In today’s business world, the vast majority of business communications, transactions and company data is created, transferred and stored in electronic format using a myriad of modern electronic devices. Mobile phones, PDAs, USB sticks and the like have all allowed businesses to operate on a more ‘global’ basis, but they have also assisted the wrongdoer in making information more accessible and transferrable.

Kroll Ontrack can provide the support your business needs to help reduce the risk associated with operating in an electronic environment. Our team of forensic experts and suite of services provide you with powerful tools to prepare for and respond to any electronic evidence requirement.

How can we help you?

Kroll Ontrack has a comprehensive range of forensic services to help organisations, and key individuals within those organisations, make informed decisions and mitigate potential electronic evidence risks. With locations in 24 countries, Kroll Ontrack offers the most comprehensive line of electronic evidence services in the market.

Our team of forensic experts have been involved in cases including:

» Intellectual property theft
» Suspected computer misuse
» Executive misconduct
» Employment dispute

With a full suite of services, Kroll Ontrack can assist and support you with any of your electronic evidence needs.

Computer Forensic Investigations

Kroll Ontrack’s Computer Forensic Investigation service is the process of extracting and analysing digital evidence. It focuses on where the evidence is located, how to access it, understanding what it shows and what to do with it.

The ability to handle digital evidence correctly and defensibly is vital when investigating any case. Our experts employ the correct techniques to carefully and accurately contain, preserve and extract critical evidence. This includes the implementation of a strict “chain of custody” procedure and audit trail throughout the analysis of the data.

They regularly appear as expert witnesses in both the civil and criminal courts and have experience in providing expert opinion on various computer related evidence.
First Responder Training

Kroll Ontrack’s First Responder Training prepares you to attend incidents that require an effective and efficient gathering of evidence of an employee’s IT environment.

This one-day course provides key personnel with an overview of the legal issues involved, computer forensic principles and the processes to be followed, as well as guidance on the key issue of how to ensure evidential integrity. It equips attendees with the skills and techniques to ensure they are able to secure electronic evidence in a competent manner. Such evidence may then be subsequently investigated in the knowledge that its integrity is sound.

Management Awareness Training

Kroll Ontrack’s Management Awareness Training gives senior management an overview of the risks, issues, responsibilities and requirements they face in the field of electronic evidence and computer forensics.

This two-hour course provides managers with an overview of the legal issues involved, common corporate scenarios, computer forensic principles and the high level issues to be addressed. It also outlines the processes to be followed when companies are faced with the need to gather electronic evidence, and the possible consequences of not following appropriate procedures.

Data Collections

Kroll Ontrack’s Data Collection service gathers electronic evidence and materials in a forensically sound manner as the foundation of an investigation, or for future use.

Forensic evidence collection is a critical platform for any further investigation and must be carried out by staff experienced and practiced in its collection and “chain of custody” process.

Electronic materials may be collected for cases of suspected misconduct or in support of wider litigation requirements (competition inquiries), mergers and acquisitions, corporate due diligence, company liquidations and as part of an employee exit strategy, to preserve any relevant intellectual property.

Tape Processing

With access to one of the most extensive and comprehensive collection of tape drives in Europe, including many devices no longer available in the marketplace, Kroll Ontrack’s Tape Processing service provides expertise and capacity to extract and process target data from one tape to potentially many thousands from an organisation’s archive. This can be particularly important in a legal context, where back up tapes may represent a significant store of potential evidence.

Using our in-house developed software, Kroll Ontrack can process and extract files from nearly every combination of tape and software without reverting to the original operating environment.

Readiness Review

Kroll Ontrack’s Readiness Review is a consultancy service that assesses your preparedness to deal with incidents that require the gathering and preservation of digital evidence.

A computer forensic consultant will carry out a comprehensive review of the current capability within your business. The consultant will meet relevant parties to understand the high level business needs for computer forensic activity. This will be followed by an examination of the processes and procedures currently in place, plus an assessment of the ability of your organisation to carry out such assignments. This includes a review of any past occurrences of computer forensic work.

At the end of the assessment, you will receive a Readiness Review report which details findings and recommendations by identifying best practice, missed opportunities, remedial actions and training requirements.

Consultancy

Kroll Ontrack’s Consultancy service assists your organisation by providing expert consultancy for any project where extra resources or high level independent experience is needed.

Computer forensics is a complex arena where the use of a third party independent expert is highly recommended. Our experienced experts can work closely with your staff to supplement your in-house expertise and will align their objectives exactly with your business’ requirements.

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