

Cybersecurity Workshop



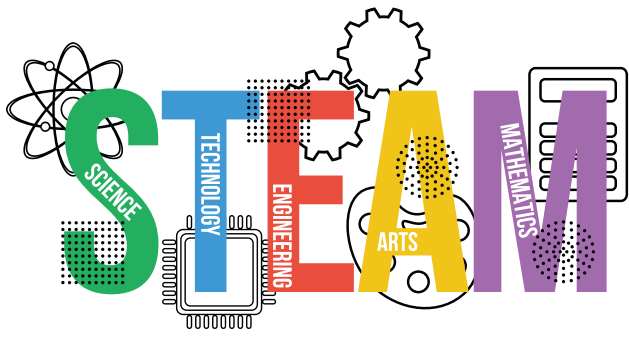
Securing the Future: Navigating the Evolving Threat Landscape

August 29-31, 2023

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SCHEDULE-AT-A-GLANCE

STEAMhack Chain Reaction Challenge

TUESDAY, AUGUST 29TH | 1:00 P.M. – 4:00 P.M.

📍 Monarch III | Awards Ceremony at 5:00 P.M.

The STEAMhack™ Chain Reaction Challenge is a speed-building event where teams of 3–6 high school students receive a kit of materials and about 3 hours to build the most impressive chain reaction-style machine.

This year, students will have to “Catch a Meteor” by building machines to launch and catch a meteor, and integrate the reason for catching a meteor into the story described by the team prior to the triggering of the chain reaction.

Please join us for the Awards ceremony after the competition at 5:00 P.M.!



EVENTS

DAY/TIME

Registration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday, August 28 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Tuesday – Thursday 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Tutorials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tuesday, August 29 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. / 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Exhibit Hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wednesday, August 30 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Thursday, August 31 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Technical Sessions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wednesday, August 30 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Thursday, August 31 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Opening Ceremony & Keynote Speakers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wednesday, August 30 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
Featured Speakers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wednesday, August 30 10:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Cocktails with the Exhibitors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wednesday, August 30 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Featured Speakers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thursday, August 31 8:00 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.
Panel: Cyber T&E of Generative AI Systems	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thursday, August 31 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Closing Keynote	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thursday, August 31 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENTS

The Workshop will contain some **Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI)** presentations, which will limit participation to U.S. citizens who are employees of the U.S. Federal Government or its contractors (C), or employees of the Department of Defense or its contractors (D). DoD common access cards (CAC) or personal identity verification (PIV) will be required for entry. If you do not have a CAC/PIV and submitted a Visit Request by the deadline, your name will be on the approved list of attendees.

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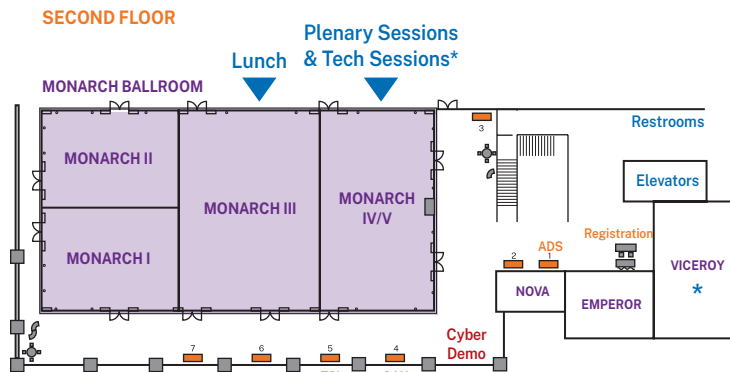
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Exhibitors

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- Geeks and Nerds (GAN)..... 4
- Technical Systems Integrators..... 5

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A Cyber Attack Experience

Simulation of live cyber attacks against emulated DoD-representative systems (sponsored by DoD's **Cyber Red Zone** cyber training activity)

Audience members will get a bird's eye view of actual DoD penetration testers conducting cyber attacks accompanied by explanation of attack goals and methods.

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 29

MORNING TUTORIALS | 8:00 A.M. TO 12:00 P.M.

Cyber Operations Lethality and Effectiveness (COLE) — How to Estimate Cyber Effects for Adversarial Offensive Cyber Operations

📍 Viceroy

Charles Fisher & Kira Lindke, Applied Research Associates, Inc.

The Joint Technical Coordinating Group for Munitions Effectiveness (JTCG/ME) in concert with Applied Research Associates (ARA) will provide a hand-on demonstration of Cyber Operations Lethality and Effectiveness (COLE). COLE is a mission planning tool that enables users to model cyber networks, characterize properties and associated uncertainties, and model the effects of capabilities against those networks. COLE is the only accredited weaponizing and mission planning tool for estimating cyber effects for offensive cyber operations. The application sits on a National Information Exchange Model (NIEM) based data standard and is recognized as the standard for defining cyber networks and capabilities under the official cyber Joint Munitions Effectiveness Manual (JMEM).

COLE's **Network Characterization** function allows users to create, manipulate, and share portrayals of network topologies for use in planning Offensive Cyberspace Operations (OCO). Users leverage the best available intelligence to identify node properties and related uncertainties.

COLE's **Mission Planning** function enables planners to devise attack options and routes through an adversary's network to meet commander objectives within guidance limitations. Attack options for individual nodes using pre-loaded OCO capabilities and TTPs are rank-ordered by Probability of Effect. Mission Planning outcomes predict the probability of achieving a desired effect against selected target nodes.

Mission planners use COLE to adjudicate attack paths that consider the dynamic state of the target. The COLE State and Functional Models capture changes in the network over time and allows OCO efforts to consider stealth, access, operational impact, and risk when calculating the probability of effect. Further, this allows users to simulate and examine nth order cascading effects of cyber attacks, multiple courses of action, and different weapon-target pairing schemes for execution.

COLE's Principal Investigator will be providing a hands on overview and training of the COLE functions to interested DoD personnel, using COLE's general training version.

Lessons Learned from Safety Science Applicable to Cyberspace Test and Evaluation

📍 Monarch IV

Michael Lilienthal, PhD, CTEP, CPE, EWA-GSI

Several studies and subject matter experts have concluded most cyber breaches are caused by human error. Program managers developing new weapon systems find the human error causal factor very seductive. Unfortunately, fixing only human error symptoms can easily become a continuous fight without identifying and mitigating contributory root causes. Safety engineers who also examine human error as part of accident investigations and hazard analyses repeatedly find complex systems almost always fail in complex ways. Safety engineering objectives dovetail with those of cybersecurity to achieve the goal of

Tutorials

a high level of functional safety and cybersecurity resiliency during conception, design, operation, testing and maintenance of cyber-physical systems. The value that the safety science approach adds to cybersecurity is determining why people behaved in the way they did and what weaknesses in the system allowed the breach (loss/accident) to occur. Cybersecurity tests can benefit from the progress safety science has made in its methods of accident investigations and hazard analysis to supplement their analysis of emerging systems for cyber vulnerabilities and cyber survivability.

The tutorial reviews a case study of an actual cyber incident as well as a real world example of a naval incident to provide context for the T&E of a system that includes the human operating subsystem (HOS). Current directives and MIL-STDs for the HOS relevant to cybersecurity will be discussed. Categories of errors users make along with intentional and unintentional violations that contribute to a cybersecurity breach will be discussed. We will discuss how the effects of fatigue, system usability, workload, mental models, training, and the like will alter the cyber vulnerability and resiliency of a SUT. This will provide suggestions for the design and execution of OT&E. Class demonstrations will illustrate aspects of the limitations of human cognition, fatigue, mental models, and memory to reinforce the tutorial. Tools used for aircraft accident investigation and hazard analysis will be presented as potential frameworks to complement cyber resiliency especially in the context of a mission/system of system T&E.

The challenges of evaluating human teaming with autonomous and automated systems for cyber vulnerabilities will be discussed along with other emerging technologies being introduced to the multidomain battlespace.

Mission Based Cyber Risk Assessment (MBCRA) Tutorial and Exercise using the Unified Risk Assessment and Measurement System (URAMS)

📍 Monarch V

William "Data" Bryant, Technical Fellow, MTSI

Mission Based Cyber Risk Assessments (MBCRA) help set the foundation of good cyber testing by focusing limited test resources on the most significant risks. There are numerous MBCRA approaches available including Cyber Table Tops (CTT) and the Mission-based Risk Assessment Process for Cyber (MRAP-C). The Unified Risk Assessment and Measurement Process (URAMS) is another MBCRA and while it is lighter weight and faster than some methods, many of the principles and techniques use apply broadly across many different MBCRAs.

URAMS starts with an engineering analysis, and our preferred tool is Systems-Theoretic Process Analysis for Security (STPA-Sec). This tool was developed from leveraging the safety analysis work done at MIT and has since been used with great effectiveness across a range of military weapon systems and civilian aerospace systems. STPA-Sec is grounded in systems engineering and is focused on mission-level losses as the true drivers of relevant security design. STPA-Sec also enables analysis of a system's security posture early in the lifecycle, which enables true "baking in" of security.

From the analysis, a set of risk scenarios are developed that are specific to the system under consideration and its expected operating environment. Then, those risk scenarios are scored using any of a wide range of available scoring tools. URAMS scoring tools are characterized first by the model of risk and what factors are assumed to contribute to overall risk, and second by the type of input. Inputs can be provided as single point values, single point values with a confidence, three-point estimates, or 90% confidence intervals. Selection of input type depends on the training and experience of the assessors, as well as how important uncertainty is to the decision

makers. While human subject matter experts (SMEs) are utilized as the basis for scoring in URAMS, automated and algorithmic based approaches can and should be used to inform those SMEs.

The risk scenarios can then be combined utilizing a simple Monte Carlo simulation to determine what the overall risk is for a system or portfolio of systems. The ability to combine risk facilitates building a structured assurance case that includes the analyzed mission structure connected to the specific risk scenarios and their scores, which flow up through the mission elements to the overall system. Perhaps most importantly, specific evidence such as testing results, design features, etc., can also be added to the assurance case to validate the risk scores. The assurance case is presented in a format that allows decision makers to rapidly assess whether the scoring is reasonable, based upon their understanding of the mission and the evidence provided.

This tutorial will teach students how to accomplish a URAMS MBCRA by presenting some of the theory behind the approach, showing how to utilize one set of URAMS tools, and providing practical experience by working through portions of a URAMS assessment on a notional aerospace system to include scoring selected risk scenarios.

T&E Fundamentals and Certified Test & Evaluation Professional (CTEP) Foundations

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Charles 'Chas' McKee, President & CEO, Taverne Analytics LLC

In this high-level short course we will review T&E fundamentals which are covered in the CTEP Foundational exam. We will review the Body of Knowledge (BOK) including the four subject domains used in developing the CTEP program. These will include: Test and Evaluation Planning (Organizational planning, Requirements Analysis, T&E strategy, Evaluation approach, Test Design and Adequacy, T&E Documentation, T&E Cost Management, Contracting for T&E, Specialized Types of testing, planning and resourcing, Risk identification and management, Cyber testing, Modeling and Simulation, Reliability-Availability-Maintainability); T&E Design (Test Adequacy, Scientific Test and analysis techniques, Software Testing); Test and Evaluation Execution (Test Control Management, Data Management, and Test Safety / Certification); and Test Data Analysis, Evaluation and Reporting (Data Verification and Validation, Validation of Test Results, Evaluation, Reporting, Cyber Resilience / Cybersecurity Analysis, Model Validation, and Data Analytics).

Who Should Attend: *Individuals in the T&E community (government and industry, members and non-members) who want to demonstrate their knowledge, skills and abilities in T&E and be recognized by the International Test and Evaluation Association for their professional growth. Requirements for Foundational level CTEP certification should have a Bachelor's degree and 1 year of T&E work experience or an Associates degree and 3 years of relevant T&E work experience or five years of relevant T&E work experience. Please note that the CTEP credential is becoming a 'preferred' requirement in many test engineer job postings.*

TUESDAY, AUGUST 29

AFTERNOON TUTORIALS | 1:00 P.M. TO 5:00 P.M.

5G NR Specification and System Engineering Aspects

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Achilles Kogiantis, PhD, and Ankur Sharma, Peraton Labs

5G wireless cellular networks, based on the 3GPP standard, are being widely deployed in the United States and the rest of the world. 5G is expected to increasingly dominate the worldwide cellular communication market due to its flexibility, wide adoption, and an ever-expanding supplier global ecosystem. The flexible 5G

architecture allows multiple networks widely differing in physical, reliability and power characteristics to be supported over a common infrastructure.

This flexibility will be particularly useful to Testing Ranges where subnetworks simultaneously supporting high-bandwidth terrestrial communications, low-power sensors and broadband airborne telemetry systems can be flexibly implemented over a common 5G platform. This tutorial is intended to familiarize the Testing Range professionals with a) the key features of the 5G standards specifications – the basic vision, network architecture, the physical and MAC-layer characteristics of the air-interface, and b) the 5G system engineering aspects of deploying a new private network, dimensioning and planning, and its performance assessment. The first half of the tutorial will discuss the 5G standards specifications, while the second half will cover the 5G systems engineering aspects.

Mission Impact Assessment (MIA) Process

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Teresa Barley Merklin, Cyber Fellow, Aeronautics Cyber Range, Lockheed Martin

Mission Impact Assessment (MIA) is a process used to identify and prioritize the mission essential functions of a system. Integrating MIA into the Acquisition and Development lifecycles creates a foundational understanding of cyber resiliency objectives. This process has proven to be valuable during project inception as a mechanism for eliciting meaningful cyber resiliency requirements. It also produces data which is useful for scoring Cyber Risk Assessment. For Cyber Test and Evaluation teams, the MIA process can be used as a basis for test planning as well as scoring the impacts of any findings. This tutorial provides an introduction to the process documented in the MIA Guidebook and a detailed overview of the Use Cases for using the resulting data. Each step of the process is illustrated using a case study.

Test and Evaluation in a Digital Engineering Environment

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Jean Petty, Cyber Resilience T&E Manager, Department of Homeland Security

This short course / tutorial will review digital engineering concepts in general and then deep dive into specifics for test and evaluation (T&E) in a digital engineering environment. The course will review concepts, methods, tools, and best practices for five Digital Engineering topic areas including models, an authoritative source of truth, technological innovation, innovative infrastructure, and workforce. Each topic area will be addressed in general, followed by discussion of specific issues and challenges for T&E. Discussion areas will include:

- How planning and the evaluation components of T&E need to evolve in the DE environment, given Model Based Systems Engineering, Mission Engineering, and automated testing.
- The characteristics of T&E tools within the DE environment and considerations and methods for automated tools selection.
- Data access, data sharing, and hurdles for building an authoritative source of truth.
- Special concerns for Cyber T&E in a Digital Engineering environment.
- Digital Engineering infrastructure and infrastructure providers.
- T&E workforce within a Digital Engineering ecosystem.
- Gaps in current infrastructure, capabilities, workforce, etc.

Who Should Attend: *This course is intended for T&E professionals who are new to Digital Engineering or are beginning to implement Digital Engineering in their T&E practices. The course will include lecture, discussion, and interactive exercises.*

PLENARY SPEAKERS



Wednesday, August 30 | 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.



Jeannie Winchester, PMP, CISSP, Project Manager Cyber, Test, & Training (CT2), U.S. Army Program Executive Office Simulation, Training and Instrumentation (PEO STRI)
Opening Remarks



Dr. Jonathan Harris, Lead Cybersecurity Engineer, Naval Air Warfare Center Training Systems Division
“Live Cyber Attack Experience”



Patrick Lardieri, Technical Director, National Cyber Range (NCR) Program, Lockheed Martin
“Live Cyber Attack Experience”

Wednesday, August 30 | 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.



Mark Dominguez, Director, Joint Information Operations Range (JIOR), 318th Cyberspace Operations Group
“Joint Information Operations Range (JIOR) Mission” [CUI: Distribution C]



James S. Wells, (SES), Director, T&E/S&T Directorate, Department of Homeland Security (DHS)
“DHS T&E Challenges in the Cyber Domain”

Wednesday, August 30 | 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.



Rebecca Squalls, Program Manager, National Cyber Range Complex – Unclassified (NCRC-U)
“The NCRC-U: A Workforce Development Pipeline Strategy”



Sara Estill, Chief, Information Advantage Division (A), Threat Systems Management Office
“Information Protection in the Evolving Threat Landscape”

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Thursday, August 31 | 8:00 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.



Arjuna (AJ) Pathmanathan, Director, National Cyber Range Complex, Test Resource Management Center (TRMC)
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Chris Collins, (SES) Executive Director, Developmental Test, Evaluation, and Assessments, Office of the Undersecretary of Defense (Research and Engineering)
“Tomorrow’s Cyber T&E Initiatives...Today”



Tom Walrond, Cyber Advisor to Deputy Director for Strategic Initiatives, Policy & Emerging Technologies, Office of the Director, Operational Test and Evaluation, Office of the Secretary of Defense
“Transforming T&E to Support the Joint Force in Multi Domain Operations”

Thursday, August 31 | 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Panel Discussion on Cyber T&E of Generative AI Systems

Moderator:

Nilo Thomas, Software & Cyber Advisor to Deputy Director for Strategic Initiatives, Policy and Emerging Technologies, Office of the Director, Operational Test and Evaluation, Office of the Secretary of Defense

Panelists:

Spencer Andrus, Customer Engineer, Google Public Sector

Joseph F. Bradley Jr., (SES) Cyber Resiliency Office for Weapon Systems (CROWS) and the Director of Engineering and Technical Management, Air Force Life Cycle Management Center

Dr. Jayashree (Jai) Harikumar, Chief, Cyberspace Emerging Technologies and Integration Branch, U.S. Army Combat Capabilities Development Command (DEVCOM) Analysis Center

Dr. Timothy Kelley, Scientist, Naval Surface Warfare Center Crane Division

Thursday, August 31 | 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.



Dr. Mike Shields, Chief Scientist for the TRMC T&E/S&T Cyberspace Test Technology (CTT)
Closing Keynote

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Wednesday, August 30

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Opening & Plenary Speakers

- 8:00 a.m. Opening Ceremony
Presentation of Colors
National Anthem
Welcome
Erwin Sabile, Booz Allen Hamilton
Workshop Chair
- 8:20 a.m. Opening Remarks
Jeannie Winchester, PMP, CISSP
Project Manager Cyber, Test, and Training (CT2), U.S. Army Program Executive Office Simulation, Training and Instrumentation (PEO STRI)
- 8:35 a.m. **“Live Cyber Attack Experience”**
Dr. Jonathan Harris
Lead Cybersecurity Engineer, Naval Air Warfare Center Training Systems Division
- Patrick Lardieri**
Technical Director, National Cyber Range (NCR) Program, Lockheed Martin

10:00 a.m. BREAK WITH THE EXHIBITORS

- 10:30 a.m. **Mark Dominguez**
Director, Joint Information Operations Range (JIOR), 318th Cyberspace Operations Group
“Joint Information Operations Range (JIOR) Mission” [CUI: Distribution C]
- 11:15 a.m. **James S. Wells (SES)**
Director, T&E/ S&T Directorate, Department of Homeland Security(DHS)
“DHS T&E Challenges in the Cyber Domain”

12:00 p.m. LUNCH

- 1:00 p.m. **Rebecca Squalls**
Program Manager, National Cyber Range Complex-Unclassified (NCRC-U)
“The NCRC-U: A Workforce Development Pipeline Strategy”
- 1:45 p.m. **Sara Estill**
Chief, Information Advantage Division (A), Threat Systems Management Office
“Information Protection in the Evolving Threat Landscape”

2:30 p.m. BREAK WITH THE EXHIBITORS

3:00 p.m. Technical Sessions

SESSION 1: Cyberspace Test Technology

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Chair: **Dr. Mike Shields**, Chief Scientist for the TRMC T&E/S&T Cyberspace Test Technology (CTT)

Start Time: 3:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): Steve Durst, R&D Engineer, Skaion Corporation

Presentation: *Activity and Content Enhancement – Next Gen Traffic Generation Toolkit*

Start Time: 3:30 p.m.

Presenter(s): Arch Owen, Program Manager for Weapon Security, Draper Laboratory

Presentation: *Vader Modular Fuzzer (VMF) – USG Fuzzing Capability*

Start Time: 4:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): Dr. Donald Pellegrino, CEO, DeciSym, LLC

Presentation: *Measure and Share: TRMC T&E/S&T Cyberspace Test Technology’s Project to Improve Cyber T&E Impacts Across DoD*

Start Time: 4:30 p.m.

Presenter(s): Arch Owen, Program Manager for Weapon Security, Draper Laboratory

Presentation: *Extensible QEMU for Broader Emulation Functionality and Application*



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SESSION 2: Cyber Resilience Requirements

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Chair: **Jean Petty**, Cyber Resilience T&E Manager, Department of Homeland Security

Start Time: 3:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): Timothy Fitzgerald, Cybersecurity Assessments Flight Director, 346th Test Squadron

Presentation: *Lessons Learned from Conducting Operational Cyber Testing for Mission Resilience*

Start Time: 3:30 p.m.

Presenter(s): Djenana Compara, President, KDM Analytics

Presentation: *Automated Risk Assessment Process for DoD, DHS, & Other Agencies*

Start Time: 4:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): Dr. Keith F. Joiner, Senior Lecturer Test, Evaluation and Aircraft Design

Presentation: *Australian Update on Cybersecurity of Critical Infrastructure: Governance Challenges and Approaches*

Start Time: 4:30 p.m.

Presenter(s): Dr. Peter A. Beling, Director, Intelligent Systems Division, Virginia Tech National Security Institute

Presentation: *Test and Evaluation of Cyber Resilience using the Framework for Operational Resilience in Engineering and Systems Test*

SESSION 3: Cyber & Spectrum Warfare Considerations in 5G/6G

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Chair: **Patrick Lardieri**, Technical Director, National Cyber Range (NCR) Program, Lockheed Martin

Start Time: 3:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): LTCol Ben Pimentel, PhD, USMC

Presentation: *5G / FutureG Technology to Meet DoD Challenges*

Start Time: 3:30 p.m.

Presenter(s): Jorge Laurel, NSA Cybersecurity Collaboration Center

Presentation: *Cyber Threats and/or Technology Robustness*

SESSION 3: continued

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Start Time: 4:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): Connor Brusio, Lockheed Martin Cyber & Intelligence

Presentation: *T&E Methods and Tools that Enable Assessment of the Operational Resilience of 5G Enabled Systems to Cyber and Spectrum Threats*

Start Time: 4:30 p.m.

Presenter(s): Yong Zhou, Keysight Technologies

Presentation: *5G Security Assurance Specifications*

SESSION 4: Cyber T&E of Generative AI Systems

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Chairs: **Dan Rieken**, American Systems Corporation & **Dr. Natalie Kautz**, MITRE

Start Time: 3:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): Josh Harguess, PhD, Department Manager, AI Security and Perception, MITRE

Presentation: *Securing the Attack Surface of AI Enabled Systems*

Start Time: 3:30 p.m.

Presenter(s): Spencer Andrus, Customer Engineer, Google Public Sector

Presentation: *Supercharging Security with Generative AI*

Start Time: 4:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): Ryan Ashley, Senior Software Engineer, IQT Labs

Presentation: *Auditing ML Collection Hardware*

Start Time: 4:30 p.m.

Presenter(s): Dr. Timothy Kelley, Scientist, Naval Surface Warfare Center Crane Division

Presentation: *Opening the Door to the Mind's Eye: Cognitive Science, Cybersecurity, and Interfaces in ML Testing*

5:00 p.m. COCKTAIL HOUR WITH THE EXHIBITORS

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Thursday, August 31

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Plenary Speakers

- 8:00 a.m. Welcome to Day 2
Scott Bisciotti
Command Post Technologies
Technical Chair
- 8:10 a.m. **Arjuna (AJ) Pathmanathan**
Director, National Cyber Range Complex,
Test Resource Management Center
(TRMC) **[CUI: Distribution C]**
- 8:50 a.m. **Chris Collins, (SES)**
Executive Director, Developmental Test,
Evaluation, and Assessments, Office of
the Undersecretary of Defense (Research
& Engineering)
**“Tomorrow’s Cyber T&E Initiatives...
Today”**
- 9:30 a.m. **Tom Walrond**
Cyber Advisor to Deputy Director for
Strategic Initiatives, Policy & Emerging
Technologies, Office of the Director,
Operational Test and Evaluation, Office of
the Secretary of Defense
**“Transforming T&E to Support the Joint
Force in Multi Domain Operations“**

10:10 a.m. BREAK WITH THE EXHIBITORS

- 10:30 a.m. **Panel: “Cyber T&E of Generative AI
Systems”**
Moderator: Nilo Thomas, Software &
Cyber Advisor to Deputy Director for
Strategic Initiatives, Policy and Emerging
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and Technical Management, Air Force Life
Cycle Management Center
Dr. Jayashree (Jai) Harikumar, Chief,
Cyberspace Emerging Technologies and
Integration Branch, U.S. Army Combat
Capabilities Development Command
(DEVCOM) Analysis Center
Dr. Timothy Kelley, Scientist, Naval
Surface Warfare Center Crane Division

12:00 p.m. LUNCH

1:00 p.m. Technical Sessions

SESSION 5: New Cyber DoD Manual and DoD 5000.89 Cyber Policy Brief and Cyber in DEVSECOPS

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Chair: **Tom Walrond**, Office of the Director, Operational
Test and Evaluation, OSD

Start Time: 1:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): Nilo Thomas, Software & Cyber Advisor to
Deputy Director for Strategic Initiatives,
Policy and Emerging Technologies, Office
of the Director, Operational Test and
Evaluation, Office of the Secretary of
Defense

Presentation: *U.S. Department of Defense (DoD) Joint
Cyber T&E Policy and Guidance—
What’s New?*

Start Time: 2:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): Tim Chase & Pat Quilter, STAT COE/ALPI

Presentation: *Cybersecurity in DevSecOps—How to Test
for Security in a Fast-Paced Development
Environment*

SESSION 6: Test Automation and AI

📍 Monarch III

Chair: **Mickey Rhodes**, Cyber Test Engineer, Booz Allen
Hamilton

Start Time: 1:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): Jenn Bergstrom, CTO, Mission Solutions
Sector, Parsons

Presentation: *Incorporating Chaos Experiments into
Automated Pipelines*

Start Time: 1:30 p.m.

Presenter(s): Michael D. Brown, Principal Security
Researcher, Trail of Bits, Inc.

Presentation: *Using Graph-Based Machine Learning
Algorithms for Software Analysis*

Start Time: 2:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): William D. Bryant, Technical Fellow, MTSI

Presentation: *Humans vs. Robots: Structuring Mission
Based Cyber Risk Assessment (MBCRA)
Inputs*

Start Time: 2:30 p.m.

Presenter(s): Matt Lembright, Director of Federal
Applications, Censys

Presentation: *Proactive Threat Hunting – Getting Left of
Boom*

SESSION 7: Tomorrow's Cyber Solutions.... Today

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Chair: **Dr. Peter A. Beling**, Director, Intelligent Systems Division, Virginia Tech National Security Institute

Start Time: 1:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): Nisha Patel, Software Engineer, Trideum Corporation

Presentation: *Cyber Table Top Toolset (CT3) Demonstration* [CU: Distribution C]

Start Time: 1:30 p.m.

Presenter(s): Zach Collier, Assistant Professor, Department of Management, Radford University

Presentation: *Risks and Opportunities for AI in Managing Disruptions to Hardware Supply Chains*

Start Time: 2:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): Stephen Adams, Assistant Director, Intelligent Systems Division, Virginia Tech National Security Institute

Presentation: *Physically Unclonable Functions (PUFs) Using Protein-Self-Assembly and Deep Neural Networks*

Start Time: 2:30 p.m.

Presenter(s): Dr. Sachin Shetty, ODU

Presentation: *Cyber Risk Scoring and Mitigation for Resilient Cyber Infrastructure*

SESSION 8: Cyber Automated Tools & Test

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Chair: **Eugene Costello**, Cybersecurity Director, OPTEVFOR

Start Time: 1:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): Josh Young, AFRL ITEC Pen Test Lead, Booz Allen Hamilton

Presentation: *AFRL ITEC Pen Test Capability Brief* [CU: Distribution C]

Start Time: 1:30 p.m.

Presenter(s): Grant Willey, Information Systems Security Officer, Geeks and Nerds (GaN) Corporation

Presentation: *## Wave Function Collapse Algorithm for Automatic Design of Secure Networks*

Start Time: 2:00 p.m.

Presenter(s): Jason Schalow, Chief, Special Missions Flight, 412th, Communications Squadron, Edwards AFB

Presentation: *Cybersecurity and the Rise of AI: Risks and Opportunities*

Start Time: 2:30 p.m.

Presenter(s): Dan Turner, Booz Allen Hamilton

Presentation: *Building Automation System (BAS) An Industrial Control System Focused Security*

3:00 p.m. **BREAK WITH EXHIBITORS**

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3:30 p.m. Closing Keynote

Dr. Mike Shields

Chief Scientist for the TRMC T&E/S&T Cyberspace Test Technology (CTT)

5:00 p.m. **Workshop Concludes**

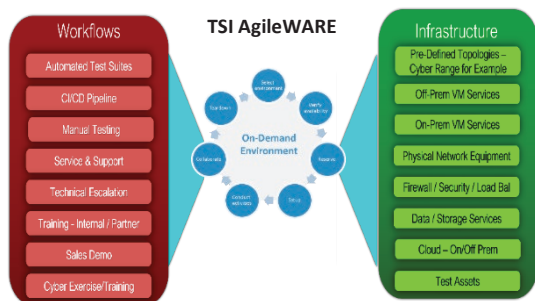
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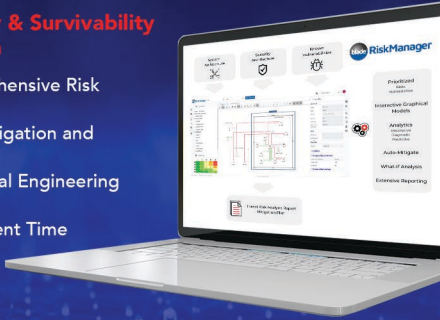
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Previous CRZs have included Cyber Protection Teams, Mission Defense Teams, red teams, academy and university teams, security operations centers, and cyber test & evaluation teams. While the event will be held at CUI, all participants must have at least a secret clearance.

Thanks to Cyber Red Zone for conducting the hands-on Cyber Attack Demonstration at this ITEA workshop!

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- Degrade, deny, deceive, and destroy identified resources within the operational space of the CTF.
- Provide for the execution of implanted agent operations through the introduction of tooling and compromise of specific information systems
- Exfiltrate key information of interest for future operations
- Complete nine primary objectives ensuring successful degradation of opposing force
- Find other opportunities to collect cyber intelligence and increase a team's score. (Easter Eggs)

Key contacts:

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Event Director: Dr. David “Fuzzy” Wells, National Cyber Range Complex (NCRC) - fuzzywells@mitre.org

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