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## The Institute of Operational Risk

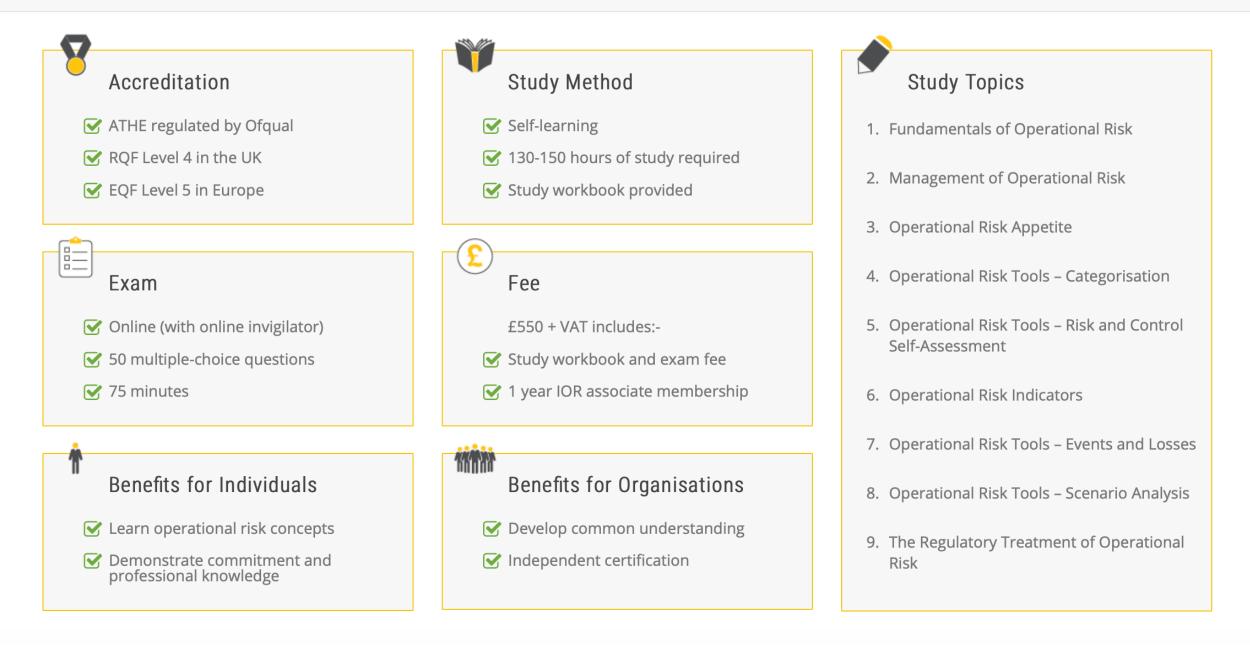
- The IOR was founded in 2004
- The IOR evolved from the think tank ORRF set up by Brendon Young in 1998
- **Mission**: 'The stated mission of the Institute is to promote the development and discipline of Operational Risk and to foster and maintain investigations and research into the best means and methods of developing and applying the discipline and to encourage, increase, disseminate and promote knowledge, education and training and the exchange of information and ideas.'
- The IOR joined the IRM Group in 2019
- **Membership:** Associate, Professional and Fellow plus Corporate Memberships
- What do you get: 1. Events; 2. SPGs; 3. Networking community; 4. Newsletters; 5. Jobs site; 6. Access to IRM member benefits (including SIG and RIG events).
- England & Wales delivered 10 events in 2019 hosted/ sponsored by the likes of Deloitte, the UK FCA, Protecht, Xactium and Protiviti

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- In 2018 we launched a Certificate in Operational Risk Management (CORM)
- The self-study Workbook contains 9 chapters covering all key operational risk management concepts. The concepts are covered using theory and practical examples.
- As a CORM student you also get 1 year Associate level membership of the Institute of Operational Risk (unless you are already a member of the Institute).
- This provides free access to the Institute's Sound Practice Guidance documents and free attendance for any event hosted by the IOR (and IRM).

#### Certificate in Operational Risk Management

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## IOR England & Wales Chapter Webinar Operational resilience – expectations and challenges 10 June 2020 14.00 - 15.00 BST

In this webinar, we will hear from experts in operational resilience to understand the regulatory expectations and explore the key challenges in delivering operational resilience. The speakers include:

- Sarah Black, Deloitte Partner, Risk Advisory
- David Goodyear, NDS Consulting Ltd Founder

Thibeli Malebo MBCI, Standard Bank in South Africa - Group Head of Business Resilience





## **Operational Resilience - Expectations and Challenges**

- 1. Sarah Black
- 2. Thibeli Malebo
- 3. David Goodyear
- 4. Q&A

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#### **Operational Resilience**

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# Welcome and introduction





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#### Operational Resilience | The journey so far...





The UK financial services sector has experienced market shocks as diverse as the global financial crisis, technology failures, cyber-attacks and the recent COVID-19 pandemic. This has focused regulatory attention on firms to improve their operational resilience.

**Technical Innovation** System Complexity New forces are creating Increased data availability new demands for operational risk Changing demands management in Challenging Environment financial services. **Consider risks more** 88 broadly The Board must be 688 involved Assume severe

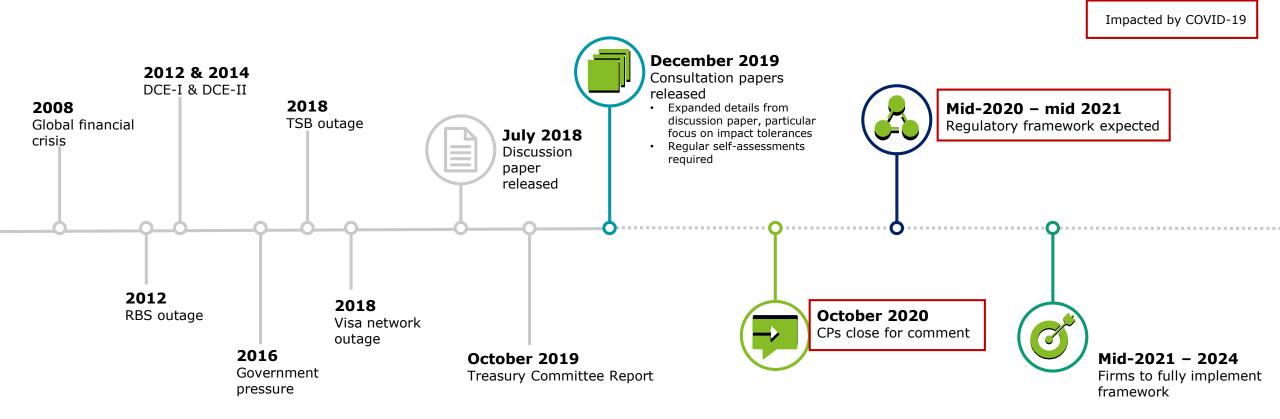
disruption will happen

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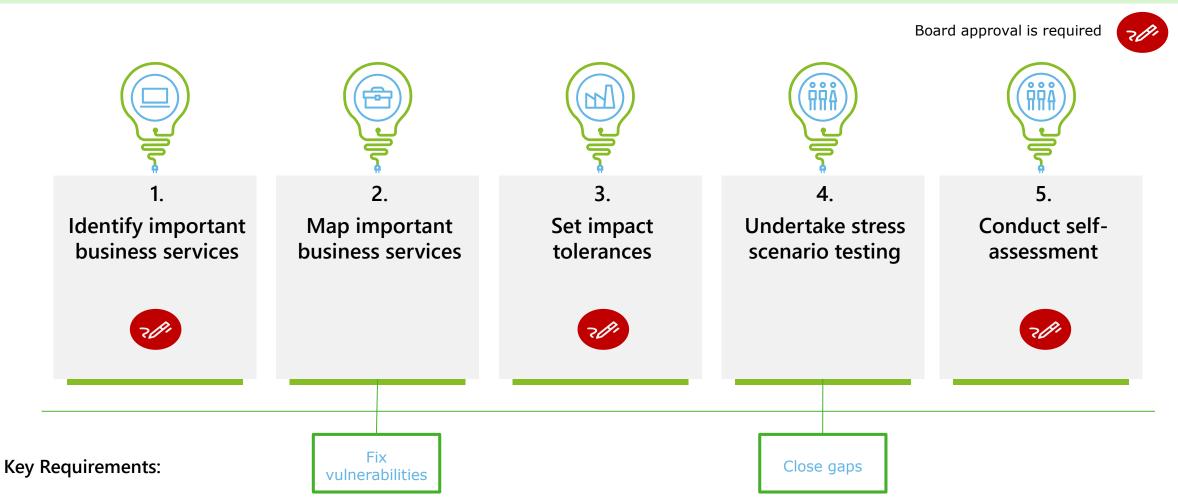
In July 2018 the Regulators jointly published a Discussion Paper, 'Building the UK financial sector's operational resilience'. On 5 December, the UK's financial regulators, the Bank of England (BoE), Prudential Regulation Authority (PRA), and Financial Conduct Authority (FCA), published a series of consultation papers (CPs) on their proposed approach to operational resilience in the financial sector.



#### **Operational Resilience | Five practical steps**

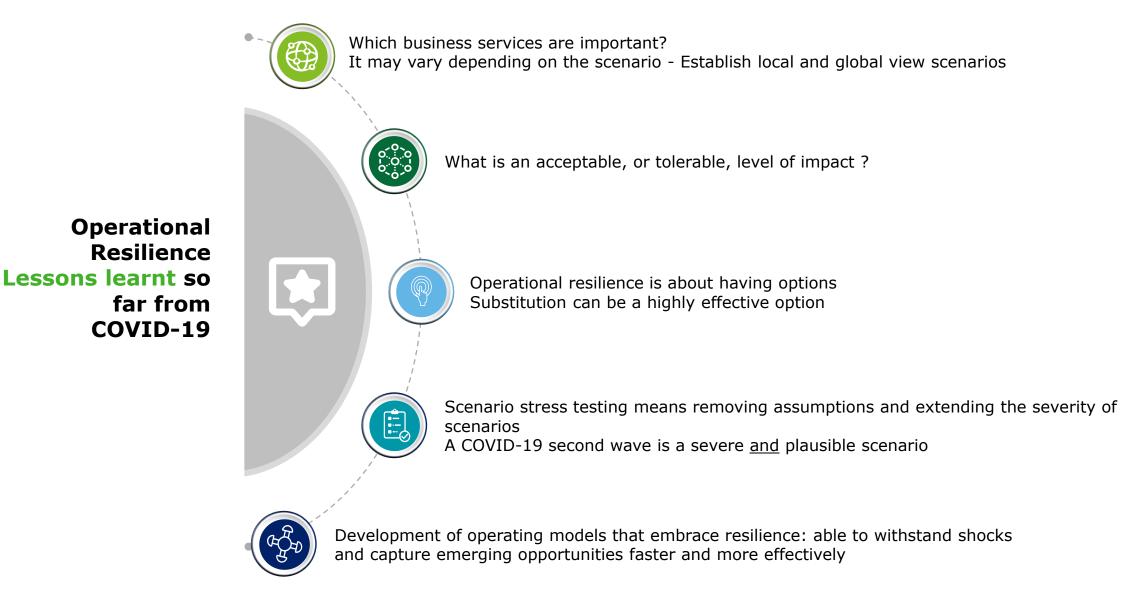


The Regulator defined Operational Resilience as "the ability of firms and the financial sector as a whole to prevent, adapt, respond to, recover and learn from operational disruptions". Resilience will be the ability to absorb and survive.



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The UK is headed for a recession in 2020 even with unprecedented government spending. The scale and duration of **economic disruption remain uncertain.** 

Organisations have the opportunity to both embrace and encourage change - this may include adopting remote working, encourage accelerated customer digital adoption and digital capabilities to support resilience. This change will drive both benefits and stresses for employers and employees alike.

### Closing remarks and takeaways

Banks could use the context of COVID-19 and the conditioning of digital interactions to **break the inertia of digital adoption** and build in '**Resilience by Design**'

#### Sector specific pieces have recently been issued by Deloitte Insights



#### <u>COVID-19 potential implications for the FS sector collection (2020)</u>

Learn what questions banking and capital markets, insurance and investment management leaders should be asking themselves right now and what action steps they should consider in the face of COVID-19.

https://www2.deloitte.com/global/en/insights/industry/financial-services.html?icid=subnav\_financial-services



#### COVID-19 and operational resilience in the financial sector (2020)

Learn about the direction of regulatory policy on operational resilience and the impact COVID-19 on the financial services sector.

https://www2.deloitte.com/si/en/pages/about-deloitte/articles/COVID-19-operational-resilience-financial-sector.html



#### Preparing for the 'next normal'

Learn about the Modified Resilient Operations and what organisations may need to do to prepare for the period of uncertainty that is likely to follow as the governments lift the restrictions.

https://www2.deloitte.com/uk/en/pages/risk/articles/preparing-for-the-nextnormal.html?id=uk%3a2sm%3a3li%3a4dcom\_share%3a5awa%3a6dcom%3arisk

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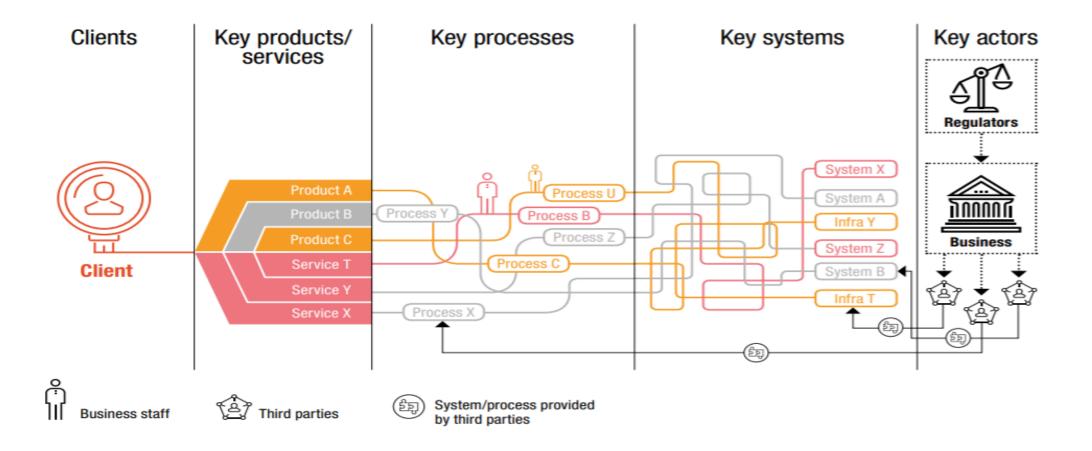
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#### **Operational Resilience**



- Ability to:
  - Prevent
  - Adapt
  - Respond
  - Safeguarding people, assets and the brand

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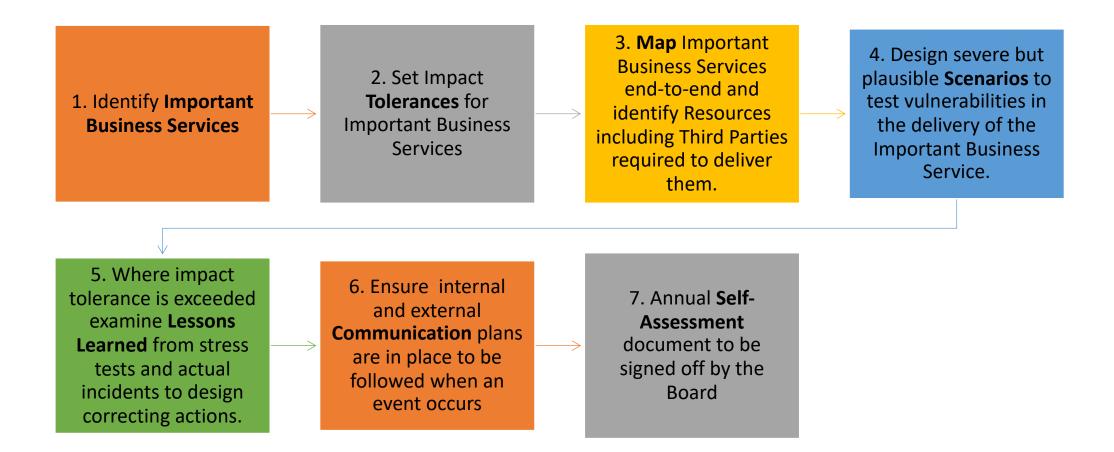


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**David Goodyear - Founder** 

## **Operational Resilience - Key Steps**





Fragmentation and Duplication – avoid creating duplicative 'Resilience Risk' Functions, repeating the errors of conduct 'risk'.



Failure to leverage the Operational Risk Management Framework – operational resilience is an outcome delivered through the ORM framework.

#### Implementation

### Avoiding the Pitfalls



SMF24 (COO) or SMF4 (CRO) working in isolation rather than in partnership to deliver resilience.



'Reinventing the wheel' – failure to leverage existing frameworks and tools, including BCM, crisis management, vendor management, cyber security, information security and so forth.



'Getting into the weeds!' Avoid the temptation to introduce unnecessary complexity and granularity (especially in the mapping of resources to business services).



Lack of senior management buy-in



Governance over Operational Resilience will be incorporated into the existing Governance framework



The current state for Operational Resilience may be quickly and accurately assessed

### Assumptions to Deliver

# But are they true?



The roles of 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> lines of defense for Operational Resilience are clearly understood



A largely fit for purpose control and risk mitigation framework already exists supported by a strong risk and compliance culture



Sufficient resource and budget to deliver the project will be available including secondment of staff or appointment of contractors if required



The requirements to achieve Operational Resilience from both a regulatory and practical perspective are clearly understood



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