

# 2026



## NORTH CAROLINA CYBERSECURITY SYMPOSIUM

Working Together. Solving Problems. Securing North Carolina

February 19-20, 2026; McKimmon Center, Raleigh, NC

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- **Projected 450+ attendees**
- **Students from around the region (great recruiting opportunity!)**
- **20 sessions, 8 workshops**
- **Recent sponsors include:**  
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## ABOUT THE EVENT HOST

The North Carolina Cybersecurity Symposium is hosted by the North Carolina Partnership for Cybersecurity Excellence [NC-PACE] - a coalition of educational, government, and industry organizations working together to meet the cybersecurity needs of North Carolina, while strengthening and advancing the state's cybersecurity ecosystem.

NC-PACE member institutions:

- **NC State University – Lead Institution**
- **East Carolina University**
- **Duke University**
- **Forsyth Technical Community College**
- **North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University [NC A&T]**
- **North Carolina Central University**
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| <b>PLATINUM SPONSOR</b><br>[Sold Out] |          | <p>Thank you Cisco for being the 2026 Platinum Sponsor again in 2026!</p>  |
| <b>GOLD SPONSOR</b><br>[Limit 2]      | \$10,000 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Main Stage Recognition – Introduction as a Gold Sponsor by event host</li><li>• Company logo included on rolling screen between speakers</li><li>• Company logo included on Symposium signage</li><li>• Logo recognition on website linked to company homepage</li><li>• 10 complimentary registrations to the full Symposium (\$2,000 value)</li><li>• Exposure for your company in social media posts about the event</li><li>• Free exhibitor space with enhanced table space and placement</li><li>• Contact information for attendees provided at the conclusion of the event</li></ul> |

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| LEVEL  | FEE     | DESCRIPTION  |
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| <b>SILVER SPONSOR</b><br><br>2 Sold, 1 Available | \$5,000 | <p>Main Stage Recognition – Introduction as a Silver Sponsor by event host</p> <p>Company logo included on rolling screen between speakers</p> <p>Company logo included on Symposium signage</p> <p>Logo recognition on website linked to company homepage</p> <p>5 complimentary registrations to the full Symposium (\$1,000 value)</p> <p>Exposure for your company in social media posts about the event</p> <p>Exhibitor space with enhanced table space and placement</p> <p>Contact information for attendees provided at the conclusion of the event</p> <p>Many thanks to Fortinet and Radiant Logic for being Silver Sponsors in 2026!</p> |
| <b>STUDENT TRAVEL SPONSOR</b>                    | \$7,500 | <p>Silver Sponsor Level <i>PLUS</i> a contribution to offset student travel costs to Raleigh from UNC Wilmington, UNC Charlotte, NC A&amp;T, ECU, Forsyth Tech, and UNC Pembroke.</p>  |

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| <b>NETWORKING<br/>EVENT<br/>SPONSOR</b><br><br>[Sold-Out] | \$4,500 | <p>Thank you SentinelOne for being the 2026 Networking Event Sponsor!</p> <p>Main Stage Recognition – Introduction as a Networking Event Sponsor by event host</p> <p>Company logo included on rolling screen between speakers</p> <p>Company logo included on Symposium signage</p> <p>Logo recognition on website linked to company homepage</p> <p>2 complimentary registrations to the full Symposium</p> <p>Exposure for your company in social media posts about the event</p> <p>Exhibitor space with enhanced table space and placement</p> <p>Contact information for attendees provided at the conclusion of the event</p> |



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| EXHIBITOR | \$1,500 | <p>Are you interested in exhibiting your company or organization products, services to an audience of highly skilled and informed cybersecurity practitioners from North Carolina businesses, along with federal, state, and local government technology leaders? Our exhibition area will enable you to meet current and future customers and partners, exchange ideas, and showcase your solutions or opportunities! This event is designed for start-ups to mature companies looking to expand their audience and contribute to NC cybersecurity education, research, and economic opportunities.</p> <p>Exhibition space is available for \$1,500 [Feb. 19 - 20] and includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 3 complimentary registrations to the full Symposium</li><li>• Exhibitor space</li><li>• Logo recognition website linked to company homepage</li><li>• Exposure for your company in social media posts about the event</li><li>• Contact information for attendees provided at the conclusion of the event</li></ul> |

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| <b>SUPPORTER</b> | <b>\$1,000</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 1 Complimentary registration to the full Symposium</li><li>• Logo recognition on website linked to company homepage</li></ul> |



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- Sponsorship Opportunities are coordinated by Laura Rodgers, Director, NC-PACE; [ldrodger@ncsu.edu](mailto:ldrodger@ncsu.edu).
- Exhibit Area – sponsor/exhibitor tables will be in the main ballroom and are assigned based on sponsorship level.
- Sponsorships are not refundable.
- If you are interested in sponsoring the 2026 NC Cybersecurity Symposium, please contact Laura Rodgers at [ldrodger@ncsu.edu](mailto:ldrodger@ncsu.edu).
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