

(ISC)<sup>2</sup> is an international nonprofit membership association leading in educating and certifying cyber, information, software, and infrastructure security professionals throughout their careers. Headquartered in the United States and with offices in London, Hong Kong, and an authorized China agency in Beijing, (ISC)<sup>2</sup>, is recognized for the acclaimed Certified Information Systems Security Professional (CISSP®) certification, along with a portfolio of credentials and world-class education programs in the form of vendor-neutral education products and career services.

INSPIRE.  
SECURE.  
CERTIFY.

## Our Vision

Inspire a safe and secure cyber world.

## Our Mission

Support and provide members and constituents with credentials, resources, and leadership to address cyber, information, software and infrastructure security to deliver value to society.

## Our Members

(ISC)<sup>2</sup> members represent an elite, global network of dedicated cybersecurity professionals – preeminent experts in their field - who have committed themselves to the highest ethical standards and best practices. All members are certified professionals who have passed (ISC)<sup>2</sup> examinations attesting to skill and knowledge in their field.

Through their (ISC)<sup>2</sup> certification, they have demonstrated superior competency and devoted themselves to making the cyber world a safer place for all. With more than 120,000 certified members in more than 160 countries, the (ISC)<sup>2</sup> community plays a vital role not only in the organizations they serve but in society. Without them, our critical infrastructures would go unprotected and we wouldn't be as safe.

As organizations are increasingly recognizing information security as imperative, (ISC)<sup>2</sup> members are in greater demand than ever before.

# 35%

average higher salary was reported by (ISC)<sup>2</sup> members compared to non-members.

\*Source

2015 (ISC)<sup>2</sup> Global Information Security Workforce Study

# INDUSTRY LEADING CERTIFICATIONS

## (ISC)<sup>2</sup> Certifications

With the majority of security breaches attributed to human error, (ISC)<sup>2</sup> believes in focusing beyond hardware and software as sole solutions. We need to rely on another approach: professionalizing the information security workforce.

(ISC)<sup>2</sup> is dedicated to professionalizing the cybersecurity workforce by providing organizations with the assurance that their staff has been tested on industry best practices and possess broad knowledge of their fields along with sound professional judgement. This is why our certifications are required or preferred for many cyber, information, software, and infrastructure security jobs around the world.

### Validates Knowledge and Experience

To become certified, it's more than just passing an exam. Candidates must meet an experience requirement and be endorsed by an (ISC)<sup>2</sup> member, confirming their professional experience.

### Covers Current, Global Topics

(ISC)<sup>2</sup> certifications are industry focused and industry driven. To ensure our certifications remain relevant, we update the certification every two to three years by conducting a job task analysis (JTA).

### Required or Preferred by the Most Security Conscious Organizations

(ISC)<sup>2</sup> certifications are listed on the most job boards for security positions. Seven of our certifications are listed on the U.S. DoD Directive 8570.I.

### Continuing Professional Education

To maintain their certification, (ISC)<sup>2</sup> members must accrue continuing professional education (CPEs) credits annually.

### (ISC)<sup>2</sup> Code of Ethics

(ISC)<sup>2</sup> members are required to adhere to the highest standards of ethical behavior and act honestly and responsibly to protect the common good.

### ANSI Accreditation

(ISC)<sup>2</sup> was the first information security certification body to achieve ANSI/ISO/IEC 17024 for its CISSP credential and has received the required annual re-accreditation from ANSI for all (ISC)<sup>2</sup> credentials.



## [LEADERSHIP & OPERATIONS]

CISSP recognizes information security leaders with the knowledge and experience to design, develop and manage the overall security posture of an organization. [www.isc2.org/cissp](http://www.isc2.org/cissp)

ISSAP

ISSEP

ISSMP

## [CONCENTRATE]

CISSP concentrations recognize CISSPs who expand their knowledge into specific subject matter areas such as architecture, engineering and management.

[www.isc2.org/concentrations](http://www.isc2.org/concentrations)



## [IT ADMINISTRATION]

SSCP recognizes information security practitioners with the skills to manage and support the overall security posture and policies of an organization. [www.isc2.org/sscp](http://www.isc2.org/sscp)



## [CLOUD SECURITY]

CCSP recognizes knowledge and competency in applying best practices to cloud security architecture, design, operations and service orchestration. [www.isc2.org/ccsp](http://www.isc2.org/ccsp)



## [AUTHORIZATION]

CAP recognizes personnel responsible for formalizing processes used to assess risk and establish security requirements and documentation. [www.isc2.org/cap](http://www.isc2.org/cap)



## [SOFTWARE SECURITY]

CSSLP recognizes the key qualifications of developers building secure software applications. [www.isc2.org/csslp](http://www.isc2.org/csslp)



## [HEALTHCARE]

HCISPP recognizes the key qualifications of healthcare information security and privacy practitioners with the knowledge required to successfully implement, manage, or assess security and privacy controls for healthcare and patient information. [www.isc2.org/hcispp](http://www.isc2.org/hcispp)



## [CYBER FORENSICS]

CCFP recognizes digital forensics professionals with the knowledge and experience in forensics techniques and procedures to support investigations. [www.isc2.org/ccfp](http://www.isc2.org/ccfp)



## [ASSOCIATE of (ISC)<sup>2</sup>]

Candidates who do not possess the required years of work experience to obtain an (ISC)<sup>2</sup> certification can become an Associate of (ISC)<sup>2</sup> until they earn enough work experience to become certified. [www.isc2.org/associate](http://www.isc2.org/associate)

# WORLD CLASS EDUCATION

## Training and Education

(ISC)<sup>2</sup> offers education programs and services based on our Common Body of Knowledge (CBK), a compendium of cybersecurity topics. Our official training seminars, textbooks, and study guides help candidates review and refresh their knowledge and help identify areas they need to study for one of our certification exams. [www.isc2.org/training](http://www.isc2.org/training)

## Professional Development

(ISC)<sup>2</sup> is committed to helping security professionals further their education in all areas of their profession. To support continuing professional education and development, we offer (ISC)<sup>2</sup> members a full spectrum of global resources, educational and operational tools, peer networking opportunities, industry event discounts, and more.

### Free Webinars

(ISC)<sup>2</sup> ThinkTank  
Security Briefings  
From the Trenches  
Solutions Summit

### Networking Opportunities

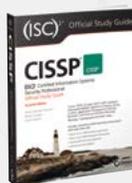
- » (ISC)<sup>2</sup> Chapters
- » (ISC)<sup>2</sup> Member Receptions

### Discounts on Events



- » (ISC)<sup>2</sup> Security Congress - U.S., Asia-Pacific, EMEA, Latin America
- » (ISC)<sup>2</sup> SecureEvents
- » Industry Conferences

### Discounts on (ISC)<sup>2</sup> Education



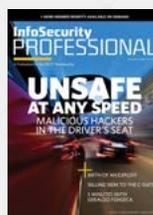
- » (ISC)<sup>2</sup> Training
- » (ISC)<sup>2</sup> Textbooks
- » (ISC)<sup>2</sup> Study Guides

### Industry Recognition

- » (ISC)<sup>2</sup> Global Awards Program



### InfoSecurity Professional Magazine



- » Free for members
- » Six digital bi-monthly issues

For more info, visit: [www.isc2.org](http://www.isc2.org)

For a full list of benefits, visit: [www.isc2.org/memberbenefits](http://www.isc2.org/memberbenefits)