

15th Annual Peak Cyber Symposium

"Securing the Future: AI, Cyber, and Data in a Hyperconnected"



	Thursday,	October 2, 2025 - The	e Antlers Hotel	
7:30 am - 9:00 am	Registration Opens & Coffee Served			
8:30 am - 9:00 am	Exhibits Open			
9:00 am - 9:10 am	Call to Order, Opening Announcements, & Opening Keynote Introduction Halie Anthony, Founder & CEO, RISE Executive Coaching Master of Ceremonies (MC)			
9:10 am - 10:00 am	The Great Cybersecurity Reset Dr. Ron Ross, CEO, RONROSSECURE, LLC Cybersecurity Advisory			
10:00 am - 10:30 am	Break - Visit Exhbits - Continental Breakfast Served in Exhibit Room			
10:30 am - 11:15 am	The Cookbook for Al Failures Dr. Dale W. Meyerrose, Major General, U.S. Air Force (retired) President, MeyerRose Group			
11:15 am - 11:30 am	Break - Visit Exhibits			
11:30 am - 12:15 pm	A Bleak Future: Artificial Intelligence & Its Plans for Humanity Joseph Cheung, Principal Architect, ArcLight6 Consulting			
12:15 pm - 1:45 pm	Break - Lunch on Your Own - Visit Exhibits			
	TRACK 1 Heritage C & D	TRACK 2 Heritage E & F	TRACK 3 Fremont Room	CTF 12:30 PM - 2:45 PM - Carson Room
1:45 pm - 2:15 pm	Securing the DOD Mission in a Hyperconnected Era: Leveraging Intelligent Data Infrastructure to Ensure Rapid, Efficient, and Cyber Resilient Al and Mission Data Jim Cosby, CTO, Public Sector and Partners Global Strategy Technology Office, NetApp U.S. Public Sector	Building your Cyber Career Roadmap Steve Winterfeld, Advisory CISO, Cyber Vigilance Advice		* Limited to 60 attendees * Laptops are required in order to participate. * Preregistration is also required! To learn more and to preregister to attend, visit: https://epochconcepts.com/event/capture-the-flag-at-peak-cyber-summit-2025/
2:15 pm - 2:30 pm	Break - Visit Exhibits - Cookies & Brownies Served in Exhibit Room HIGHLIGHTS			
2:30 pm - 3:00 pm	Building A Seamless Cyber Defense Joseph J. Wingo, Colonel, USAF (Ret) Director of DoD Strategy, Armis Federal	Zero Trust for Open Source: Securing the Software Supply Chain for the Mission, Not Just the Audit Matteo Rebeschini, Senior Field Engineer, Chainguard	Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification (CMMC) - Is your company ready? Michael "Mike" Crandall Founder & CEO Digital Beachhead	* Learn about Elastic Security and its new features. * Practice what you have learned with a Capture the Flag (CTF) exercise based on a real-life investigation and threat hunting
3:00 pm - 3:15 pm	Break - Visit Exhibits scenario.			



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3:15 pm - 3:45 pm	Securely Accelerating 3rd-Party Software Acquisition Andy Lewis, Technical Marketing Manager, ReversingLabs & Heather Papoulis, Federal Solutions Representative, ReversingLabs	Post-Quantum Cryptography: Preparing for the Inevitable Zac Mott, Manager, Systems Engineering and Consulting Architects, Fortinet Federal	The Prompt Paradox: How Every Al Advance Arms Defenders and Adversaries Alike Gary Whitsett, Founder & CEO, Bees Computing	* The top three CTF winners will be awarded a prize. * CTF concludes at 2:45 PM
3:45 pm - 3:50 pm	Short Break			
3:50 pm - 4:30 pm	Zero Trust and Culture Management Oralondo L. Hicks, Zero Trust Industry Subject Matter Expert (SME)			
4:40 pm - 6:30 pm	The Peak Cyber Happy Hour @ Phantom Canyon Brewery (across the street from The Antlers Hotel - 2 E Pikes Peak Ave) - 4:40 PM - 6:30 PM. • All Peak Cyber participants are invited. • Drink tickets and appetizers will be provided. • Co-hosted by ISSA-COS & NDIA - RMC. • Happy Hour Industry Sponsors: * Pikes Peak: One Technology * Garden of the Gods: Laverty Cyber * Garden of the Gods: Murray Security Services * Garden of the Gods: NetApp * Garden of the Gods: RISE Executive Coaching			

Friday, October 3, 2025 - The Antlers Hotel				
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Registration & Exhibits Open – Continental Breakfast Served			
9:00 am - 9:10 am	Call to Order, Opening Announcements, & Opening Keynote Introduction Halie Anthony, Founder & CEO, RISE Executive Coaching Master of Ceremonies (MC)			
9:10 am - 10:00 am	Zero Trust, Terrain, and Holding the High Ground John Kindervag, Creator of Zero Trust & Chief Evangelist, Illumio & Gary Barlet, Public Sector CTO, Illumio			
10:00 am - 10:20 am	Break - Visit Exhibits			
10:20 am - 11:00 am	Space Domain Awareness of Resident Space Objects Bearing Cyber-Suspicious Indicators Kinzy Pearson, Junior Systems Engineer, AMERICAN SYSTEMS			
11:00 am - 11:15 am	Break - Visit Exhibits			
11:15 am - 11:45 am	TRACK 1 – Heritage C & D	TRACK 2 – Heritage E & F		



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	Modernizing and Securing Mission Data Greg Carl, Principal Technologist, Pure Storage	Cyber Security - What We as an Industry are Doing Wrong? William Hoffman, Chief Security Officer, FrontLine Cyber Solutions	
11:45 am - 1:15 pm	Break - Lunch on Your Own - Visit Exhibits		
1:15 PM - 1:45 PM	Technology Rationalization Max Shier, Vice President, Chief Information Security Officer, Amentum		
1:45 pm - 2:00 pm	Break - Visit Exhibits - Cookies & Brownies Served - In Exhibit Room		
2:00 pm - 2:30 pm	Air Gapped Al for Security Operations Cory Wallace, Director of Product Marketing, Crogl	From Imposter to Empowered Halie Anthony, Founder & CEO, RISE Executive Coaching Master of Ceremonies (MC)	
2:30 pm - 2:45 pm	Break - Visit Exhibits - Exhibits Close at 3:00 pm		
2:45 pm - 3:15 pm	Man vs. Machine: Unpacking the 5 Biggest Myths in Automated and Al Penetration Testing Terry Bradley, President Emeritus, OWASP - Colorado Springs Chapter		
3:15 pm - 3:20 pm	Short Break		
3:20 pm - 4:00 pm	The Peril of Progress: A Legal and Ethical Analysis of Al Harm and Accountability Dr. Shawn Murray, President & CAO, Murray Security Services		
4:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Cybersecurity First Friday at Peak Cyber (CFF) • All Peak Cyber Participants are welcome to attend. There is no fee. • Drink tickets and appetizers will be provided. • Register to attend here: https://www.cybersecurityfirstfriday.com/events/first-friday-2025-10		