

ALAN

DATA PROTECTION OFFICER



SPECIALISMS

- ✓ Charities & Not-for-Profits
- ✓ Healthcare
- ✓ Marketing
- ✓ NHS Data Security and Protection Toolkit (DSPT)

LANGUAGES

- ✓ English

PROFILE

Alan is a CIPM and CIPP/E certified Data Protection Officer (DPO) with extensive experience working for global organisations across multiple sectors, including Charities. He's a collaborative relationship builder who applies his in-depth knowledge to tackle data protection and AI governance challenges, delivering pragmatic and accessible support and advice.

With meticulous attention to detail, Alan thrives on instilling a compliance culture for clients via audits, training, and team policy development. He uses his leadership skills to guide teams towards achieving compliance, while ensuring businesses can deliver ongoing commercial success.

QUALIFICATIONS

- ✓ CIPM
- ✓ CIPP/E
- ✓ ISO 27001 Certification
- ✓ AI Governance Practitioner

SAMPLE EXPERIENCE

As a results-driven DPO, Alan has provided practical and comprehensive data protection solutions for clients in the SaaS, Not-for-Profit, and Marketing sectors. His broad scope of work includes building end-to-end privacy frameworks, managing complex Data Protection Impact Assessments (DPIAs), Records of Processing Activities (RoPAs), and supporting international data flows.

Alan possesses invaluable industry experience, previously leading a team of DPOs and managing a portfolio of clients across multiple sectors. He has also served as a DPO and Information Governance Manager for a major UK charity, where he transformed their GDPR compliance framework, supported their Data Security and Protection Toolkit (DSPT), and influenced board-level data strategy.

Alan also led the management and development of the privacy team for a leading security and compliance software provider, delivering advice and guidance on platform content.