

**CPP
PROFILE**

ASIS proudly congratulates the thousands of professionals who have sought and attained the CPP—the profession's highest recognition.



“Professional Distinction”

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Industry: Private, Enterprise wide security consultancy including Physical Security, Information Technology and Telephony.

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Years in Security: 20 **Year Earned CPP:** 1996 **Year Joined ASIS:** 1994

Why I pursued the CPP: “I was looking to validate the security experience and knowledge that I had gained in my career thus far. I wanted a measurable, reputable standard against which to assess my skills and expertise.”

How the CPP benefits me: “The value of the professional accreditation is often difficult to quantify. Peer recognition, professional distinction, and niche personal marketing are all factors. Personally, it is the knowledge that I can have confidence in the recommendations I make to clients.”

Value of the CPP: “To obtain and maintain the CPP credential, a practitioner must take security seriously and commit to a program of study and skills upgrading. All of this undoubtedly benefits the practitioner, their associates, their clients, and society at large.”

Why Security Professionals Pursue the CPP Designation: “The CPP is an unbiased standard by which individuals can measure their knowledge and expertise. It is a credential that recognizes you instantly as a security professional.”

Achievements: Mr. Tyson was past Chairman of the Canadian Pacific Chapter of ASIS International, and also the ARVP for the CPP Program Western Canada, as well as numerous Chapter positions. He is a college instructor for Physical and IT security training programs, and a published author on security management. He also participated in the 1999 international security delegation to Russia.

