

February 2021

### **NCyTE NEWS**

# National Cybersecurity Virtual Career Fair scheduled for September 17

Tell your students to mark their calendars for the National Cybersecurity Virtual Career Fair on Friday, September 17, 2021, hosted by the NCyTE Center and the CAE in Cybersecurity Community.

The event, formerly called the CAE in Cybersecurity Virtual Career Fair, is open to students and alumni from more than 300 institutions designated as Centers of Academic Excellence in Cyber Defense (CAE-CD), Research



(CAE-R), and Cyber Operations (CAE-CO), and institutions in the CAE Candidates Program (pending approval).

As the CAE in Cybersecurity program has continued to designate new CAEs, the number of participants in the annual event has grown over the past four years. More than 1400 students and alumni participated in the 2020 virtual career fair.

The virtual event has proven to be a effective way to connect qualified new graduates and interns with employers. Both employers and students rated the 2020 career fair positively in follow-up surveys. Many students find job opportunities through the virtual career fair, and many employers return each year to participate.

The 2021 National Cybersecurity Career Fair is funded through a partnership between the NCYTE Center at Whatcom Community College (National Science Foundation Grant #1902329) and the CAE in Cybersecurity Community at California State University San Bernardino (National Security Agency Grant #H98230-20-1-0292).

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#### **February Member Webinar**

# Learn how to help students grow their skills through cybersecurity competitions

NCyTE members can still register to attend tomorrow's Member Webinar at 9 a.m. Pacific time, about cybersecurity competitions and the role they play nationwide in helping students grow their cybersecurity skills.

Guest speaker Dr. Dan Manson is the commissioner and co-founder of the <u>National</u> <u>Cybersecurity League</u> (NCL), a biannual competition open to U.S. high school and college students.



Save the date for next month's Member Webinar on March 19, featuring NCyTE Co-PI Stephen Miller of Eastern New Mexico University—Ruidoso. Mr. Miller will present on how colleges and universities can access resources and benefit from hosting <a href="NCyTE-sponsored Industry Night events">NCyTE-sponsored Industry Night events</a>.

Register



Designed by teachers and cybersecurity experts to align with various portions of curricular frameworks.





### **NCyTE NEWS**

## Join waitlist for future NCyTE workshops on Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification

NCyTE members wanting to attend one of the Center's free two-day workshops about teaching the Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification (CMMC) should sign up on the online waitlist.

Based on demand, NCyTE leaders will decide whether to offer additional virtual workshops. Previous workshops have filled to capacity.

2-DAY
CMMC WORKSHOP

Exploring the Cybersecurity

Maturity Model

Certificate

Videos of a CMMC workshop held in December are now available on the <a href="NCyTE website">NCyTE website</a>, as is an IMS Common Cartridge file of the Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification (CMMC) course.

The course was funded by a grant from the National Science Foundation.

Register



#### **NOTE TO MEMBERS**

If this newsletter looks a little different from previous issues, it's because NCyTE Center is sending it from a new membership management application. The new system allows only one email address per member contact, so NCyTE has prioritized .edu email addresses of contacts at member colleges and universities. If you need this newsletter and other emailings to be sent to an alternate email address, please notify NCyTE staff by emailing <a href="mailto:info@ncyte.net">info@ncyte.net</a>. Thank you.

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