Raoul "Nobody" Chiesa was born in Torino, Italy, in 1973. After being among the first Italian hackers back in the 90's (1986-1995), Raoul decided to move to professional InfoSec, establishing back in 1997 the very first vendor-neutral Italian security advisory company.

The company used to operate worldwide, being as well the oldest ISECOM (Institute for Security and Open Methodologies) Training Partner for the OPST, OPSA, OPSE and OWSE international security certifications, which all derivate from the worldwide know security testing standard "OSSTMM" (Open Source Security Testing Methodology Manual).

Raoul is among the founder members of CLUSIT (Italian Information Security Association, est. 2000) and he is a Board of Directors member at ISECOM, CLUSIT, OWASP Italian Chapter, Italian Privacy Observatory (AIP/OPSI). Both Raoul and its security team work on research areas such as X.25 and PSDN networks, VoIP Security, Malware Analysis, Cybercrime Intelligence, Threat Agents Profiling, Social Engineering, SCADA & Industrial Automation/Home Automation, Satellite communication, Mobile Security, SS7 threats, Cloud Computing and much more.

Since year 2001 he is a regular Speaker and Key Note at official and underground security events such as: Hack in the Box (HITB), CONFidence, Hackito Ergo Sum (HES), National Security Observatory at the Italian MoD, Security Summit, CCDCoE/NATO, World Institute for Nuclear Security (WINS), India's Hacking conferences (Club Hack; C0c0n; nullcon), Italian Senate, HackCon Norway, Hacktivity Hungary, RACVIAC Croatia, Swiss Cyber Storm, Secure Poland by CERT-PL, GOV.CERT-NL, SANS, ESA (European Space Agency), ISF China (Internet Security Forum), IDC China (Internet Data Centers Conference) and much more.

Since year 2003 he started its cooperation with the UN agency "UNICRI" (United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute), working on "HPP", the Hackers Profiling Project run by ISECOM and UNICRI; in 2005 he has been official recognized as an cybersecurity advisor. Nowadays his role at UNICRI is "Special Advisor on Hacker's Profiling".
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The PSG is composed of 30 high-level experts who have been appointed by the Executive Director of ENISA to serve as a sounding board for all relevant stakeholders on issues concerning network and information security. The mandate of the Members of the PSG is 2.5 years and Raoul's one has been renewed (2012-2015).

On March 2012 Raoul left its operating duties at its original company, and became a Principal at Cyberdefcon Ltd. UK, a consulting firm operating in the fight against cybercrime, mainly working on Cyber Intelligence.

On November 2012 he launched "The Security Brokers", an innovative global think-tank firm, totally focused on specific issues, with an international team of high-level InfoSec professionals.

Raoul publishes books and white papers in English and Italian language as main author or contributor, and he's a regular contact for worldwide media (newspapers, TV and bloggers) when dealing with Information Security issues and IT security incidents.