by the same intelligence and infrastructure that Google uses to protect billions of users globally. Their offering includes Mandiant frontline intelligence, a secure-by-design cloud foundation, and an AI-driven security operations platform—empowering enterprises to meet today's toughest security challenges.

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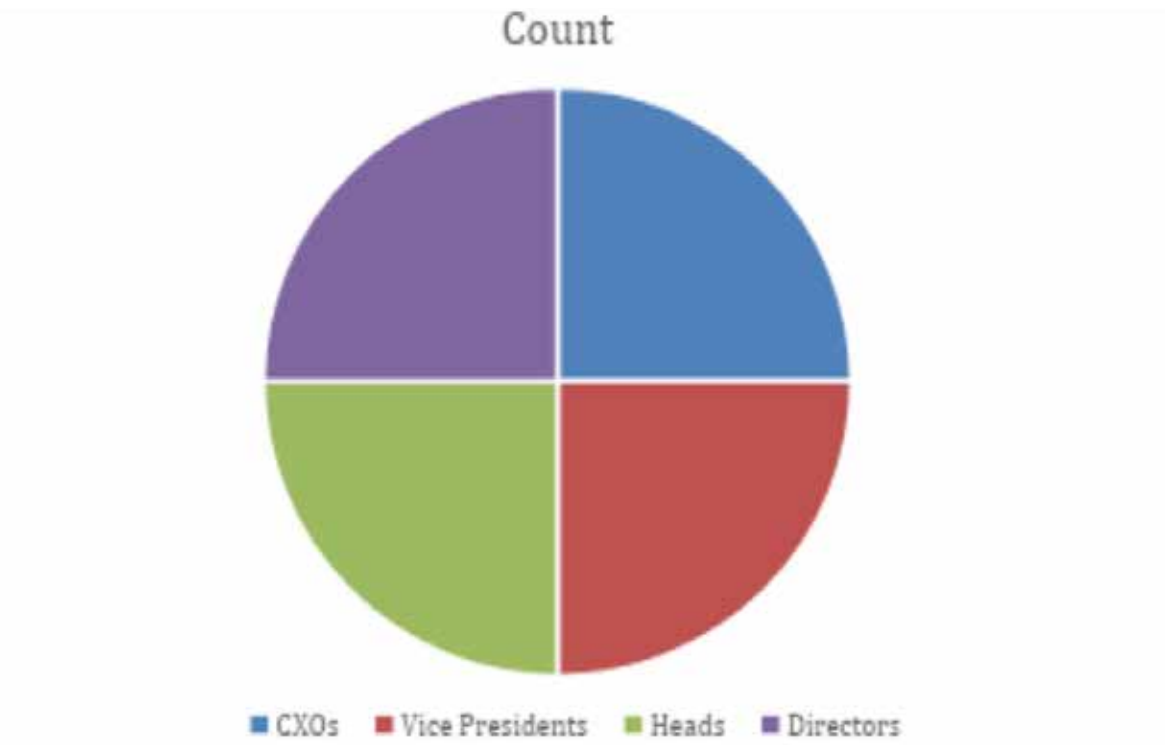**Organized By:** ObserveNow Media in partnership with Google Cloud Security

Theme: The Intelligent Security Ecosystem: Unifying Defense in the AI Era

Format: Closed-door Virtual Roundtable (via Google Meet)

Date & Time: March 18, 2025 | 3:00 PM – 4:15 PM

Participants:

A distinguished panel of cybersecurity leaders from top Indian enterprises participated in the session:

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- CXOs
- Vice Presidents
- Heads
- Directors

- **Mr. Abhishek A Hemrajani** – Senior Director, Product Management, Google Cloud Security
- **Mr. Abhijit Chakravarty** – Executive Vice President - Networks & Cyber Security, Kotak Mahindra Bank
- **Mr. Ketan Saitwadekar** – Vice President & Head Information Security and IT Governance, Sony Pictures Networks India Pvt. Ltd
- **Mr. Prabagar R** – Head Information Security, TCS
- **Mr. Nageshwaran** – Group Head Cyber Security, TVS Group
- **Mr. Pradnya Umaji Manwar** – Sr. Director - Cybersecurity and Information Security, Sutherland
- **Mr. Sushil Sharma** – CISO & Head of Information Security & Governance, GHFL (Formerly Poonawalla Housing Finance)
- **Mr. Kuldeep T.** – Director - Infosec & IT, Games24x7
- **Mr. Sashank Dara** – CTO, CISO & Cofounder, Seconize

Collaboration and Impact:

This exclusive session underscored the need for integrated security frameworks that leverage the power of AI to meet modern-day cyber threats. ObserveNow curated this roundtable to:

- **Foster dialogue among India's top cybersecurity professionals on the strategic role of AI in security.**

- **Explore approaches to automate threat detection and response across complex enterprise environments.**

- **Encourage the adoption of a unified security ecosystem that improves visibility, speed, and resilience.**

The collaborative exchange enabled participants to align on key transformation priorities for securing digital infrastructure in an AI-driven world.

Key Takeaways:

- AI as a Force Multiplier: Enables 2–3× more threat hunts per analyst and achieves 86% detection rates (MIT AI[2]).

- Unified Security Frameworks: Integrating cloud-native and legacy systems reduces visibility gaps and accelerates recovery timelines.

- Automation Drives Efficiency: Increases analyst productivity by 50–60%, cuts false positives by 90%, and reduces incident response time by 50–70% (IBM X-Force, Gartner).

- Frontline Intelligence: AI-led systems enrich threat data in real-time, with platforms like AWS MadPot detecting 750M+ daily attacks.

- Workforce Enablement: AI reduces alert fatigue, improves job satisfaction, and delivers 86%+ detection accuracy via human-AI collaboration (MIT AI[2]).

Conclusion:

The "Intelligent Security Ecosystem" roundtable convened a dynamic group of cybersecurity leaders for an engaging exchange of strategies, insights, and forward-thinking innovation. As organizations continue to navigate an increasingly complex digital landscape, platforms like this are crucial for aligning efforts and shaping resilient, intelligent, and future-ready security frameworks.

At its heart, this event was more than just a gathering — it was a space where industry leaders, decision-makers, and innovators came together to exchange ideas, challenge perspectives, and unlock opportunities around building a robust intelligent security ecosystem. By curating a platform that fostered authentic conversations and meaningful connections, ObserveNow Media not only addressed critical industry challenges but also strengthened a growing community of like-minded professionals dedicated to driving change.