



NICE Community Coordinating Council

Meeting Agenda

July 28, 2026 | 3:30-4:30PM ET

- I. Introduction and Ground Rules** –Susana Barraza, NICE Program Manager
- II. Opening Remarks**
 - a. Government Co-Chair – Karen Wetzel, Director of NICE, NIST
- III. Featured Content**
 - a. Framework Feature – Applications and Uses of Workforce Framework for Cybersecurity

From Course Outcomes to Workforce Skills: A Practical Method for Mapping Cybersecurity Curriculum to the NICE Framework
Presented by Syed Ali, Acting Assistant Professor of Cybersecurity Computing, Utah Tech University
URL: <https://computing.utahtech.edu/>
- IV. Community Progress Reports**
 - a. Project Progress Reports
 - i. NICE Conference and Expo
Presented by Vanessa Leker, Florida International University
URL: <https://niceconference.org/>
 - ii. US Cyber Games
Presented by Jessica Gulick, Katzcy
URL: <https://www.uscybergames.com/>
 - iii. NICE K12 Cybersecurity Education Conference
December 7-8, 2026, New Orleans, Louisiana
Presented by Felicia Lamb, iKeepSafe
URL: <https://www.k12cybersecurityconference.org/>
- V. Featured Topic**

Multidisciplinary Pathways to Cybersecurity Professionals
Presented by Honglu Jiang, Professor, Miami University
URL: <https://miamioh.edu/>

2026 Cybersecurity Career Week event held by SANS in coordination with NICE
Presented by Brian Correia, Director of Business Development, GIAC|SANS
Registration is coming soon.

VI. Closing Remarks and Next Meeting Reminder

The next NICE Community Coordinating Council Meeting will be on **November 17, 2026**, at 3:30PM ET.

Upcoming Meetings:

- [NICE K12 Cybersecurity Education COI](#): August 13, 2026, 3:30 – 4:30 PM ET
- [NICE Cybersecurity Career Ambassadors COI](#): August 14, 2026, 1:00 – 2:00 PM ET

Upcoming Events:

- [NICE Webinar Series](#):
 - [Preparing Today's Students for Tomorrow's Cyber Careers](#): September 16, 2026, 2:00-3:00 PM ET
- [Cybersecurity Career Week](#): October 19-24, 2026
- [NICE K12 Cybersecurity Education Conference](#): December 7-8, 2026, New Orleans, Louisiana
- NICE Events [Calendar](#)