

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 Jackson (2ND FLOOR)

SEC595: Applied Data Science and AI/Machine Learning for Cybersecurity Professionals (6-DAY COURSE)

INSTRUCTORS: Ezekiel McReynolds &

Christopher Crowley Valencia (1ST 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:

Welcome to SANS 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

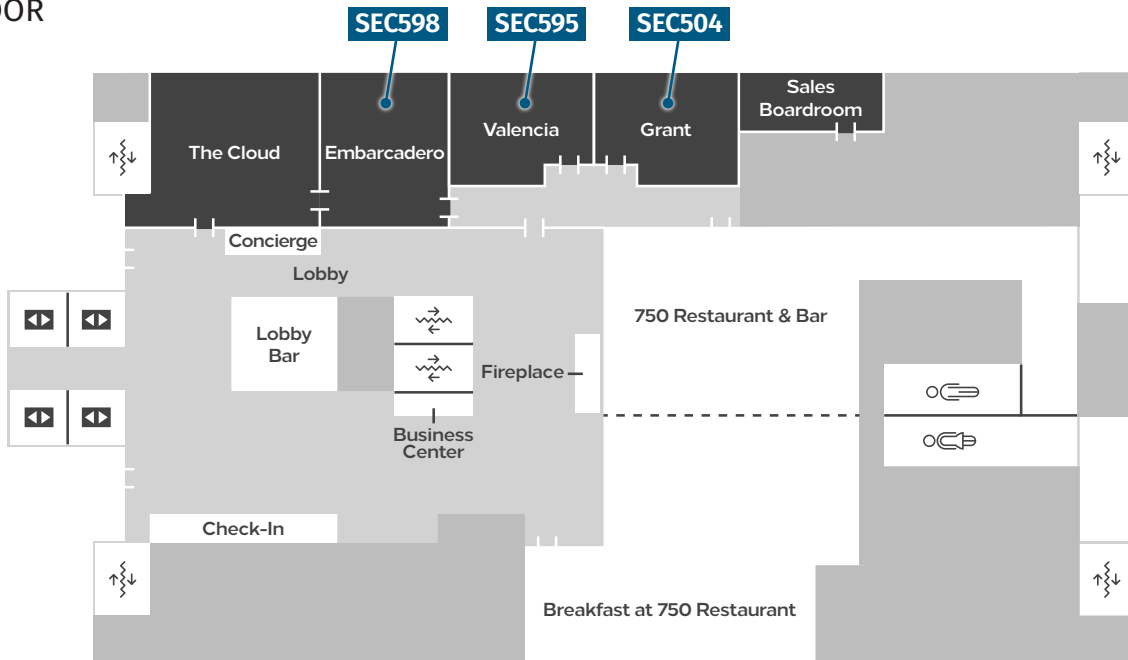
DATE/TIME: Wednesday, November 4 | 6:00–7:00 PM

LOCATION: Jackson (2ND FLOOR)

SPEAKER: Jean-Francois Maes, Senior Instructor

HOTEL FLOOR PLAN

FIRST FLOOR



2ND FLOOR

