Welcome to

SANS San Francisco

November 2–7, 2026 | San Francisco, CA

GENERAL INFORMATION

Venue

Hilton Financial District San Francisco
750 Kearny Street | San Francisco, CA 94108

Event Check-In | Badge & Courseware Distribution

Location: 2nd Floor Foyer (2ND FLOOR)

Monday, November 2 . . . . . 7:00–8:30 AM

Registration Support

Location: Pyramid Boardroom (2ND FLOOR)

Monday, November 2–Friday, November 6. . . . . 8:00 AM–5:30 PM
Saturday, November 7 . . . . . 8:00 AM–2:00 PM

Parking

Day use (commuters): $17/day special rate ($3 discount included) — arrive before 9:30 AM, exit before 6:00 PM. If leaving after 6:00 PM, a special ticket is required to keep the discount and it can be picked up in the Event Office.

Overnight: $55/night plus tax ($10 discount included). The charge is billed to your guestroom and it applies automatically if you're booked in the SANS block.

Course Breaks

Morning Coffee . . . . . 7:00–9:00 AM
Morning Break* . . . . . 10:30–10:50 AM
Lunch (on your own) . . . . . 12:15–1:30 PM
Afternoon Break* . . . . . 3:00–3:20 PM

*Snack and coffee to be provided during these break times.

CLASS INFORMATION

All courses will run 9:00 AM–5:00 PM (unless noted) **NOTE:** All courses will start at 8:30 AM on Day 1

FOR509: Enterprise Cloud Forensics and Incident Response (6-DAY COURSE)
INSTRUCTOR: Terrence Williams. . . . . Mason I (2ND FLOOR)

ICS410: ICS/SCADA Security Essentials (6-DAY COURSE)
INSTRUCTOR: Monta Elkins . . . . . Washington (2ND FLOOR)

LDR512: Security Leadership Essentials for Managers (5-DAY COURSE)
INSTRUCTOR: My-Ngoc Nguyen . . . . . Mason II (2ND FLOOR)

LDR520: Emerging Trends for Cyber Leaders: AI and Cloud (5-DAY COURSE)
INSTRUCTOR: Chris Edmundson. . . . . Sansome (2ND FLOOR)

SEC401: Security Essentials (6-DAY COURSE)
INSTRUCTOR: Ross Bergman. . . . . Montgomery (2ND FLOOR)
HOURS: 8:30 AM–7:00 PM (COURSE DAY 1); 9:00 AM–7:00 PM (COURSE DAYS 2–5); 9:00 AM–5:00 PM (COURSE DAY 6)

SEC504: Hacker Tools, Techniques, and Incident Handling (6-DAY COURSE)
INSTRUCTOR: Ron Hamann . . . . . Grant (1ST FLOOR)
HOURS: 8:30 AM–7:15 PM (COURSE DAY 1)

SEC565: Red Team Operations and Adversary Emulation (6-DAY COURSE)
INSTRUCTOR: Jean-Francois Maes . . . . . Valencia (1ST FLOOR)

SEC595: Applied Data Science and AI/Machine Learning for Cybersecurity Professionals (6-DAY COURSE)
INSTRUCTORS: Ezekiel McReynolds & Christopher Crowley . . . . . Jackson (2ND FLOOR)

SEC598: AI and Security Automation for Red, Blue, and Purple Teams (6-DAY COURSE)
INSTRUCTOR: Jason Nickola . . . . . Embarcadero (1ST FLOOR)

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SPECIAL EVENTS

SPECIAL EVENT:
Student Appreciation Lunch
DATE/TIME: Monday, November 2 | 12:15–1:30 PM
LOCATION: Columbus (4TH FLOOR)

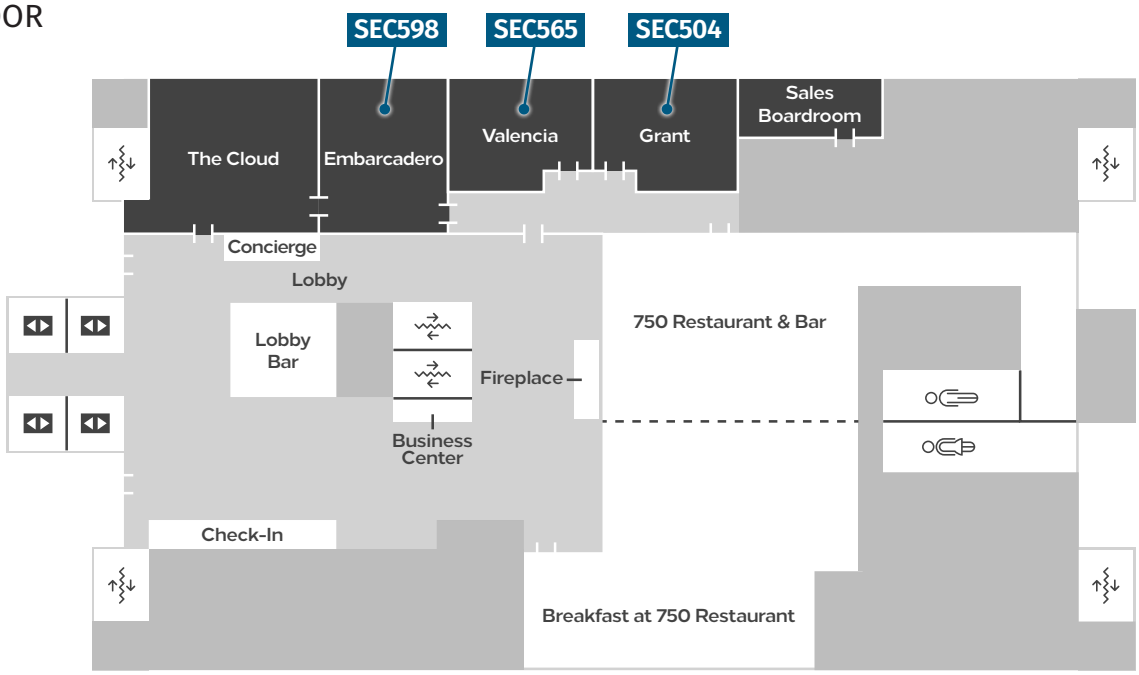
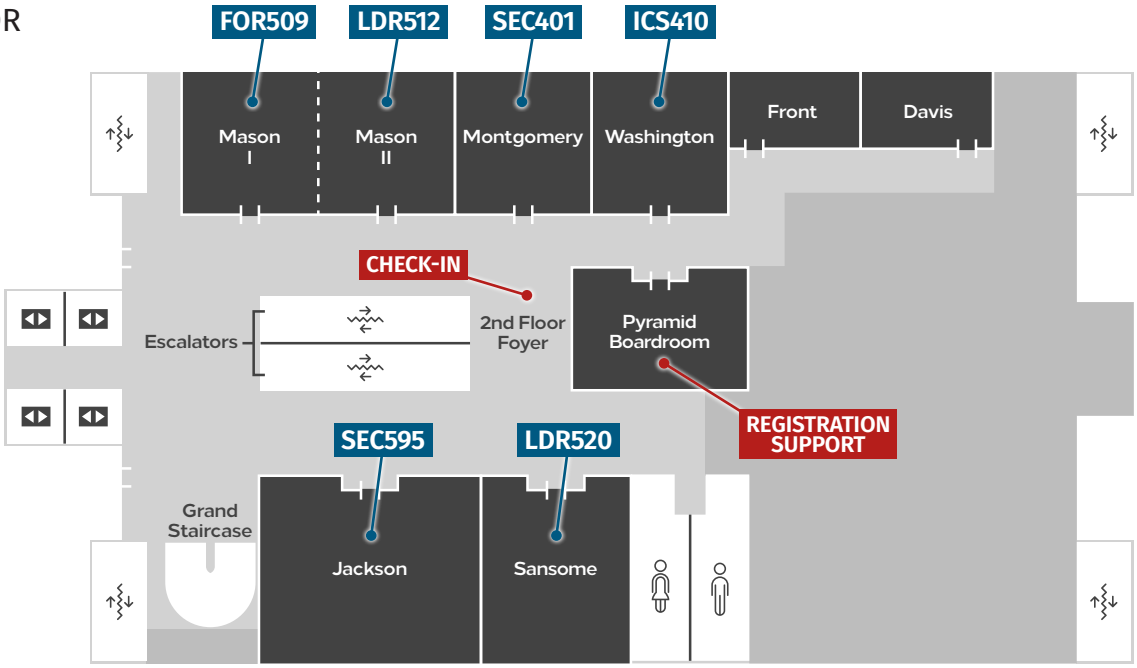
SANS@NIGHT:
2026 SOC Survey Review
DATE/TIME: Tuesday, November 3 | 6:00–7:00 PM
LOCATION: Jackson (2ND FLOOR)
SPEAKER: Christopher Crowley, Senior Instructor

SANS@NIGHT:
Q-day is Coming: Are You Ready Post Quantum Cryptography?
DATE/TIME: Wednesday, November 4 | 5:30–6:00 PM
LOCATION: Sansome (2ND FLOOR)
SPEAKER: Chris Edmundson, Certified Instructor

SANS@NIGHT:
A Guide into the World of Agentic AI
DATE/TIME: Wednesday, November 4 | 6:00–7:00 PM
LOCATION: Jackson (2ND FLOOR)
SPEAKER: Jean-Francois Maes, Senior Instructor

HOTEL FLOOR PLAN

FIRST FLOOR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