informandi ltd
added value from information

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What can informandi do for me?
informandi is an IT company, specialized in intelligent and value-adding information systems, services and products, offering professional services, consultancy, software development and training, including IT forensics, eDiscovery and information and IT compliance and security.

We target mainly B2B customers. Although we are Cyprus-based (Paphos region), we will work with clients from various jurisdictions, and may be open for travel, if needed.

How can I contact informandi?
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So how does that solve my problem at hand?
Tell us about your challenges and what you want to achieve. We will listen and if it falls within our competency, we might be able to provide you with valuable insights and new directions, approaches and solutions. Or we can refer you to someone in our network.

You need ...	We offer ...
... specific information and want to outsource to a specialist for information research, to find out, broker, compile, process, produce for you and provide you with the information and content you need?	Information research, information brokerage services and matchmaking, provision and brokering of information, content or digital media, supported by IT
... a professional to improve knowledge management in your organization?	Knowledge management services
... an expert and consultancy in information technology (IT) and business informatics to tackle a challenge related to information-centric IT-based services, systems and products, be it strategy, content, organization, human factors or technology and their interplay ... conceptual and technological support in the provision of your information products and services?	Professional services and consultancy in information-centric, value-added, IT-based services, systems, and products. Review, design, architecture and implementation. This includes semantic technologies for knowledge networks, semantic networks, interlinked open data, or knowledge portals
... more intelligent information services using AI (artificial intelligence)	Consulting, development and integration of AI-based, intelligent information services into your environment. Not only LLM. E.g. for contextualizing, combining and adapting information
... to fix or extend a legacy program? ... a new, tailored software or application (standalone, client-server, web or mobile). Command line tools? GUI? A format converter? Task automation? Glue to make your incompatible legacy systems speak with each other? Tells us, from simple to complex projects	Software development and programming for your products and solutions. We are open for various technical options in the tech stack, but love Raku (and Perl), REST-APIs, and HTMX.
... to gain reactively clarity of facts about what happened in a situation of business fraud / business crime, non-compliance, or you want to check and improve your readiness preventively. You need to review a large amount of documents?	Professional service and consultancy in IT forensics, computer forensics, digital forensics, including incident response (DFIR), of all kind, including e-discovery, background research, internal investigations, and reports.
... to obtain the status of your information and IT security and your maturity and readiness in this area, or to know what happend in an IT security incident	Professional service and consultancy in information and IT security, cybersecurity, secure IT and information systems. Security planning and security by design. Data protection, penetration testing, social engineering and reports
... knowledge and training on the above topics	Training both in-person and in digital form
... a paid speaker at an event on the above topics	Invited lectures / talks in English and German

Which are examples of sectors which could benefit from informandi's services?

In general, almost every sector could benefit, since our offer is across industries. From startup to long-established. However, here are some prominent examples:

- companies intending to gain new information or leverage their information treasures
- organizations in need of specialized programs or automation
- information centres and providers of information services and complex, networked content, e.g. publishers, database producers, cultural institutions with large collections
- audit, legal, and compliance organizations with fraud and non-compliance cases in need for IT forensics and eDiscovery
- IT providers with clients requiring more secure systems or having security incidents

What is the idea of informandi's motto?

If you choose informandi, you will obtain "added value from information". This is not only a reference to informational added value theory in information science, but also refers to practical gains you will enjoy from our information systems, services and products.

What does the company's name *informandi* stand for?

It is derived from the Latin word *informare*, which means "to inform" or "to shape". *informandi* is the gerundive form, indicating in the context of information an obligation, necessity or purpose, thus implying "of informing" or "to be informed", or "for the purpose of informing". In this sense, it emphasizes the act or process of conveying knowledge, shaping, or instructing. **This is the value proposition we want to bring to you: changing and shaping knowledge processes, and also offering you training.**

And what about sigillum?

Some word play here. The director's last name is *Sigel*, a variant of seal or sign, which in general stands for quality, authenticity and approval ("you can take my word for it"), and is used in this form in library science as individual sign or code identifying an institution. *Sigillum* as diminutive is a small seal or sign. This is not only used in heraldics, but also stands for legitimacy, and, in esoteric and occult traditions, a *sigillum* refers to a symbol or design supposedly having mystical or magical power. We finally arrive at *sigils*, which in programming are special symbols or characters that are added to variables, constants, or other elements to convey specific meanings or functionality. They are often used to differentiate between types of variables, references, or scopes. **In sum, you can expect quality work from information to programming. We cannot do magic, but from time it might appear we used some magic powers. :-)**

What is the qualification of informandi's director Alexander Sigel?

In a nutshell: University master's degree in information science, computer science (including AI) and business economics, in-depth experience with various research and applied information centers, including information brokering and information agents, some years research and teaching assistant at a university chair for information management in business informatics, in several IT consultancies and professional service organizations, including some years IT forensics with a Big4, strong background in information and semantic knowledge services on the internet, knowlege organization and management, and Semantic Web technologies, programmer, entrepreneurial experience, and at last 12 years owner and CEO of an IT forensic and IT security expert witness company, fighting business crime, non-compliance and insecure information and IT systems. Now on a mission to bring value to your business.