

# GCSI 2023

## GLOBAL CYBER SECURITY INITIATIVE



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April 11, 2023

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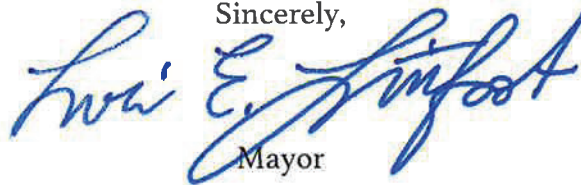
On behalf of the City of Chicago, I am honored to welcome all those gathered for the 2023 Global Cyber Security Initiative Conference.

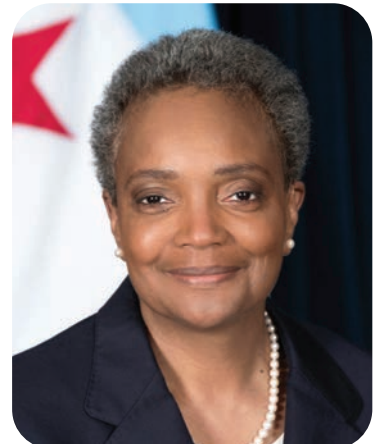
Founded in 2016, the Global Cyber Security Initiative (GCSI), has worked to lead global innovation in cyber security, address areas of concerns for large businesses, and come up with solutions for future concerns. Over the years GCSI has forged partnerships with organizations including Illinois Institute of Technology, mHUB, IBM, and Association of Information Technology Professionals helping to catapult GCSI into the spotlight of Cyber Security innovation.

This year's conference will bring together industry professionals to network, learn, and inspire. With a full schedule of keynote speakers, discussion panels, and networking opportunities, attendees will gain the tools and resources needed to move the cyber security industry forward. I commend the Global Cyber Security Initiative and all those involved for their ongoing efforts to improve cyber security and foster innovation for highly regulated industries.

I hope your event is memorable and enjoyable. Best wishes for continued success.

Sincerely,

  
Mayor





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**JB PRITZKER**  
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March 29, 2023

Global Cyber Security Initiative  
Chicago, Illinois

Dear all,

I want to extend my warmest wishes to you all during this joyful moment. I hope you take hold of these opportunities to reflect on your incredible work and continue to soar to greater heights as you continue to lead the world in global innovation surrounding cyber security.

To celebrate an occasion such as this is a significant milestone for any organization; all that the Global Cyber Security Initiative (GCSI) has accomplished throughout the years makes it even more special. Your longevity is truly a testament to the impact and relationships you have fostered through the years. I have no doubt your organization will continue to excel for years to come.

I commend everyone with GCSI and its co-hosts that worked on the today's events. I also, want to congratulate each of your award winners. Your hard work, dedication, passion, and leadership make our community and state a better place.

I am honored to join the commemoration of The Global Cyber Security Initiative's Third Annual Cyber Security Summit. On behalf of the people of Illinois, I offer my best wishes for an enjoyable and impactful event, and for many more great years ahead.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "JB Pritzker".

Governor JB Pritzker





Greetings,

It is my pleasure to welcome you all to MxD (Manufacturing x Digital) to participate in the Global Cyber Security Initiative's (GCSI) third annual cybersecurity summit. MxD is the Department of Defense's National Center for Cybersecurity in Manufacturing and is a public-private partnership helping to transform and secure U.S. manufacturing innovation through digital technologies, cybersecurity, and an empowered workforce.

Manufacturing has become the number one targeted industry for cyber-attacks, and to secure our supply chains, we must come together to ensure that all links in the chain are strong. Today's discussions will include how technology can be used to help protect our operations, but we must not forget the role of a digitally-savvy and cyber-skilled manufacturing workforce in creating a secure supply chain. The mutual focus on technology and people will help ensure that our manufacturing supply chains and critical infrastructure are protected from cyber-attacks.

I look forward to the conversations, partnerships, and connections forged today to build a more secure future together.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Berardino Baratta', written in a cursive style.

Berardino Baratta

CEO, MxD



Dear Friends,

On behalf of Illinois Institute of Technology, I'm honored to welcome you to this year's Global Cyber Security Initiative (GCSI) summit.

The GCSI was founded to address the areas of concern outlined by the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority. Since its creation, GCSI has successfully partnered with Illinois Tech, among other prominent cybersecurity voices, and emerged as a key innovator in the field.

This conference—where thought leaders, companies, researchers, and government come together to share ideas and collaborate to address today's critical cybersecurity challenges—is crucial in today's increasingly interconnected world.

At Illinois Tech, we're innovating to address these global cybersecurity challenges and push the field forward through cross-disciplinary thinking. The U.S. Department of Homeland Security and the National Security Agency have designated Illinois Tech as a National Center of Academic Excellence in Cyber Defense Education, and the university's Center for Cyber Security and Forensics Education (C<sup>2</sup>SAFE) is at the core of Illinois Tech's designation.

I commend the GCSI for its critical contributions to cybersecurity innovation, and I look forward to our continued partnership in the years ahead.

Sincerely,



Raj Echambadi  
President, Illinois Institute of Technology



# Global Cyber Security Conference 2022 at MxD



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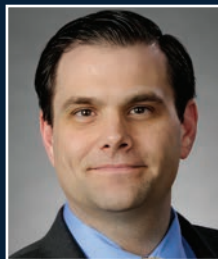
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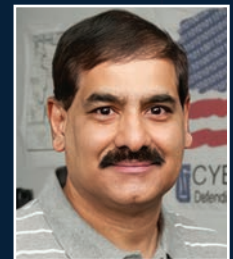
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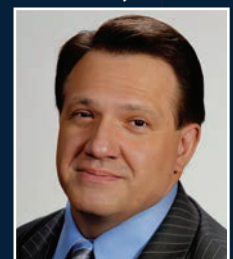
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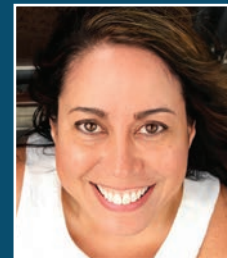
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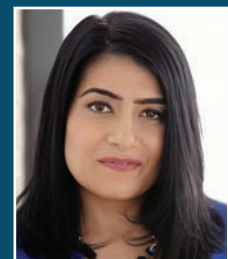
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# GLOBAL CYBER SECURITY CONFERENCE - 2019

## Past Attendees

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### Opportunity to meet and network with nearly 100 leaders representing

- Senior Executives, CxOs and CISOs,
- Senior Security Officers and
- Other senior cybersecurity professionals from a broad range of industries
- More than 20 prominent speakers.

The Global Cyber Security Initiative (GCSI), Critical Infrastructure, OT and Manufacturing Conference is co-hosted with MxD and Pan Asian American Business Council (PAABC). GCSI 2023 annual conference is co-hosted with Illinois Institute of Technology and Pan Asian American Business Council (PAABC) Join and Network with Our Target Audience Senior Executives, CISOs, technology CxOs, Attorneys in Fintech, CPAs and cybersecurity and risksenior practitioners.



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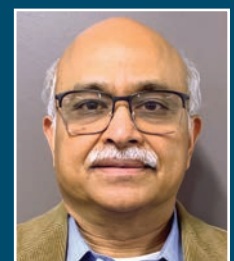
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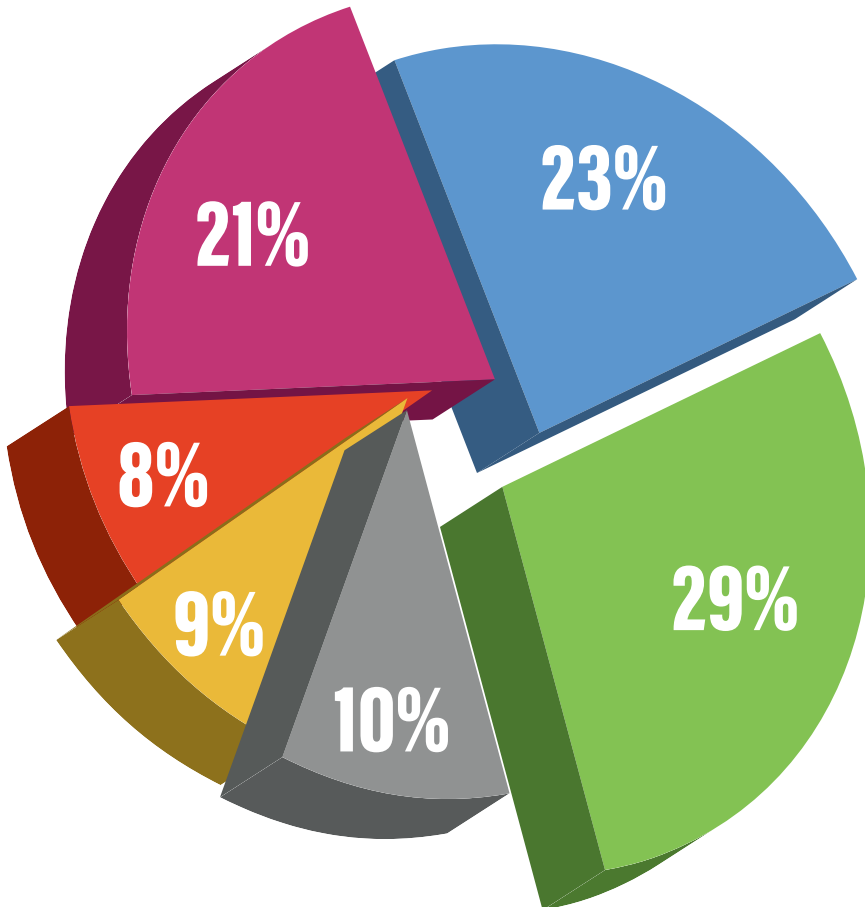


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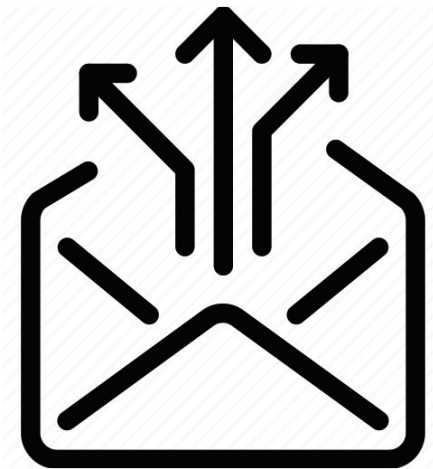
**Senior Executives  
CISOs, technology CxOs,  
Attorneys in Fintech  
CPAs and cybersecurity and  
Risk senior practitioners.**



## Past Attendees

- President/Chairman/MD
- CEO/CIO/CXO/Sr VP
- CISO
- Director/Sr Manager
- Attorney/CPA
- Sr Analyst/Manager/Professional

**Pre Conference CISOs and  
speakers dinner  
Monthly Panel Discussions  
and Product demos**



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Sponsorship Naming  
Introduce Morning or Afternoon Agenda (5 min)  
Table and Five Guest passes  
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Designated table

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