

SPEAKER PROFILE



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Featured Session

Governing AI Agents: The Expanding Role of RIM in the Autonomous Enterprise

Artificial intelligence is rapidly evolving from assistive tools to autonomous agents capable of generating content, executing tasks, and influencing decisions across the enterprise. This evolution is transforming how information is created, managed, and governed. This session explores the current state of AI, the rise of agentic systems, and the governance risks they introduce, including data proliferation, lack of transparency, and accountability gaps. It positions Records and Information Management (RIM) professionals at the center of this shift, outlining how core principles must evolve to govern AI-generated and agent-driven information. Ultimately, the presentation makes the case that RIM is not a downstream function in the age of AI, but a critical control layer ensuring that AI agents remain trustworthy, compliant, and auditable.

Areas of Focus

Information Governance, RIM, Data Privacy,
Cybersecurity, AI Governance, Policy
Alignment, Defensible Data Practices

KEY THEMES FOR ATTENDEES

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• AI agents and autonomous enterprise workflows• Records and Information Management control points• AI-generated and agent-driven information governance | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Transparency, accountability, and auditability• Prompt optimization and practical AI platform use cases• Ethical, defensible, and risk-aware adoption of AI |
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Professional Bio

Andrew Ysasi is a senior Information Governance executive with 25 years of experience advancing governance strategy, professional standards, and leadership across the Information Governance profession. As Vice President of Advocacy at Vital Records Control (VRC), he champions the IG profession by mentoring practitioners, delivering education, supporting clients, and promoting best practices that strengthen governance maturity across organizations navigating regulatory complexity, digital transformation, and emerging technologies.

Session Descriptions and Full Bio

Primary Session

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Additional Session Option

IG and Artificial Intelligence

Artificial Intelligence (AI) is no longer a distant trend - it is a powerful force transforming Information Governance (IG) and Records & Information Management (RIM). This engaging session demystifies AI by exploring key and emerging ISO standards, economic impact, and how organizations are leveraging AI tools to drive efficiency and innovation. Attendees will gain practical insights into AI platforms such as ChatGPT, Google Gemini, Perplexity, and Microsoft Copilot, with strategies for prompt optimization and real-world RIM use cases. The session also examines the rapid pace of AI evolution, including AI agents, and concludes with actionable steps, proven tips, and resources to help organizations harness AI ethically, effectively, and strategically.

Full Professional Bio

Andrew's influence spans the global Information Governance community. He serves on the ARMA International Board of Directors and as Treasurer of the ARMA International Educational Foundation (AIEF) through July 2026. He previously served on the Executive Committee of the Institute of Certified Records Managers from 2020-2023 and teaches in San Jose State University's nationally recognized MARA program, helping prepare the next generation of IG leaders to address data governance, privacy, cybersecurity, and AI-enabled systems. He is frequently invited to speak at industry conferences, professional forums, and organizational events, where he translates complex governance challenges into practical, defensible strategies.

A recognized thought leader, Andrew is the founder of Admovio® and a featured resume expert for CIO.com. His contributions include Records and Information Management, Third Edition, published by ALA Neal-Schuman, as well as ARMA's Information Governance Body of Knowledge (IGBOK) and Wiley's Information Governance, Second Edition. His work increasingly focuses on the intersection of Information Governance, data privacy, cybersecurity, and AI governance, emphasizing defensible data practices, policy alignment, and risk-aware use of advanced technologies. He holds a Master of Science in Administration from Central Michigan University, a Bachelor of Science in Information Technology, and executive certificates in Data Analytics from Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania and in Data Privacy Strategy from Cornell University.