

Hrafnkell V. Gíslason - CV

Hrafnkell V. Gíslason was appointed the CEO of the Electronic Communications Office of Iceland - ECOI (formerly the Icelandic Post and Telecom Administration) in 2002. The ECOI hosts the CERT-IS function in Iceland, is the National Regulatory Authority for Electronic Communications and serves as the co-ordination body for critical infrastructure protection as stipulated in the NIS law. Hrafnkell has been a member of the National Cyber Security Board, National Communications boards and has been involved in strategic development of the communications market in Iceland for over 2 decades. Hrafnkell has served twice on the board of BEREC; the EU Body of European Regulators for Electronic Communications.

Hrafnkell graduated in 1983 with a BSc degree in computer science from University of Iceland and in 1986 with MSc in computer science from University of Pittsburgh, PA, USA.

Prior to his appointment Hrafnkell worked in the ICT sector in Iceland for over 2 decades in various management positions. Among the positions he has held is CTO at the State and Municipal Data processing Center in Iceland (Skyrr, now Advania) for 10 years. During this time the company was transformed from a centralized IBM mainframe environment into a modern network based environment including over 5000 active end users. Hrafnkell also served in the position of VP of Software Development for 3 years at an international software company specialized in solutions for the mobile data market.

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