

PCI Profile

Matt Aldy, PCI

As a senior special investigator for Mutual of Omaha Insurance Company, Matt Aldy, PCI, saw a good match between his daily job requirements and the Professional Certified Investigator (PCI) designation and decided to prepare for the exam last year. "My responsibilities include investigating all types of issues, ranging from HR-related matters to fraud concerns dealing with the products and services we provide as a company," says Aldy.

"The PCI certification brings a certain level of credibility to my position, especially when dealing with other colleagues and public law enforcement agents such as prosecutors and investigators. This credibility is also helpful in front of a judge and jury when I have to testify in a case," he states.

The benefit of this certification was also apparent to Mutual of Omaha, who paid for Aldy's review course and the testing fee for his PCI

exam. He was awarded the designation last September.

Aldy's career in security began in 1988, shortly after he earned his bachelor's degree in criminal justice from the University of Nebraska at Omaha, and his realization that he didn't want to work in the public sector.

"My father-in-law was director of security and special services at Union Pacific Railroad," says Aldy. "He got me

interested in a security career in the private sector."

After working in security in the banking industry, Aldy moved to a security job at Mutual of Omaha. Seven years later, he moved into investigations, where he has spent the last eight-and-a-half years of his career.

"Certification can open a lot of doors for you as well as continually educate you in a constantly changing corporate security environment," Aldy states. ■

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