

EMERGING THREATS SUMMIT 2025



Wednesday, May 14

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9:00–9:10 AM ET
1:00–1:10 PM UTC

Opening Remarks

[Rob Lee](#), Fellow, SANS Institute

[Chris Cochran](#), Senior Advisor

9:10–9:25 AM ET
1:10–1:25 PM UTC

FOCUS AREA: QUANTUM COMPUTING

Quantum Primer: Opportunities and Threats

[Kawin Boonyapredeedee](#)

9:25–9:40 AM ET
1:25–1:40 PM UTC

FOCUS AREA: QUANTUM COMPUTING

Preparing for the Quantum Threat: Practical Steps for Cybersecurity Teams

[Marin Ivezic](#), Founder, Applied Quantum

9:40–9:55 AM ET
1:40–1:55 PM UTC

FOCUS AREA: QUANTUM COMPUTING

Post-Quantum Cryptography: Why It's Secure

[Konstantinos Karagiannis](#), Director of Quantum Computing Services, Protiviti

9:55–10:10 AM ET
1:55–2:10 PM UTC

FOCUS AREA: QUANTUM COMPUTING

A Field Guide to PQC Migration: Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures

[Mark Carney](#), Head of Quantum Tech, Santander Global Tech

10:15–10:45 AM ET
2:15–2:45 PM UTC

FOCUS AREA: QUANTUM COMPUTING

The Final Word: A Live Q&A

[Kawin Boonyapredeedee](#)

[Marin Ivezic](#), Founder, Applied Quantum

[Mark Carney](#), Head of Quantum Tech, Santander Global Tech

[Konstantinos Karagiannis](#), Director of Quantum Computing Services, Protiviti

10:45–11:05 AM ET
2:45–3:05 PM UTC

Break

11:05–11:20 AM ET
3:05–3:20 PM UTC

FOCUS AREA: ICS/OT | TELECOMMUNICATIONS SECURITY

Securing Communications in the Human Supply Chain

[Christine Gadsby](#), VP & CISO, Blackberry

11:20–11:35 AM ET
3:20–3:35 PM UTC

FOCUS AREA: ICS/OT | TELECOMMUNICATIONS SECURITY

LLM SATs FTW

[Scott Roberts](#), Head of Threat Research, Interpres Security

11:35–11:50 AM ET
3:35–3:50 PM UTC

FOCUS AREA: ICS/OT | TELECOMMUNICATIONS SECURITY

The Robs: Fireside Chat

[Rob Lee](#), Fellow, SANS Institute

[Robert M. Lee](#), Fellow, SANS Institute

11:50 AM–12:20 PM ET
3:50–4:20 PM UTC

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12:20–1:00 PM ET 4:20–5:00 PM UTC	Lunch
1:05–1:20 PM ET 5:05–5:20 PM UTC	FOCUS AREA: ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE <i>Sink or Swim: Riding the Rising Tide of AI</i> Sounil Yu , Co-founder and Chief AI Safety Officer, Knostic
1:20–1:35 PM ET 5:20–5:35 PM UTC	FOCUS AREA: ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE <i>From Assistant to Adversary: When Agentic AI Becomes an Insider Threat</i> Jason Martin , Director, Adversarial Research, HiddenLayer
1:35–1:50 PM ET 5:35–5:50 PM UTC	FOCUS AREA: ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE <i>AI Security Demystified</i> Rob van der Veer , Chief AI Officer, Software Improvement Group
1:50–2:20 PM ET 5:50–6:20 PM UTC	FOCUS AREA: ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE <i>The Final Word: A Live Q&A</i> Sounil Yu , Co-founder and Chief AI Safety Officer, Knostic Jason Martin , Director, Adversarial Research, HiddenLayer Rob van der Veer , Chief AI Officer, Software Improvement Group
2:20–2:40 PM ET 6:20–6:40 PM UTC	Break
2:45–3:00 PM ET 6:45–7:00 PM UTC	FOCUS AREA: CYBER DEFENSE <i>Smart Phone Forensics Circa 2028</i> Ian Whiffin , Senior Digital Intelligence Expert, Cellebrite
3:00–3:15 PM ET 7:00–7:15 PM UTC	FOCUS AREA: CYBER DEFENSE <i>Vulnerability Chaining in the Age of AI</i> Nikki Robinson , STSM and Senior Manager, Platform Development, IBM
3:15–3:45 PM ET 7:15–7:45 PM UTC	FOCUS AREA: CYBER DEFENSE <i>The Final Word: A Live Q&A</i> Chris Cochran , Senior Advisor Ian Whiffin , Senior Digital Intelligence Expert, Cellebrite Nikki Robinson , STSM and Senior Manager, Platform Development, IBM
3:45–4:00 PM ET 7:45–8:00 PM UTC	Closing Remarks Rob Lee , Fellow, SANS Institute

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Event Kickoff & Introduction

[Megan Roddie-Fonseca](#), Event Chair, Co-Author, SANS Institute

10:40–11:15 AM ET
2:40–3:15 PM UTC

Synthetic Schemes: The Rise of AI-Powered Phishing and Malware on Mobile Frontlines

[Jim Coyle](#), Public Sector CTO, Lookout



11:15–11:50 AM ET
3:15–3:50 PM UTC

Roadmap to Quantum-Ready Cryptography and Zero-Trust Resilience

[Richu Channakeshava](#), Sr. Product Manager, Palo Alto Networks



11:50 AM–12:00 PM ET
3:50–4:00 PM UTC

Break

12:00–12:35 PM ET
4:00–4:35 PM UTC

Securing the AI Frontier: Addressing Threats in AI-Powered Software Development

[Matt Tesauro](#), CTO & Co-Founder, DefectDojo



12:35–1:10 PM ET
4:35–5:10 PM UTC

Panel Discussion

[Megan Roddie-Fonseca](#), Co-Author, SANS Institute

[Jim Coyle](#), Public Sector CTO, Lookout

[Taylor Ettema](#), Vice President of Product Management, Palo Alto Networks

[Matt Tesauro](#), CTO & Co-Founder, DefectDojo

1:10–1:15 PM ET
5:10–5:15 PM UTC

Event Recap & Closing Remarks

[Megan Roddie-Fonseca](#), Event Chair, Co-Author, SANS Institute

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TRAINING: October 30–November 4

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SUMMIT: August 14–15

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