

# Come Together

## At the 8th Annual Women in Cybersecurity (WiCyS) Conference

AURORA, CO | SEPTEMBER 8-10, 2021

### WiCyS is the premier event to RECRUIT, RETAIN and ADVANCE women in cybersecurity.

WiCyS brings together women in cybersecurity from academia, research, government, and industry. Beyond the annual conference, WiCyS is a community of ENGAGEMENT, ENCOURAGEMENT and SUPPORT for women in cybersecurity.

**FACTOID**  
3.5 million unfilled cybersecurity positions by 2021  
CYBERSECURITY VENTURES

**Women in CyberSecurity (WiCyS)** is the premier organization with international reach dedicated to bringing together women in cybersecurity from academia, research and industry to share knowledge, experience, networking and mentoring.

Initiated in 2013 by Dr. Ambareen Siraj of Tennessee Tech University through a National Science Foundation grant, WiCyS has become a non-profit organization offering many benefits for its members.

**The WiCyS Conference** is an excellent opportunity for companies to connect with women students and professional candidates to recruit them into cybersecurity jobs! More than half the attendees are students seeking opportunities who have been accepted through the WiCyS scholarship program that sponsorships help to support. Contact [conference@wicsys.org](mailto:conference@wicsys.org) for details

### TIMELINE

	OPENS	CLOSES
Call for conference sponsors	June 1, 2020	Until Full
WiCyS Conference Scholarship Application for Students, WiCyS Accommodation Grant Application for Faculty, WiCyS Veteran Fellowship Award Applications, and BIPOC WiCyS Fellowship Award Applications	September 1, 2020	March 1, 2021
Call for Program Participation	September 1, 2020	March 1, 2021
Student Poster Competition	September 1, 2020	March 1, 2021
Student Scholarship/Faculty Grant/Veteran/BIPOC Award Acceptance Notification	April 5, 2021	
Program Participation Acceptance Notification	April 5, 2021	
Student Poster Competition Notification	April 5, 2021	
Sponsorship Registration with Guaranteed Lodging	April 5, 2021	June 14, 2021
Student (w/Scholarship), Faculty (w/Grant), Veteran (w/Award), BIPOC (w/Award) Registration	April 5, 2021	June 7, 2021
Accepted Program Participation Registration	April 5, 2021	June 7, 2021
OPEN Registration and Lodging	June 28, 2021	Until Full
Conference Workshop Signups	TBD	TBD

### COST

	MEMBER	NON-MEMBER
<b>INDUSTRY PROFESSIONAL</b>	\$600	\$850
<b>U.S. GOVT/NON-PROFIT</b> Must have .gov or .org email address to qualify for member rate.	\$450	\$700
<b>FACULTY</b> Must have school-issued email address to qualify for member rate.	\$450	\$700
<b>ACTIVE DUTY</b> Military/Reserves/National Guard	\$450	members only
<b>STUDENTS</b> Must have school-issued email address to qualify for member rate. ONLY AVAILABLE VIA SCHOLARSHIP	\$40	members only
<b>U.S. VETERANS</b> Must have proof of service to qualify	\$200	members only
<b>U.S. MILITARY SPOUSE</b> Must have proof of service to qualify	\$200	members only

### WiCyS CONFERENCE COMPONENTS

- ← NEW for Sponsors: Industry Leadership Summit
- ← Keynote Speakers
- ← Technical Presentations
- ← Technical Workshops
- ← Poster Competition
- ← Panel Discussions
- ← Lightning Talks
- ← Birds of a Feather Sessions
- ← Mentoring and Networking Socials
- ← Mentor Office Hours
- ← Résumé Clinic
- ← Mock Interviews
- ← Professional Headshots
- ← Career Fair
- ← Affiliate MeetUp
- ← Student Chapter MeetUp
- ← National Cyber League Competition for WiCyS
- ← Member MeetUps

To learn more, visit [wicsys.org/wicsys-2021](http://wicsys.org/wicsys-2021)



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