

# WORK WITH US

We collaborate with experts from industry, government, and academia

The National Cybersecurity Center of Excellence (NCCoE) invites you to participate in a variety of opportunities at the center as a key player, building and deploying standards-based cybersecurity example solutions. You can suggest or help define problems for us to address, support the development of reference designs, and test them in real-world environments.

The center works with members of industry to identify use cases, which are sector-specific cybersecurity problems, and building blocks, which address technology gaps affecting multiple sectors. We then invite participation from the technology vendor community: Their products are modules in the end-to-end reference designs we build in our labs. Finally, we publish NIST Cybersecurity Practice Guides (Special Publication series 1800), which include all of the information and instruction needed to deploy reference designs. We encourage feedback on our practice guides from users, integrators, and others interested in deploying our example solutions.

We welcome collaborations with:

## INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY USERS



If you have an intractable cybersecurity problem, or ideas or components for an example solution, we'd like to hear from you. Or contact us to share your ideas for projects, use cases, or workshops.

## VENDORS



Work with us in our labs. You can contribute your expertise, hardware or software to the reference design for a specific problem. Watch the Federal Register and our website for calls for participation.

## REFERENCE DESIGN USERS



Deploy one of our example solutions, then provide feedback to help us validate and improve it. Check our website for news about the formation of user communities.

## INTEGRATORS



You can help companies implement our reference designs in real-world environments and provide feedback to help make them more easily deployable.

## NATIONAL CYBERSECURITY EXCELLENCE PARTNERS



Our core partners provide hardware, software, knowledge or personnel, designating guest researchers to work with us in person or remotely. Email us if you are interested in becoming a National Cybersecurity Excellence Partner.

## OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCIES



NIST's Work for Others Program, governed by the Program Management Office at the NCCoE, facilitates National Cybersecurity Federally Funded Research and Development Center contributions to complex and critical cyber programs of national importance.

The National Cybersecurity Center of Excellence at the National Institute of Standards and Technology addresses businesses' most pressing cybersecurity problems with practical, standards-based solutions using commercially available technologies. The NCCoE collaborates with industry, academic and government experts to build modular, open, end-to-end reference designs that are broadly applicable and repeatable.

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