Cybersecurity Directorate

Cyber IT and Cybersecurity Workforce Resource Guide

Who We Are

CYBERSPACE IT WORKFORCE: Personnel who design, build, configure, operate, and maintain IT, networks, and capabilities. This includes actions to prioritize portfolio investments; architect, engineer, acquire, implement, evaluate, and dispose of IT as well as information resource management; and the management, storage, transmission, and display of data and information.

CYBERSECURITY WORKFORCE: Personnel who secure, defend, and preserve data, networks, net-centric capabilities, and other designated systems by ensuring appropriate security controls and measures are in place, and taking internal defense actions. This includes access to system controls, monitoring, administration, and integration of cybersecurity into all aspects of engineering and acquisition of cyberspace capabilities.

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICE (DON CIO): The DON CIO develops strategies, policies, architectures, standards and guidance, and provides process transformation support for the entire Department of the Navy. You will find key documents and info at www.doncio.navy.mil.

NAVAL INFORMATION FORCES (NAVIFOR) CYBER IT AND CYBERSECURITY WORKFORCE You will find pertinent Navy resources for the Cyber IT and Cybersecurity Workforce Qualification Program at: https://usff.navy.deps.mil/sites/NAVIFOR/manpower/cswf/SitePages/Home.aspx

USMC CYBER IT AND CYBERSECURITY WORKFORCE You will find pertinent Marine Corps resources for the Cyber IT and Cybersecurity Workforce Qualification Program at: https://eis.usmc.mil/sites/c4/cy1/Pages/WF.aspx

USMC INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT (ITM) COMMUNITY OF INTEREST (COI): The USMC ITM COI group provides a platform to get information, ask questions, and get feedback on a variety of issues facing the USMC cyberspace workforce. For more information contact Pete Gillis, COI Community Manager at peter.l.gillis@usmc.mil and visit: https://www.milsuite.mil/book/groups/usmc-information-technology-management-community-of-interest

DEPARTMENT OF NAVY CREDENTIALING OPPORTUNITIES ON-LINE (DON COOL): DON COOL contains resources and information on credentialing and the military for decision makers, leaders, agencies and other interested parties. This information can be accessed via the top navigation menu on this site. The **NAVY COOL** and **MARINE CORPS COOL** sites contain a variety of service-specific information about certifications and licenses related to military occupations. For more information, please visit: http://www.cool.navy.mil/

FEDERAL VIRTUAL TRAINING ENVIRONMENT (FEDVTE): FedVTE is your online, and on-demand cybersecurity training system. With courses ranging from beginner to advanced levels, FedVTE exists to help the workforce maintain expertise and foster operational readiness. You may register at: https://fedvte.usalearning.gov/

NATIONAL DEFENSE UNIVERSITY iCOLLEGE (NDU iCOLLEGE): The NDU iCollege educates and prepares selected military and civilian leaders and advisors to develop and implement cyberspace strategies, and to leverage information and technology to advance national and global security. For more information, please visit: http://icollege.ndu.edu/

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NAVAL POSTGRADUATE SCHOOL (NPS) DISTANCE LEARNING: NPS is dedicated to providing relevant, high quality education, anytime and anywhere. A variety of delivery methods are utilized to expand learning beyond the traditional classroom. For more information, please visit:
https://my.nps.edu/web/dl/search-dl-programs

INFORMATION ASSURANCE SUPPORT ENVIRONMENT (IASE): Provides access to a variety of cybersecurity training, education, awareness, and various other topics. For more information, please visit: http://iase.disa.mil/Pages/index.aspx

NATIONAL INITIATIVE FOR CYBERSECURITY CAREERS AND STUDIES (NICCS): The NICCS site provides a compilation of training, formal education, and workforce development for cybersecurity professionals. For more information, please visit:
https://niccs.us-cert.gov/

CYBERSEEK: CyberSeek was developed to help close the cybersecurity skills gap, The site provides detailed, actionable data about supply and demand in the cybersecurity job market. For more information, please visit: http://cyberseek.org/

CYBERCAREERS.GOV: The CyberCareers site provides specific cybersecurity information and resource portals to job seekers, managers and supervisors. For more information, please visit: https://www.cybercareers.gov/
on, please visit: http://icollege.ndu.edu/