aws re: Invent

W P S 3 1 1

How public sector organizations enforce governance & compliance

Lee Petford

Snr. Solutions Architect Public Sector Team Amazon Web Services

Andrew Langhorn

Snr. Solutions Architect
Public Sector Team
Amazon Web Services





Agenda

- Introduction & scenario (Phase 1) 10 mins
- Workshop (Phase 1) 50 mins
- Break 5 mins
- Scenario (Phase 2) 10 mins
- Workshop (Phase 2) 50 mins
- Summary/Q&A 10 mins

Introduction



Infrastructure provisioning

AWS CloudFormation

AWS CDK

Terraform



Configuration management

AWS Systems Manager

- Session Manager
- Patch Manager
- Automation

AWS Config

AWS Lambda

PowerShell

Ansible



Monitoring & performance

AWS CloudTrail

Amazon CloudWatch

CloudWatch Application Insights for .NET and SQL Server



Security

AWS Identity and Access Management (IAM)

Amazon GuardDuty

AWS Security Hub

InSpec

Cloud Custodian



Governance & compliance

Amazon Inspector

Amazon EventBridge

AWS License Manager

AWS Config rules

Systems Manager

- Insights Dashboard
- State manager
- Inventory

Scenario—Phase 1

The development team within your large public sector organization has recently been provided with a new AWS account to build and deploy a new application. You have been tasked by your IT risk and compliance team to ensure that the new AWS platform conforms with the following internal security and governance policies:

- Must be continuously monitored for malicious activity and unauthorized behavior
- Logs all account activity
- Complies and provides a status of compliance to the CIS Benchmarks standards
- All access required to manage resources must be secure
- Prevents unauthorized exposure of company data

Workshop—Phase 1





Scenario—Phase 2

After successfully implementing Phase 1, the security team has requested some additional controls:

- Where applicable, AWS resources should have a default tag of the resource creator
- The ability to report on applications installed across the estate
- Continuously evaluate AWS resources for security compliance
- The ability to report and enforce software licensing

Workshop—Phase 2





Summary/Q&A





Thank you!







Please complete the session survey in the mobile app.



