

# Innovative Cybersecurity Courses

# SANS DC Metro March

March 2–7, 2026  
Arlington, VA or Live Online (ET)



## Hands-On Cybersecurity Courses Taught by Industry Experts

### Attend In-Person in Arlington or Live Online (ET)

Unlock the full potential of your cybersecurity career at **SANS DC Metro March 2026**. Guided by world-renowned instructors at the forefront of the field, this event provides exclusive access to live industry experts, ensuring you stay ahead of the curve.

Immerse yourself in a learning environment that features industry-leading hands-on labs, simulations, and exercises, all geared towards practical application in your professional endeavors. Seize the opportunity to hone your skills during bonus sessions and activities, backed by SANS's unwavering commitment to excellence and expertise.

### SANS DC Metro March 2026 Features

- Practical cybersecurity training:** Delivered by real-world practitioners providing actionable insights
- Real-time support:** Receive immediate assistance from certified teacher assistants throughout your course.
- Immersive labs in a virtual environment:** Hands-on practice to sharpen your skills in a secure setting
- Thought leadership talks and workshops:** All centered around training topics
- Comprehensive courseware:** Course materials provided in electronic and printed formats
- GIAC certification:** Most courses align with the highest standard in cybersecurity certification
- CPE credits:** Earn continuing professional education (CPE) credits towards a certification
- Extended learning access:** Enjoy four months of access to recorded course lectures post-event
- Central hotel location:** Courses will be held at the Hilton Arlington Rosslyn The Key

### Ways to Train

#### In-Person

- Immersive learning free from distractions
- Networking with fellow experts
- Bonus hands-on workshops
- Exclusive Alumni receptions

#### Live Online

- Interactive learning from the office or comfort of home
- Real-time access to faculty, instructors, and teaching assistants
- Bonus topical learning sessions

### Special Events

#### • Breakfast Networking Reception

Tuesday, March 3 | 7:30–9:00 AM ET

#### • SANS@NIGHT:

#### **Securing Gen AI RAG Data Using Azure AI Search**

Wednesday, March 4 | 6:00–7:00 PM ET

Presented by Eric Johnson, Faculty Fellow



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## Confirmed Courses

<b>FOR508: Advanced Incident Response, Threat Hunting, and Digital Forensics™</b>	<b>GCFA</b>	GIAC Certified Forensic Analyst <a href="http://giac.org/gcfa">giac.org/gcfa</a>	
<b>LDR414: SANS Training Program for CISSP® Certification™</b>	<b>GISP</b>	GIAC Information Security Professional <a href="http://giac.org/gisp">giac.org/gisp</a>	
<b>LDR512: Security Leadership Essentials for Managers™</b>	<b>GSLC</b>	GIAC Security Leadership <a href="http://giac.org/gslc">giac.org/gslc</a>	
<b>SEC301: Introduction to Cyber Security™</b> <span style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 2px 5px;">UPDATED</span>	<b>GISF</b>	GIAC Information Security Fundamentals <a href="http://giac.org/gisf">giac.org/gisf</a>	
<b>SEC504: Hacker Tools, Techniques, and Incident Handling™</b> <span style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 2px 5px;">UPDATED</span>	<b>GCIH</b>	GIAC Certified Incident Handler <a href="http://giac.org/gcih">giac.org/gcih</a>	
<b>SEC549: Cloud Security Architecture™</b>	<b>GCAD</b>	GIAC Cloud Security Architecture and Design <a href="http://giac.org/gcad">giac.org/gcad</a>	
<b>SEC555: Detection Engineering and SIEM Analytics™</b>	<b>GCDA</b>	GIAC Certified Detection Analyst <a href="http://giac.org/gcda">giac.org/gcda</a>	

“I love it, it’s the best of both worlds. All the content is provided within a supportive environment, without the distractions of home or work.”

—David Howse, In-Person Live Stream student —

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“The real value of this training lies at the intersection of quality content and delivery by a subject-matter expert actively working in the field, making it incredibly relevant and immediately applicable to my job.”

—P. Watson, Microsoft Corp



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