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Srinivas Poosarla is Vice President and Head (Global), Privacy & Data Protection at Infosys, based in Bangalore, responsible for ensuring Infosys' compliance to Data Protection Regulations globally, in over 30+ countries. In his career span of 28 years which includes about 9 years at Tata Steel, he was associated in various capacities with a diverse set of enterprise functions such as Quality Management, Manufacturing, Risk Management and Governance for Information Security, Business Continuity, Intellectual Property and Security Incident Management, apart from Data Privacy.

Srinivas has been playing active role in privacy initiatives both in India and the international fora. He is a designated expert in the Data Privacy working group of ISO's SC27 committee, involved as one of the key players in shaping up standards on data privacy and is currently co-editor of two standards. He is convener of the committee formed by BIS (Bureau of Indian Standards) to draft Data Privacy Standard along with experts from the Industry. He is member of the IAPP's (International Association of Privacy Professionals) Asia Pacific Advisory Board and has been designated "Fellow of Information Privacy" (FIP) by IAPP. He regularly speaks at conferences on data privacy topics and contributes to publish articles.

Srinivas is a B.Tech from IIT, Varanasi and has data privacy certifications relevant to his profession, such as CIPP, CIPT, DCPD and DCPLA.