

## A Partnership for State, Provincial, Local Tribal and Territorial Government

The SANS Institute and Center for Internet Security Partnership Program

# Improving Your Security Posture

Cyberthreats appear as fast as a mouse click in today's environment. Your best defense is an educated workforce. Eligible organizations use this Partnership Program to allocate technical cybersecurity and security awareness training to their employees, taking advantage of highly discounted rates on superior training to protect national security.

### Special Offer:

For a limited time, save more than 50% when you purchase SANS technical and security awareness training through our partnership purchase window. Special discounts are available:

- **Winter Program:**  
December 1 – January 31
- **Summer Program:**  
June 1 – July 31

Make a positive impact on your cybersecurity protection. Get the training you need at an affordable cost.

A Smart Approach to Security Awareness and Training

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# About the SANS/CIS Partnership

## Partnership Objectives

The Center for Internet Security and SANS Institute Partnership Program draws on the shared mission to ensure that information security practitioners in critical organizations have the skills needed to protect national security and enhance cybersecurity readiness and response of State, Provincial, Local, Tribal and Territorial government entities. This program offers both security awareness and online technical training courses to qualifying organizations at a substantial cost savings.



SANS Online Technical Training offers the same content, instructors, and results as our live courses with the flexibility to learn in an online environment, allowing information security professionals to train whenever and wherever it's most convenient. Online courses feature hands-on labs and access to subject-matter experts to guide students through challenging concepts or questions. Save more than 50% when you purchase training credits during one of our partnership purchase windows. Online training credits may be redeemed for any course offered in our two most popular training formats: self-paced e-learning via OnDemand and livestream, interactive scheduled sessions via Live Online. Security professionals have their choice from more than 45 courses and certifications in disciplines that include:

- **Blue Team Operations**
- **Cloud Security**
- **Cyber Defense Essentials**
- **Digital Forensics and Incident Response**
- **Industrial Control Systems**
- **Penetration Testing and Ethical Hacking**
- **Purple Team**
- **Security Leadership, Legal, and Audit**



Technical training is a critical component for adoption of core security awareness concepts. Compliance and behavior change becomes difficult for non-technical individuals without the proper content. SANS Security Awareness offers a comprehensive solution for end users and individuals of all levels with expert-authored content. Created by a trusted global network of cybersecurity professionals, this Partnership Program includes several key Security Awareness products:

- **End User** – Comprehensive security awareness training for all computer users based on the Critical Security Controls
- **Phishing** – Test your employees through phishing simulations consistent with real-world attacks
- **Developer** – Train your developers in secure coding techniques and how to recognize current threat vectors in web applications
- **ICS Engineer** – Rigorous computer-based training for those interacting or operating with Industrial Control Systems
- **IT Administrator** – Level up your technical staff with advanced training to protect your whole organization
- **CIP** – Relevant training addresses NERC CIP reliability standards for the utility industry

Learn more about the Partnership Program by visiting:

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## Comments from Students

**"The instructor made this course worthwhile. I truly appreciated his teaching style and his excellent knowledge of the subject matter."**

— Freud Alexandre,  
City of New Orleans

**"I loved the hands-on labs included with each section."**

— Scott Knights,  
State of Idaho

**"The instructor did a very good job relating real-life scenarios to class material."**

— Warren Lundquist,  
CT State Police-IT Unit