CSUF Center for Cybersecurity

CSUF Center for cybersecurity was founded by the College of Engineering and Computer Science at California State University, Fullerton (CSUF) to advance education, research, and synergy in the field of cybersecurity. We actively seek opportunities to work with academic and industry partners who share in our mission.
Computing technology is an integral part of today’s society. The mission of the CSUF Center for Cybersecurity is to help mitigate cyberattacks targeting critical infrastructure, personal privacy, financial assets, and national security. We believe that by strengthening security education, spearheading academic research, and synergizing with industry, we can elevate the standards of cybersecurity:

**Education:** We implement high-impact learning practices that prepare students for long-term success in the field.

**Research:** We investigate a gamut of urgent security problems in cloud computing, biometrics, mobile technologies, access controls, network security, and many other fields.

**Synergy:** With our industrial partners, we work to develop security curricula, to advance research, and to serve the public.

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**Our Mission**

**Our Goals**

♦ To maintain top-notch cybersecurity curriculum founded on high-impact pedagogical practices combining classroom, research, and industry experiences. Our long-term goal is to become a nationally recognized center of excellence in cybersecurity education.

Our student working on a journal publication related to cloud computing security.

♦ To foster synergy between CSUF faculty and industry researchers. We especially emphasize joint research ventures producing results publishable in high-ranking academic and industry venues.

♦ To construct college-to-industry pipelines supplying our industrial partners with the steady stream of security talent.

♦ To sponsor social events helping our students and faculty connect with security professionals from academia and industry. Every year, we sponsor the Security Day event where we invite speakers from all facets of security to share their experiences and network.

♦ To organize security conferences, workshops, and student competitions.

♦ To encourage activities leading to the acquisition of funds supporting security education and research.

♦ To promote student and faculty involvement in community service projects.

Dean Unnikrishnan, Prof. Mikhail Gofman, and student president of the CSUF Information Security Society student security club during Welcome to CSUF Day event.

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