CHAPTER LEADERSHIP LINK

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Welcome to (ISC)² Chapter Leadership Link, a quarterly newsletter for chapters officers to provide updates about (ISC)² HQ, chapter program announcements, and important information to know/communicate to chapter members.

What's New this Quarter?

- 2022 Annual Chapter Report
- Chapters in the Know
- Chapter Technology
- $500 Chapter Stipend
- Chapter Impact Challenge
- Global Chapter Achievement Awards
- Chapter Spotlight
- (ISC)² Brand Update

CHAPTER PROGRAM UPDATES

The 2022 (ISC)² Annual Chapter Report Summary

Each year chapters submit their Annual Report on activities, challenges, successes, structure, membership, programs, and more. We use this information and feedback to inform our decisions on improving the Chapter Program and to enhance your volunteer experience. We compiled this information into a summary report to share these findings with you. Download your copy here.

Attend the Next "Chapters in the Know"

Register for the next "Chapters in the Know" to discuss new chapter updates and share your insights! As mentioned in the previous "Chapters in the Know", this year we will be hosting more frequent sessions to keep you updated throughout the year and gather your feedback. The webinar will be held Tuesday, April 4, 2023, from 11:00 am – 12:00 pm ET (4:00 pm UTC), 1 CPE. We will discuss the following topics:

- Chapter Technology Survey
- $500 Chapter Stipend Program
- Chapter Impact Challenge updates
- Global Chapter Conference
- (ISC)² By-laws Committee

Register Now!

Chapter Technology Survey

We are excited to announce that we are planning the expansion of chapter technology offerings and support! Our goal is to streamline chapter operations and enhance your volunteer experience so that you can focus on what you enjoy most, impacting the cybersecurity profession. In order to ensure we focus on your top priorities, please let us know what technology services would make the biggest impact for you and your chapter. Submit your feedback

$500 Chapter Stipend for Your Chapter

In order to better support our chapters, we are happy to announce that (ISC)² will offer a U.S. $500 stipend to all chapters in 2023. This financial support will help you carry out your administrative or operational functions, as well as fund your mission to connect, educate, inspire and secure. There are two ways to claim this stipend:

1. If your chapter is legally registered, fill out a survey and W9 to begin the process.
2. If your chapter is not legally registered, submit a one-time reimbursement request for up to U.S. $500 to receive the stipend funds.

Learn more on the Chapter Portal.

Chapter Impact Challenge

Join the NEW INITIATIVE launched this year!
The Chapter Impact Challenge will be an annual program that provides targeted opportunities for Chapters to be part of the Center's global movement for social good through cybersecurity. The inaugural challenge supports the 1MCC Boost program which removes the barriers that prevent many from taking advantage of the (ISC)² One Million Certified in Cybersecurity program. There are many ways your chapter can participate!

Get started by downloading the Chapter Toolkit and register here.

CHAPTER SPOTLIGHT

(ISC)² Toronto Chapter

The (ISC)² Toronto Chapter is very excited to report the event they recently held at Conestoga College, which was a great success. Over 100 students registered and attended. Additionally, they were fortunate to have the participation of 5 esteemed industry professionals. Please take a moment to visit the college's blog to read more about the event.

(ISC)² UAE Chapter

Congratulations to the UAE Chapter for working hard to gain the license to operate, we look forward to seeing all that you will do in the years to come! (ISC)2 staff including Clar Rosso, Clayton Jones, and Ed Parsons were able to join the chapter officers for a lunch meeting prior to GISEC (shown right).

(ISC)² UPDATES

(ISC)² Bylaws Committee

You spoke. We listened, and now we need your participation. Meet the 2023 (ISC)² Bylaws Committee and learn how you can contribute to this year's bylaws review and amendment process. Board of Directors member and Bylaws Committee Chair Lisa Young, CISSP, will guide us through this year's process. The committee will review how they are creating more opportunities for ALL members to provide input and help guide the future direction of our association. Watch the recording of the March 21, 2023 meeting here.

2023 Global Achievement Award Nominations are Open!

Nominations are now open to highlight outstanding cybersecurity professionals at any stage of their career. There are over 12 categories, many of which are celebrated in each region. The award winners will be acknowledged at (ISC)² Security Congress.

Don't miss out, application submissions close on May 12.

(ISC)² Security Congress – See Y'all in Music City!

Join us for (ISC)2 Security Congress 2023, where cybersecurity innovation and leadership take center stage. Learn and network with thousands of your professional peers at the spectacular Gaylord Opryland Resort and Convention Center in Nashville, TN. It's going to be grand!

We will have the Chapter Leadership Meeting on Oct. 24, 2023, preceding the conference. Mark your calendars!

(ISC)² Brand Update

We are excited to share news of (ISC)²'s brand refresh coming in late June. The launch will complement the launch of a more robust user-friendly web experience designed around your needs. Some benefits include more robust navigation and Chapter finder designed to help visitors find their information easier.
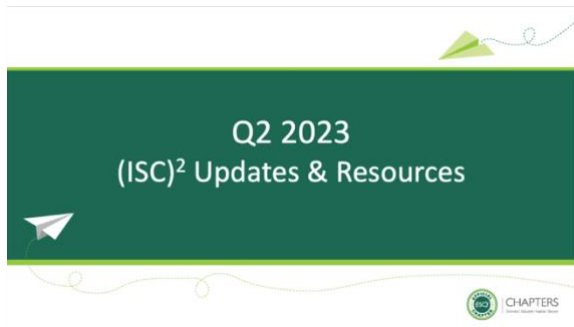
As we were planning our brand refresh, your input about the important needs for the profession and the professional were our north star. One important factor is creating more accessibility to membership and credentialling to help fill the workforce gap with highly qualified, certified cybersecurity professionals. While we have worked toward programs that further distinguish your certifications and credentials, the new website and refreshed brand will further aid in presenting you as a leader in the cybersecurity profession.

We're excited about this refresh and the opportunity to introduce (ISC)² to more people. We'll continue to keep you updated with progress.

TRAINING PROMOTIONS & RESOURCES

Present at Your Next Chapter Meeting

We have prepared a PowerPoint presentation to share with your chapter members timely (ISC)² updates, training promotions and other resources available. Use the complete deck or pick the slides that are most relevant to your members:

Thank you for volunteering.
"Nothing liberates our greatness like the desire to help, the desire to serve."
– Marianne Willamson