Electronic Security Consultant

ELECTRONIC SECURITY

Career level

Entry Level — Early Career — Mid Career — **Later Career**

Job Description

As an Electronic Security Consultant, you will be responsible for providing expert advice and guidance on electronic security systems and solutions to our clients as well as contributing to safeguarding of clients' assets and ensuring their peace of mind.

On the Job

As an Electronic Security Consultant, the day-to-day job responsibilities include:

- Being responsible for providing expert advice and guidance on electronic security systems and solutions to clients.
- Conduct thorough assessments of clients' security needs and requirements.
- Design and develop customised electronic security plans and strategies based on client specifications and industry best practices.
- Evaluate existing security systems and recommend necessary upgrades or improvements.
- Collaborate with clients, architects, engineers, and other stakeholders to integrate electronic security systems into new or existing buildings and facilities.
- Assist in the selection and procurement of electronic security equipment, ensuring compliance with industry standards and regulations.
- Performance test electronic security systems, including access control, CCTV surveillance, intrusion detection, and alarm systems.
- Provide comprehensive training and instruction to clients and end-users on the operation and maintenance of electronic security systems.
- Conduct regular system audits and inspections to identify vulnerabilities and implement corrective actions.
- Stay up to date with emerging technologies, trends, and regulations in the electronic security field to provide innovative solutions to clients.

Salary & Benefits

Your starting salary can vary because of factors like level of experience, training, or location. Your salary as an Electronic Security Consultant may increase over time as you build skills, knowledge and experience.

Weekly Pay: $2,600 – $3,000

Annual Pay: $135,000 – $160,000

Hours per week: 38

Hourly Pay: $68.00 – $80.00

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Entry Qualifications & Training

Being part of the security industry requires an individual to undertake his/her responsibility with a high degree of professionalism.

The requirements to become an Electronic Security Consultant include:

- Cert 1V Security Management
- Have previous work experience in a security role
- Meet probity requirements and criminal records check

Career Progression

With time and experience as an Electronic Security Consultant you can progress to a Senior Security Consultant, Project Manager, Security Systems Integration, Sales/Business development and Security Management. Or you can start your own Security Business.

Experience & Skills Required

Among the useful skills to highlight to your employer when applying for an Electronic Security Consultant role include:

- Expert knowledge of electronic security systems, including surveillance cameras, access control systems, alarm systems, and biometric technologies.
- Strong understanding of cybersecurity principles and the ability to assess and mitigate potential vulnerabilities in electronic security systems.
- Comprehensive knowledge of current and emerging technologies in the field of electronic security, including advancements in artificial intelligence, machine learning, and Internet of Things (IoT) devices.
- Proficiency in conducting security risk assessments and developing customised security solutions based on client requirements and budget constraints.
- Excellent problem-solving and analytical skills to identify security gaps, recommend appropriate countermeasures, and troubleshoot technical issues.
- Effective communication and interpersonal skills to interact with clients, understand their security needs, and present complex technical information in a clear and concise manner.
- Experience in project management, including the ability to create project plans, coordinate with different stakeholders, and oversee the implementation of electronic security systems.
- Familiarity with relevant industry regulations, standards, and best practices to ensure compliance and adherence to legal and ethical guidelines.
- Continuous learning and adaptability to stay updated with the latest trends and advancements in electronic security, as well as changes in the threat landscape.
- Ethical mindset and a commitment to maintaining client confidentiality and integrity while providing objective and unbiased security consulting services.

Getting Started

Electronic Security Consultant jobs are advertised under different job titles and can be found on online jobs or directly by employers. When looking on job boards, look for the following types of job:

Electronic Security Consultant
Cyber Security Consultant
Security Consultant

Useful Organisations and Links

- **ASIAL**
  asial.com.au
- **Security Licensing Information**
  asial.com.au/security_licensing_information
- **Security Training Requirements**
  training.gov.au/Training/Details/CPP
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