

Kevin Mitnick

World's Top Cyber Security Speaker

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About Kevin Mitnick

There is no one like Kevin.

Kevin Mitnick is the world's most famous hacker, bestselling author, and the top cyber security speaker. Once one of the FBI's Most Wanted because he hacked into 40 major corporations just for the challenge, Kevin is now a trusted security consultant to the Fortune 500 and governments worldwide.

Kevin mentors leaders, executives, and staff on both the theory and practice of social engineering, topics on which he is the leading global authority. Kevin also helps consumers—from students to retirees—learn how to protect their information and themselves from harm.

As the CEO of Mitnick Security Consulting, Kevin, and The Global Ghost Team™ now maintain a 100 percent successful track record of being able to penetrate the security of any system they are paid to hack into using a combination of technical exploits and social engineering. Also in his role of Chief Hacking Officer of KnowBe4 he helps produce critically acclaimed security awareness training programs to counteract social engineering and to improve security effectiveness.

Kevin is a global bestselling author and his books are availability in over 50 countries and 20 languages. His works include *The Art of Intrusion: The Real Story Behind the Exploits of Hackers, Intruders and Deceivers* and *The Art of Deception: Controlling the Human Element of Security*, which are mandatory readings for security professionals. His autobiography, *Ghost in the Wires: My Adventures as the World's Most Wanted Hacker* is a New York Times bestseller and his latest work released in 2017 is *The Art of Invisibility: The World's Most Famous Hacker Teaches You How to Be Safe in the Age of Big Brother and Big Data*, a ground-breaking book on privacy.

As a one-of-a-kind public speaker, Kevin's presentations are akin to technology magic shows which include the latest hacking techniques that educate and inform while keeping people on the edge of their seats. He offers expert commentary on issues related to information security and increases "security awareness". Kevin has been a commentator, security analyst, or interview subject for almost every major news outlet around the globe.

Select Keynotes

- **Create affinity with the top knowledge expert**

You will provide a moderator, who, we suggest, should be part of your closing team for enterprise clients after the event, to be on stage with Kevin. This will help to create affinity for your team and recognition of the individual.

Your audience will easily grasp your concepts as Kevin showcases current hacks both he and his team use during penetration testing to evaluate his clients' networks, systems and devices for security vulnerabilities. He'll also stand side-by-side with you to help elevate the services, competency and message of you and your team because of his own first class reputation as a world authority on cybersecurity.

Create an unforgettable message from an unforgettable event experience.

- **de GHOST IN THE WIRES: Go on the Run with the Most Wanted Hacker in the World The Catch Me if You Can of the Modern Age**

Treat yourself to an unforgettable experience. Come on the run and escape with Kevin as he takes you on this hilarious and mind-boggling



adventure based upon his New York Times bestselling autobiography, *Ghost in the Wires: My Adventures as the World's Most Wanted Hacker*.

- **Don't just tell them... show them!**

Kevin stands alone in the world of cyber security speakers. This presentation will provide you the advanced ability of making your talking points come alive on stage. In this very popular scripted Q&A format you'll coordinate pre-arranged questions with Kevin so that he'll have amazing hacking demonstrations to illustrate the key answers and event messaging. Your audience will be more attentive as they are engrossed within a unique experience akin to a "technology magic show".

- **This is the Story the Government Doesn't Want You to Know.**

Kevin is a master storyteller who puts you right in the action of this sophisticated cat-and-mouse game that led authorities through false identities, jumping from city to city, plenty of close shaves, and ultimately, a bizarre showdown with the feds. He was the most elusive computer break-in artist in history. Although he never stole for financial gain or damaged systems, he did hack into the NSA and more than 40 major corporations just for the fun and adventure. He spent years skipping through cyberspace, and no matter how fast the authorities were, Kevin was faster, using technology not only to evade but also to spy on and track his pursuers. His story—packed with hysterical pranks and fear-driven hysteria—actually started a movement and changed how companies secure their information. Would you like to see a real ghost?

Select Book Titles

- **2017:** *The Art of Invisibility: The World's Most Famous Hacker Teaches You How to Be Safe in the Age of Big Brother and Big Data*
- **2012:** *Ghost in the Wires: My Adventures as the World's Most Wanted Hacker*
- **2005:** *The Art of Intrusion: The Real Stories Behind the Exploits of Hackers, Intruders and Deceivers*
- **2003:** *The Art of Deception: Controlling the Human Element of Security*

Select Articles

- [Hackers and governments can see you through your phone's camera – here's how to protect yourself](#)

Most people know that computers can have malware, but did you know your cell phone is also vulnerable? Kevin Mitnick, notorious hacker and author of the book "The Art of Invisibility," explains two easy ways that someone might hack into your phone. Whether it's a jealous spouse, the CIA, or a nation state, here's how they might do it and how you can protect yourself.

- [3 Online Security Tips from the World's Greatest Hacker](#)

As our technology gets better, so do hackers. Way too many Americans have had their personal information stolen by computer thieves and we don't want to see you become a victim. So how do you keep yourself safe? Kristina Guerrero talked to hacking expert Kevin Mitnick, once named "The World's Greatest Hacker", to find out the three best things you can do to stay safe online.

Select Testimonials

"Kevin Mitnick, world-renowned hacker and security expert, entranced an audience of over 1500, including 1000 US Naval Academy Midshipmen, at the United States Naval Institute's Conference on cyber security. His presentation explained the dangers of social engineering and how individuals can reduce the risks having their personal information and online accounts stolen. During his demonstration, he showed how readily information can be gathered by hackers using perfectly legal means from any organization's forward facing servers. He additionally showed a Midshipman how easily he could, through readily accessible and legal means, obtain personal information stored on the Internet. Mitnick was exciting and provided real-world information that not only informed but entertained the audience. He left the Academy a buzz as word of his presentation spread and had the Midshipmen asking for additional sessions with him!"

— *CAPT Steven "Doc" Simon, USN Director, Cyber Security Center United States Naval Academy*

"Delegates at the event gave Kevin a rating of 98% for content and 98% for delivery. I'm sure you will agree with me the scores were sensational."

— *Joyce Ong, Marketing and Communications, Accenture*

"If hackers were rock stars, Kevin Mitnick would be Mick Jagger"

— *Mathew Dunn, Technology Editor at News.com*

"In our world, Kevin Mitnick is our David Beckham or LeBron James."

