

# Managing Cyber Risk: A Handbook for German Boards of Directors

**Principle 1:** Boards need to understand that cybersecurity is not just an IT issue

**Principle 2:** Boards should be aware of existing legal issues in cybersecurity

**Principle 3:** Boards should have adequate access to cyber expertise

**Principle 4:** Boards should demand from management a framework for cybersecurity

**Principle 5:** Boards should demand from management a clear and comprehensive cyber risk assessment

**Principle 6:** Boards should encourage systemic collaboration

