CAPTURE THE FLAG
Cybersecurity Partnership

What if you could

- **prepare** the next generation of cybersecurity professionals and **create** a steady pipeline of prospective employees.
- **grow** your business through your support of UD’s CTF competition. Participants are students (undergraduate and MS/PhD students) and security professionals of all levels. A team of expert judges will oversee the event.

Did you know

- according to ISACA the skills gap in cybersecurity continues to widen, with 69% of respondents seeing their cybersecurity teams being understaffed and 32% reporting that it takes 6 months or more to fill cybersecurity jobs in their organization.¹
- this gap presents a unique opportunity for **multi-level engagement** with CCAP to prepare the next generation of cybersecurity professionals and create a steady pipeline of prospective employees for our partners.


Why UD

- the University of Delaware has a vibrant, active cybersecurity research and education program. UD is also designated NSA/DHS National Centers of Academic Excellence in Cyber Defense.
Capture the Flag Competition

Partner with us to foster interest in cybersecurity education to help address today’s talent gap in this field.

We are offering a number of exclusive sponsorship opportunities to businesses and organizations who are interested in promoting team building, problem solving and analytical thinking skills of cybersecurity professionals. The goal is to expose the participants to state-of-the-art security technologies and topics that may never encounter during previous training or during everyday work activities. Popular topics for CTF challenges may include categories like:

- **Offensive Security** binary exploitation and full compromise of a target system.
- **Reconnaissance** reverse engineering and digital forensics.
- **Web Security** finding vulnerabilities on online services.
- **Cryptography** breaking insecure implementations of modern cryptographic mechanisms.
- **Hardware Security** attacking physical implementations of secure systems.
- **Programming** test their ability to develop a prototype program to solve a problem in a very short period of time.

### Sponsorship Benefits

#### BRONZE SPONSORSHIP

**$500**

Sponsor’s name and logos will be recognized as a bronze-level supporter on publicity materials.

#### SILVER SPONSORSHIP

**$1,500**

Bronze plus the developed challenges will be made available as training material to the sponsor.

#### GOLD SPONSORSHIP

**$2,500**

Silver plus press releases associated with the CTF competition.

#### DIAMOND SPONSORSHIP

**$5,000**

Gold plus sponsor reps will have the opportunity to award the prizes to the winners in a virtual award ceremony.

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