



# Your CEO: A Security Weak Link?

Making cybersecurity a priority should start at the top. Unfortunately, in many cases, this isn't happening.

## HERE'S A REALITY CHECK:

37%

of global IT orgs view their CEO as a **CYBERSECURITY WEAK LINK**

31%

of C-level execs are likely to have **ACCIDENTALLY SENT SENSITIVE DATA** to the wrong person



20%

report a C-level exec **SENT SENSITIVE DATA IN RESPONSE TO A PHISHING EMAIL** in last 12 months

40%

believe their CEO **UNDERVALUES ROLE OF EMAIL SECURITY**

## FOUR TIPS TO CLOSE THE GAP:

1. Ensure security expertise on leadership team
2. Place cybersecurity in your risk mitigation function
3. Have C-level set the tone for security awareness
4. Benchmark security programs against peers



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\*Research from Mimecast-commissioned Vanson Bourne survey of 800 global IT decision-makers.

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