Diligent – Technology Driven Governance: Preparing the Board for the Future

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Introductions



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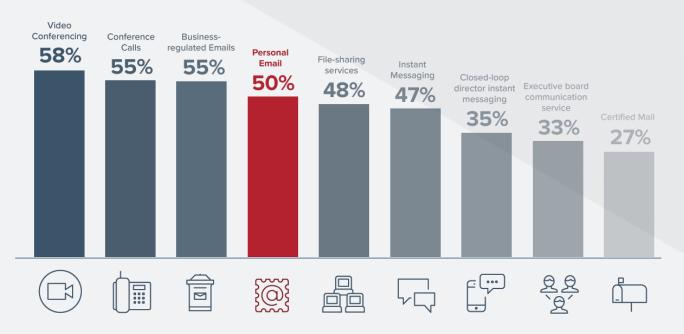
Agenda

- What practices & technology are boards currently using?
- Current struggles with security and compliance
- The Governance Cloud and how technology can solve governance deficits
- Modern Governance
- Questions & Answers

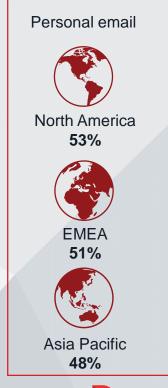


50% of firms are using personal email for internal communication

What methods are you currently using for internal board communication?



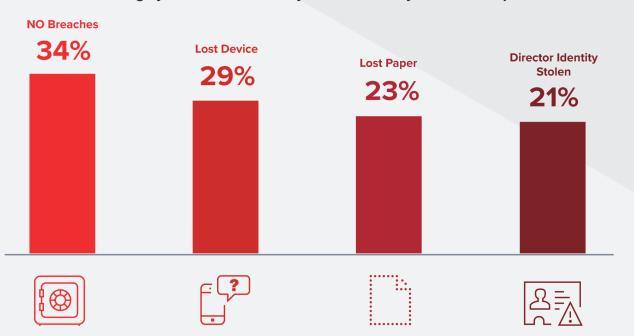
- Usage of personal email for sensitive board communication was high at 51% in EMEA, North America at 53% and 40% in APAC.
- Technology is an ever-present medium in the boardroom and misuse of technology in the boardroom can put your **organisation at risk.**

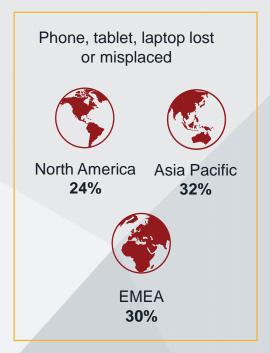




Misplacing physical items is a common security incident

Which of the following cyber risks or security breaches has your board experienced in the last 12 months?





Base: 411 global executive board decision makers

Source: A commissioned study conducted by Forrester Consulting on behalf of Diligent, August 2018



Foundational modern governance solutions for Boards and Executives

Secure distribution, collaboration, and discussion of board meeting materials and minutes is a key priority for general counsels, corporate secretaries and board members. The foundation of Governance Cloud enables secure, efficient board meeting processes.



Diligent Boards

Executives and board directors rely on the industry-leading Diligent platform for the most secure and intuitive solution to board material management and collaboration.





Diligent Messenger

extends Diligent's trusted security solution to communications outside the boardroom, providing the safest, smartest way to communicate about sensitive board issues.





Diligent Minutes is a minutetaking and action management workflow tool that makes meeting minute-taking more efficient, via powerful features that are integrated directly into the Boards platform and workflow.



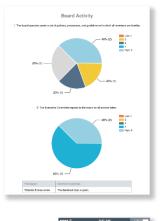
Good governance extends beyond the boardroom

Diligent's secure, intuitive tools extend beyond the boardroom to enable efficient and productive board collaboration and compliance before, after and in between meetings.





Diligent D&O moves D&O reporting into one convenient, secure, online location in real time, reducing the time and resources required to fulfill these responsibilities.



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Diligent Evaluations is an all-in-one board evaluation tool designed to enable administrators and directors to manage and analyse board assessments and performance more efficiently.



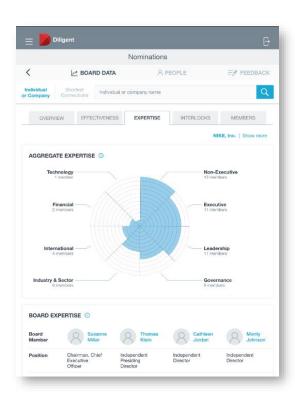
Diligent Voting

Board and committee members use built-in Voting to make decisions on resolutions and action items from anywhere in the world on any device, with results viewable in real time.



Committees require specialised governance applications

Enabling your Nomination &
Governance committee with the same information that proxy advisors, shareholders and potential activists investors already access is a capability that is critical to good governance in public companies.





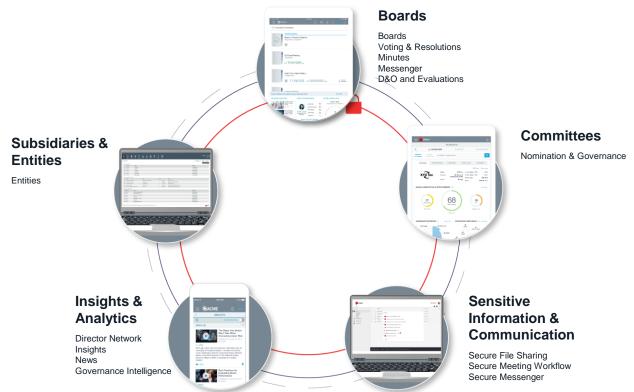
Diligent Nomination &
Governance application
enables your Nom Gov
committee to review and
compare your board's
composition and effectiveness
against others to identify areas
of opportunity or potential risk,
analyse director networks and
relational paths to help build a
more diverse board, track news
and board updates, and more.

A light version of the Nominations & Governance application, **Director Network**, is include with Boards.



Diligent Governance Cloud™

Powering Modern Governance





Diligent by the Numbers



Client retention rate 99%

Over

600,000

Board members, executive and administrator users

90+
Countries

Some of our clients Africa:

Questions

Let's take some time to address your questions.









Next Steps

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- Read success stories from our existing clients
- Schedule a demonstration with Diligent.

