

## Deep Dive into National Centers of Academic Excellence (NCAE-C)

Learn about the National Centers of Academic Excellence (NCAE-C) in Cybersecurity designation during NCyTE's monthly member meeting on November 18th. Since launching in 1999, the Centers of Academic Excellence (CAE) in Cybersecurity program has benefited thousands of students, faculty, employers, and higher education institutions across the United States.

Corrinne Sande, NCyTE Principal Investigator/Director, and Stephen Troupe, [CAE Candidates National Center \(CCNC\)](#) Associate Director will present on the CAE program's evolution, impact, quality of standards, and the many opportunities it offers for colleges and universities. Faculty and administrators from community colleges, technical colleges, and universities are encouraged to attend.

*\*There will not be an NCyTE monthly member meeting in December. The next meeting will be held in January 2023, stay tuned for details!\**

**Register Now!**



## Join NCyTE at the 2022 NICE K12 Conference!

Collaborate and learn with K-12 educators, industry partners, and government leaders for two days of keynotes, panels, sessions, and discussions on December 5-6, 2022, in St. Louis, Missouri. Online conference registration is still open, [register now!](#)

NCyTE Center Consultant, Dr. Deanne Cranford-Wesley will be moderating a panel titled, [Integration of Cybersecurity Content into a Non-cyber course: Pitfalls and Successes](#) on behalf of NCyTE at the conference. The panel will be held on Monday, December 5, and will focus on the challenges, successes, and impacts of integrating cybersecurity content in K-12 courses. Be sure to join the panel discussion at the

conference and connect with the NCyTE team at our NICE K12 exhibitor booth!

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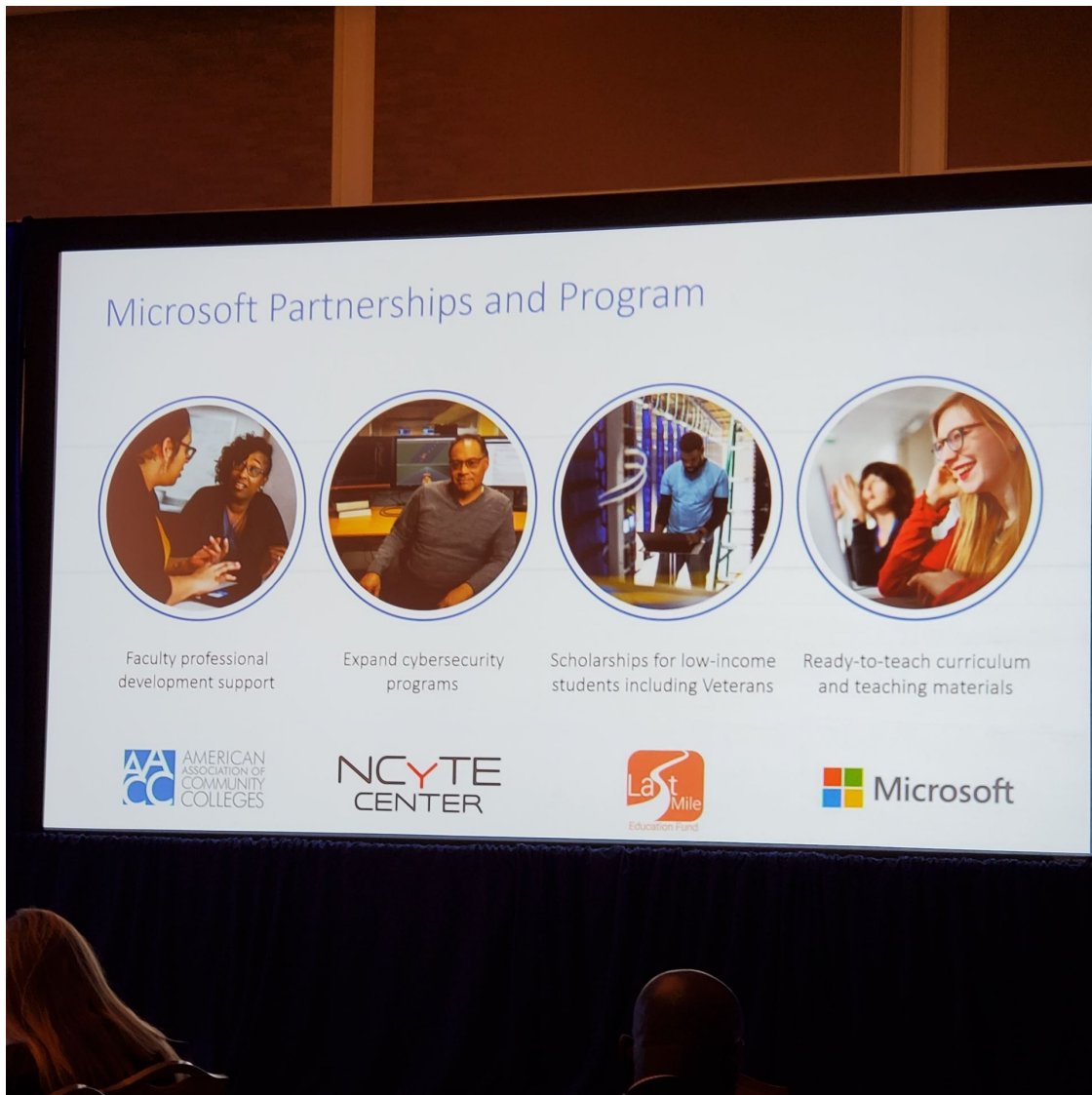


### **Share this scholarship opportunity with cybersecurity students!**

Our friends at Last Mile Education Fund have partnered with Microsoft to address the diversity and talent shortages in the cybersecurity workforce by offering financial assistance to students enrolled in a cybersecurity-related program at two-year institutions in the United States.

It is simple to apply to receive this financial assistance. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis. For more eligibility information or to apply, visit the [Microsoft Cybersecurity Scholarship Program](#) page on the Last Mile Education Fund website.

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## Connection and Collaboration at the 2022 ATE PI Conference

NCyTE leaders conducted several forums and exhibited at the annual National Science Foundation [ATE Principal Investigator's conference](#) in Washington, DC, October 26-28. NCyTE forums focused on a new initiative the Center is pursuing to develop curriculum and train faculty on cybersecurity applications in manufacturing and other STEM disciplines.

The conference was well attended by individuals representing the NSF, NSF projects, and NSF center leaders across disciplines. During the conference's closing plenary talk, Allyson Knox, senior director of education policy for Microsoft's US Government Affairs division, acknowledged the 'fantastic work' that Corrinne Sande and the NCyTE Center

 NCyTE Welcomes New Members

## NCyTE Welcomes New Members

NCyTE would like to welcome new members that joined our center this fall. We look forward to a long and productive relationship, and thank you for your commitment to cybersecurity education.

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### **CMMC 2.0 Workshop in November – FULL! WAITLIST AVAILABLE**

Help us gauge interest in future CMMC 2.0 workshops by signing up for the [waitlist](#).

NCyTE is offering the Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification (CMMC) 2.0 workshop on 11/29 – 11/30. This workshop is intended for those unfamiliar with the CMMC framework and who would like to learn the basics, and those familiar with the original framework and want to learn about the updates included in CMMC 2.0.

NCyTE Co-PI Dr. John Sands will provide participants with an in-depth overview of the certification framework, including updates that affect contractors working with the Department of Defense. Faculty and professionals in cybersecurity and information technology are encouraged to attend. The workshop and materials are free.

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The [National Cybersecurity Training & Education \(NCyTE\) Center](#) advances cybersecurity education in the U.S. by investing in technological innovation, resources, professional development and tools to support faculty, community colleges and the workforce pipeline of tomorrow.

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