

Cyber Ready™ 2016 Event Sponsorship Fact Sheet

WHEN: All-day cybersecurity conference and Sixth Annual MITRE National Capture the Flag Competition cyber challenge awards, check-in starting at 7:30 AM, **Tuesday, October 18, 2016** (golf outing and barbecue dinner, weather permitting, starting at 1 PM, Monday, October 17, 2016).

WHERE: **MacDill AFB, Tampa, Florida.** The cybersecurity conference is at the MacDill AFB Surf’s Edge Club on base. The golf outing and dinner is at the MacDill AFB Bay Palms Golf Complex, weather permitting. The South Course is one of the most scenic and challenging courses in the Air Force.

WHAT: The MITRE National Capture the Flag Competition, with 227 teams participating this year, aims to encourage and promote interest in Cybersecurity as part of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) outreach to prepare students to compete in a competitive global marketplace. The fast-track *Cyber Foundations*™ Training Program, offered by the public-private National Cyber Partnership and its Cyber Studies Consortium educational institution partners, helps to fill the demand for competency-trained, qualified cyber personnel.

EVENT SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE. Please visit www.national-cyber.org/conference/ or contact Michael Shapiro at (813) 922-3600, mshapiro@national-cyber.org.

Sponsor funding will support scholarships to the members of the high school team and the college team winning the cyber challenge, the teams’ attendance at the conference and enrollment in a selection of online cyber training courses. Sponsors are contributing to support the programs of 501(c)(3) organizations and will receive acknowledgements of their charitable contributions to the extent permitted by law. Sponsors will:

- (1) be included in the conference program and have their logos displayed at the conference
- (2) have an opportunity to distribute literature to conference attendees
- (3) be introduced at the conference and seated in a reserved, preferential area
- (4) have access to the résumés of members of the top ten cyber challenge teams for potential recruiting (platinum, gold, silver only)
- (5) receive a certificate recognizing active support of STEM initiatives and particularly cyber education
- (6) additional benefits listed below

	Platinum Sponsorship \$5,000	Gold Sponsorship \$3,000	Silver Sponsorship \$1,000	Bronze Sponsorship \$250
Conference Admission, golf outing and dinner (weather permitting)	8 (table)	4	2	1
Enrollment for organization members in a selection of online cyber courses	10	6	4	—
Participation by senior managers in a limited-seat cyber seminar-simulation exercise scheduled for Q1 2017	4	2	1	—

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The National Cyber Partnership is a not-for-profit, 501(c)(3) public-private partnership based in Tampa, Fla., with a mission to create a self-sustaining, broad-based, rich, neutral and independent cyber “ecosystem” that aligns common interests across a multitude of sectors and stakeholders. A key initiative is promoting workforce development through competency-based cyber training, with an emphasis on cybersecurity, in collaborative programs with our industry and training partners.

We work with our collaborating partners to “connect the dots”, seeding the growth of a vigorous cyber industry in the State of Florida as a model for the rest of the country.

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