

# Welcome to SANS DC Metro June

June 1–6, 2026 | Arlington, VA



## GENERAL INFORMATION

### Venue

Hilton Arlington Rosslyn The Key  
1900 Fort Myer Drive | Arlington, VA 22209

### Event Check-In | Badge & Courseware Distribution

Location: Pre-function (8TH FLOOR)

Monday, June 1 ..... 7:00–8:30 AM

### Registration Support

Location: Board Room (8TH FLOOR)

Monday, June 1–Friday, June 5 ..... 8:00 AM–5:30 PM

Saturday, June 6 ..... 8:00 AM–2:00 PM

### Parking

SANS attendees will receive a discounted parking rate of \$20/day and \$30/overnight with in-and-out privileges.

### Course Breaks

Morning Coffee ..... 7:00–9:00 AM

Morning Break\* ..... 10:30–10:50 AM

Lunch ..... 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

### FOR508: Advanced Incident Response, Threat Hunting, and Digital Forensics™ (6-DAY COURSE)

INSTRUCTOR: Mike Pilkington ..... Potomac A (8TH FLOOR)

### LDR512: Security Leadership Essentials for Managers™

(5-DAY COURSE)

INSTRUCTOR: Kevin Garvey ..... Georgetown (8TH FLOOR)

### LDR514: Security Strategic Planning, Policy, and Leadership™ (5-DAY COURSE)

INSTRUCTOR: Mark Williams ..... Shenandoah (8TH FLOOR)

### SEC401: Security Essentials (6-DAY COURSE)

INSTRUCTORS: Bryan Simon & Matt Kennedy ..... Potomac B (8TH 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: Joshua Wright ..... Arlington (8TH FLOOR)

HOURS: 8:30 AM–7:15 PM (COURSE DAY 1)

### SEC573: AI-Powered Security Automation: Building Tools with Python, LLMs, and MCP™ (6-DAY COURSE)

INSTRUCTOR: Mark Baggett ..... Rosslyn (8TH FLOOR)

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## SPECIAL EVENTS

### RECEPTION:

#### Welcome Reception

DATE/TIME: Tuesday, June 2 | 5:30–6:00 PM

LOCATION: Pre-function (8TH FLOOR)

### SANS@NIGHT:

#### Chopping AI Down to Size: Paul Bunyan's Guide to Thriving in Cyber Careers

DATE/TIME: Tuesday, June 2 | 6:00–7:00 PM

LOCATION: Potomac A (8TH FLOOR)

SPEAKER: Mark Baggett

### SANS@NIGHT:

#### Own Your Career: Indispensable Career Moves to Protect Current and Future Next Steps

DATE/TIME: Wednesday, June 3 | 6:00–7:00 PM

LOCATION: Potomac A (8TH FLOOR)

SPEAKER: Kevin Garvey

## HOTEL FLOOR PLAN

### 8TH FLOOR

