



2025 RESEARCH PROJECTS

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2025 Research Schedule

MAR 12	SANS 2025 Threat Hunting Survey Webcast AUTHORS: Josh Lemon & Jess Garcia	 	SEP 4	SANS 2025 AI Survey Webcast AUTHORS: Brandon Evans & Ahmed Abugarbia	 
MAY 21	SANS 2025 CTI Survey Webcast AUTHORS: Rebekah Brown & Andreas Sfakianakis	 	OCT 22	SANS 2025 Attack Surface & Vulnerability Management Survey Webcast AUTHOR: Chris Dale	
JUL 9	SANS 2025 SOC Survey Webcast AUTHOR: Chris Crowley		NOV 19	SANS 2025 ICS Survey Webcast AUTHOR: Jason Christopher	
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Inclusion in Panel Discussion		✓	✓	✓
Product Brief or Infographic			✓	✓
15-Minute Speaking Slot				✓



2025 Research Report Offerings

JULY

SANS 2025

New Attacks Report
& FORUM

AUTHOR: **TBD**



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Inclusion in Panel Discussion		✓	✓	✓
Product Brief or Infographic			✓	✓
15-Minute Speaking Slot				✓



SANS continuously delivers quality events and highly desirable prospects for our lead generation program.

—VMRAY



I have done various SANS events over the last seven years. We have been very happy with the quality of attendees at each event!

—RiskIQ



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CUSTOM SURVEYS

- Highly skilled community for market research
- Helps shape your go-to-market strategy
- Work directly with a SANS research analyst

BENEFITS

Sponsor-Defined Survey Written by SANS SME

Branded Survey Paper

Co-Presented Survey Insights Webcast (One Hour)

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Opt-In Leads



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2025 Custom Research Offerings



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Opt-In Leads



FIRST LOOKS

- Introduce your cutting-edge technology to the SANS community
- Increase your brand visibility within an over-populated market

BENEFITS

2-3 Page Executive Summary on Product Written by SANS SME

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Co-Presented Webcast (30 Minutes)

Branded MP4 Recording

Opt-In Leads

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Turn your virtual connections with our highly qualified audience into potential sales.



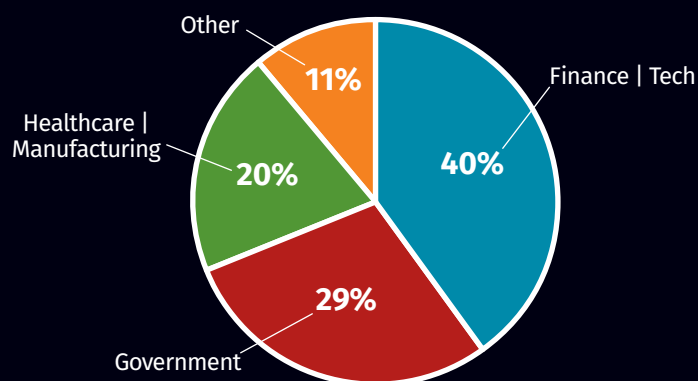
Thought Leadership

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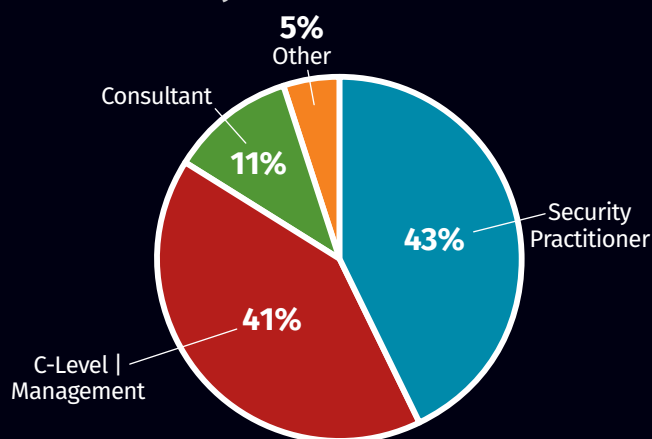
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