CyberNI Week

NI Cyber Security Centre

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EVENT HOST INFORMATION PACK

1 - 7 MARCH 2027



COLLABORATING TO STRENGTHEN CYBER RESILENCE

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Event Host Information Pack

Details:

Name: CyberNI Week 27
Event Date Range: Monday 1 March - Sunday 7 March 2027
Location: Northern Ireland
Event Type: In person, Virtual or Hybrid

Key Contact

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CyberNI Week Overview

CyberNI Week 2027 will focus on the theme 'Collaborating to Strengthen Cyber Resilience', bringing together the public sector, industry, academia, the charity and voluntary sector, and citizens across Northern Ireland. Supporting the objectives of the National Cyber Security Strategy, CyberNI Week aims to foster collaboration, share best practice and strengthen cyber resilience across all sectors.

CyberNI Week will highlight the importance of collective action in addressing the ever-evolving cyber threat landscape, helping organisations and individuals across Northern Ireland strengthen their defences against cyber threats and contribute to a secure and resilient digital future.

Key Objectives

1. **Promote Cross-Sector Collaboration:** Facilitate dialogue and partnerships across the different sectors within Northern Ireland, including Public Sector, Industry, Academia, Charity & Voluntary and Citizens, to create a unified approach to cyber security.
2. **Share Cyber Security Best Practices:** Provide a platform for sharing strategies, tools and techniques that enhance cyber resilience across different sectors.
3. **Enhance Awareness and Education:** Increase the understanding of current cyber threats, vulnerabilities and the importance of protective/preventive measures to mitigate cyber risks.
4. **Encourage Innovation:** Showcase new technologies and innovative solutions that can strengthen cyber defences.
5. **Community and Network building:** Build and strengthen a cyber community across Northern Ireland, creating opportunities to connect, collaborate and share cyber security best practice.
6. **Cyber Growth:** Support the growth of Northern Ireland's cyber sector by encouraging more people to develop the skills needed to enter and progress within the cyber workforce.



Audience

- Public Sector
- Industry
- Academia
- Charity & Voluntary
- Citizens

Event Types

- **Webinars/In Person Events:** Insights from leading experts and influential figures in the cyber security field on the importance of collaboration for cyber resilience.
- **Panel Discussions:** Interactive sessions with experts discussing real world challenges and collaborative solutions to enhance cyber security across different sectors.
- **Workshops and Training Sessions:** Interactive sessions focused on practical skills, emerging threats and new technologies to improve cyber security skills.
- **Networking Sessions:** Provide attendees the opportunity to connect with different sectors in Northern Ireland, share ideas and form partnerships.
- **Case Study Presentations:** Provide real-life examples of successful collaborations and strategies that have improved cyber resilience and reduced risks from cyber threats.
- **Cyber Security Best Practice Events:** Sharing best practice across the various sectors within Northern Ireland.

Theme Messaging

- **Manage:** Building resilience through strong governance, collaboration and shared responsibility.
- **Protect:** Strengthening our collective defences against an evolving cyber threat landscape.
- **Detect:** Harnessing emerging technology and innovation to identify and understand threats at speed.
- **Respond & Recover:** Building the capability to respond, recover and maintain resilience at speed

Marketing and Promotion

NI Cyber Security Centre (NICSC) will:

- Promote all approved CyberNI Week events through the NICSC website and social media channels.
- Promote CyberNI Week through wider communications and media activity.
- Include event host logos in relevant CyberNI Week promotional material.
- Provide approved event hosts with the CyberNI Week Branding Pack to support their promotional activity.

Event hosts will be asked to:

- Submit their event for approval to the NICSC before **29 January 2027**
- Promote their event across networks
- Utilise CyberNI Week branding
- Provide NICSC with feedback from event (attendees, numbers, etc)

The CyberNI Week Branding Pack will be provided to all hosts for use in promoting approved events.

As an event host, you will also receive two complimentary tickets to the CyberNI Week Launch Event, taking place on Monday 1 March in Belfast City Centre. The Launch Event is invite-only, bringing together key stakeholders from across Northern Ireland's cyber community. Further details, including the venue and timings, will be confirmed closer to the event.

The Launch Event will provide an excellent opportunity to network with fellow event hosts, key stakeholders and CyberNI Conference speakers, helping to build connections and kick-start an exciting week of activity.

Success Metrics

- **Number of events:** Track the number of events and attendees
- **Feedback Surveys:** Feedback on the event to gauge satisfaction or areas for improvement.

Why host an event?

Hosting an event during CyberNI Week is an opportunity to:

- Showcase your expertise and raise your organisation's profile.
- Demonstrate leadership in cyber resilience, innovation and emerging technology.
- Connect and collaborate with government, industry, academia and the wider cyber community.
- Share knowledge and good practice that others can apply within their own organisations.
- Reach new audiences and increase your visibility through the wider CyberNI Week programme.
- Build new relationships and strengthen existing partnerships across Northern Ireland's cyber ecosystem.
- Contribute to Northern Ireland's collective cyber resilience by helping to create a more connected, informed and resilient society.

Host. Connect. Share. Lead.

Be part of CyberNI Week and help build a more secure, innovative and resilient Northern Ireland.

Register your event

Interested in being part of CyberNI Week 2027?

If your organisation is interested in hosting a Cyber Security event during CyberNI Week 2027, please complete the Event Registration Form

