



Jeffrey Johnson, President and CEO, SquirrelWerkz

Mr. Johnson is the President and CEO of SquirrelWerkz Cyber, Competitive, and Economic Threat Intelligence Management Solutions. He has spent his career focusing on understanding and solving the threats posed by nation-state sponsored, cyber-enabled market manipulation and fraud campaigns.

Mr. Johnson has led efforts to formalize investigative methods to prevent, detect, and prosecute those responsible for nation-state sponsored market manipulation and fraud campaigns. He draws upon his 30 years of successful cyber-security and crime, intelligence, and financial services experience to consistently deliver highly innovative cross-discipline cyber and economic risk management, threat intelligence, and active/passive counter-intelligence solutions.

Over the past four years, Mr. Johnson's case work, analysis, and research has resulted in the completion of two major studies used by key government leaders from the defense and intelligence communities, Congress, and the White House to improve the nation's strategy and approach regarding cyber activities, campaigns, and damages. These studies represented the accumulation and summation of more than twenty industry campaigns and sub-campaigns and involved work in more than forty nations.

Mr. Johnson previously served as an Executive Director within the cyber risk advisory practice of Ernst & Young, where he led the development and implementation of the firm's Cyber Economic Risk Solution Model. Before that, he served in key leadership roles in support of the Department of Defense's Task Force for Business Stability Operations in Iraq.

Mr. Johnson earned his bachelor's degree from Excelsior College in Albany, New York.

Mr. Johnson briefed the Commission in 2016.