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CASE STUDY: VULNERABILITY MANAGEMENT

Financial asset management firm secures web-based applications

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COMPANY SUMMARY

A leading investment management company with more than 1,700 professionals. The company provides solutions across equities, fixed income, hedge funds and private equity, and has $205 billion in assets under management.

CHALLENGE

The company's clients increasingly wanted anytime, anywhere access to their investment portfolios. The company needed to deliver Internet-facing applications while protecting sensitive customer information.

SOLUTION

As part of their overall security strategy, the company ensured that security checks happened throughout the lifecycle of web applications development and deployment. The company adopted Unified VRM, web application module. Unified VRM integrated with their federated identity to allow cross-team collaboration on security items. According to a Project Manager, *"With Unified VRM, we now perform on-demand security checks for our web applications."*

BENEFITS

More secure applications. Instead of dealing with security issues after the fact, the company implemented a process that puts security at the forefront of the development cycle.

Cross-team collaboration. Developers, project managers, and security analysts can collaborate on security projects. Unified VRM provided an efficient way to provide a consistent view of vulnerabilities and help disparate teams track progress toward resolution.

Safeguard their reputation. As an investment management company, protecting customer information is of the utmost importance. Unified VRM provided the company with a proactive process to address potential vulnerabilities during the development stage and ensure fewer vulnerabilities on an ongoing basis. Matt, Director of IT Security stated, *"In a short period of time we've seen significant positive changes in how our internal teams collaborate on security. That is good return on investment for both us and our customers."*

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