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## **ISSA Special Interest Groups**

<https://www.members.issa.org/general/custom.asp?page=ISSASpecialInterestGroups>

ISSA has many opportunities for members to form and participate in global initiatives and working groups. As a member, you can choose to be active in one or more of these Special Interest Groups (SIG).

### **Women in Security Special Interest Groups**

Mission: Develop global women leaders and build a stronger community to create a compelling environment around cybersecurity and technology.

### **Privacy Special Interest Group (SIG)**

This group is dedicated to providing privacy relevant topics to security professionals through thought leadership and a knowledge-sharing platform. The Privacy SIG will be hosting quarterly webinars and providing concise and timely privacy-related information.

### **Cyber Resilience Special Interest Group (SIG)**

Mission: Build a global community of Cyber Resilience professionals in order to share actionable best practices to protect our organizations from cyber-attacks on high value assets.

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# Free Security Training

- **Fortinet - Advanced training for security professionals, Technical training for IT professionals, and Awareness training for teleworkers:**  
<https://www.fortinet.com/training/cybersecurity-professionals.html>
- **Cambridge - Software and Security Engineering:**  
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- **Palo Alto Network - Free Cybersecurity Education for ALL:** <https://www.linkedin.com/pulse/free-cybersecurity-education-all-florian-buijs/>
- **6 Free Cybersecurity Training and Awareness Courses:**  
<https://www.darkreading.com/threat-intelligence/6-free-cybersecurity-training-and-awareness-courses/d/d-id/1337781>
- **Cybrary Makes 500+ Hours of Premium Training Content Free to Address Cybersecurity Skills Shortage:** <https://www.cybrary.it/blog/500-hours-free-content-to-address-cybersecurity-skills-shortage/>

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# FREE Cyber Security Certifications/Training

- 1. [Introduction to Cybersecurity](#)
- 2. [Cybersecurity Essentials](#)
- 3. [Networking Essentials](#)
- 4. [Intro to Information Security](#)
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- 6. [NSE 1,2 & 3](#)
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- 12. [Network Defense Essentials \(NDE\)](#)
- 13. [Ethical Hacking Essentials \(EHE\)](#)
- 14. [Digital Forensics Essentials \(DFE\)](#)
- 15. [Dark Web, Anonymity, and Cryptocurrency](#)
- 16. [Digital Forensics by Open Learn](#)
- 17. [AWS Cloud Certifications \(Cybersecurity\)](#)
- 18. [Microsoft Learn for Azure](#)
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- 20. [Android Bug Bounty Hunting: Hunt Like a Rat](#)
- 21. [Vulnerability Management](#)
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- 23. [Developing Secure Software](#)
- 24. [PortSwigger Web Hacking](#)
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- 26. [Splunk](#)
- 27. [Secure Software Development](#)
- 28. [Maryland Software Security](#)
- 29. [Cyber Threat Intelligience](#)

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## Upcoming Summits



Summit & Training events provide an immersive training experience that arms attendees with deep-knowledge and actionable information and has a lasting impact on their careers and their organization's security programs. <https://www.sans.org/cyber-security-summit>

Event	Location	Dates
Cybersecurity Leadership Summit	Virtual	Summit: Thursday, May 16
Ransomware Summit	Virtual	Summit: Friday, May 31
ICS Security Summit & Training	Orlando, FL & Virtual	Day 0: June 16 Summit: June 17-18 Training: June 19-24
Neurodiversity in Cybersecurity Summit	Virtual	Summit: Thursday, June 27
SSA Managing Human Risk Summit 2024	Norfolk, VA & Virtual	Summit: Jul 29-Aug 7
Digital Forensics & Incident Response (DFIR) Summit & Training	Salt Lake City, UT & Virtual	Summit: Aug 22-23 Training: Aug 24-29
CloudSecNext Summit & Training	Denver, CO & Virtual	Summit: Sept 30-Oct 1 Training: Oct 1-7

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## Free Training in AI courtesy of NVIDIA.

1. Generative AI Explained - • Generative AI and how it works. • Various Generative AI applications. • Challenges and opportunities in Generative AI - Link: <https://lnkd.in/gTAJ-sKa>
2. Building A Brain in 10 Minutes - • Exploring how neural networks use data to learn • Understanding the math behind a neuron - Link: <https://lnkd.in/gvVrqwZF>
3. Augment your LLM with Retrieval Augmented Generation - • Basics of Retrieval Augmented Generation • RAG retrieval process • NVIDIA AI Foundations and RAG model components - Link: <https://lnkd.in/g8hYube9>
4. AI in the Data Center - • AI use cases, Machine Learning, Deep Learning, and their workflows. • GPU architecture and its impact on AI. • Deep learning frameworks, and deployment considerations - Link: <https://lnkd.in/gvNzawxe>
5. Accelerate Data Science Workflows with Zero Code Changes - • Learn benefits of unified CPU and GPU workflows • GPU-accelerate data processing and ML without code changes • Experience faster processing times - Link: <https://lnkd.in/gRmxxVn8>
6. Mastering Recommender Systems - • Strategies from Kaggle Grandmasters on building recommendation systems for e-commerce. • Cover 2-stage models, candidate generation, feature engineering, and ensembling - Link: <https://lnkd.in/gdHTJbVS>
7. Networking Introduction - • Learn about networks and their importance. • Explore Ethernet basics and data forwarding in Ethernet networks. • Discuss network components, requirements, OSI model, TCP/IP protocol - Link: <https://lnkd.in/gqX2CJMu>
8. How to Perform Large-Scale Image Classification - • Learn large-scale image classification • Cover challenges, modeling techniques AND validation strategies. - Link: <https://lnkd.in/gWRSha8P>



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## ISSA Central MD 2023 Meetings and Events

Date	Speaker	Organization	Topic
April 24, 2024	Dawn Greenman	Johns Hopkins Applied Physics Laboratory (APL)	Federal Government Proposed Cybersecurity Regulations and False Claims Risks
May 22, 2024	Kyle Krause	Magna5	
June 26, 2024	Phillip Payne	Cybersecurity & Information Systems Information Analysis Centers (CSIAC)	Jumpstarting your Research with the DoD Cybersecurity & Information Systems Information Analysis Centers (CSIAC)
July 24, 2024	Amy Hamilton	DOE	Internet of Things
August 28, 2024	Bradley Williams	Sonicwall	

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## **Dawn Greenman, Program Manager for Cybersecurity Compliance and Supply Chain Risk Management (C-SCRM). Johns Hopkins Applied Physics Laboratory (APL)**

Dawn Greenman is the Program Manager for Cybersecurity Compliance and Supply Chain Risk Management (C-SCRM) for Johns Hopkins Applied Physics Laboratory (“APL”). Ms. Greenman oversees the cybersecurity compliance strategy across the organization to ensure APL can meet its information technology mission needs. Ms. Greenman is a subject matter expert in the federal regulations to protect controlled unclassified information. She is a trusted partner to government and to industry. In her role as program manager, Ms. Greenman supports sponsor work related to the design and implementation of the new Department of Defense cybersecurity program, Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification (CMMC). Further, she leads working groups with peer organizations to collaborate on cybersecurity threats, risks and compliance while identifying ways to improve cybersecurity of small-to-medium businesses in the defense industrial base.

Prior to her 18-year tenure at APL, Ms. Greenman held a variety of Information Technology positions with small to medium businesses where she drove organizational change through the use of information technology. She has designed and delivered data centers, implemented major ERP systems, assured information technology compliance with Sarbanes Oxley, and built world class Help Desk teams.

Dawn holds an undergraduate degree in Information Systems with a concentration in Homeland Security and an Executive Masters of Business Administration from The University of Maryland Robert H. Smith School of Business. She is a Certified Information Security Professional (CISSP) and holds the GIAC Security Essentials (GSEC) certification.

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## **Federal Government Proposed Cybersecurity Regulations and False Claims Risks**

Are you aware of the cybersecurity regulations proposed by the Federal Government? As more businesses shift towards digital operations, it's crucial to stay informed about the evolving cybersecurity landscape. In addition to protecting your business from cyber threats, failing to comply with these regulations could also put you at risk of facing false claims allegations. Let's learn more about this important topic together.

This session will include an overview of the CMMC rule, the proposed FAR rule for Software Bill of Materials (SBOMs), FedRAMP equivalency requirements for contractors, and the potential consequences of False Claims Act.

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