



Stronger Together: CYBERGYM and Cybint launch higher education Cyber Centers of Excellence Grant Program valued at over \$5.6 million

Program will provide colleges and universities access to advanced cyber training and tools for establishing preeminent cyber centers.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20, 2019 – International cyber education leaders CYBERGYM and Cybint are partnering to help solve for the impending global cybersecurity workforce shortage, today announcing their [Cyber Centers of Excellence \(CCE\) Grant program](#). This initiative, valued at over \$5.6 million, offers universities and colleges the opportunity to partner with CYBERGYM and Cybint to establish an advanced cyber education center at their institutions.

The battle for a safer digital world spans industries, communities and nations, and we face a future that increasingly relies on effective cybersecurity across all fronts to protect our core business, government and financial assets. Yet, while cybersecurity is one of technology's fastest-growing professions, there is a predicted shortage of 3.5 million professionals by 2021.

In 2018 Cybint launched its Cyber Center Global Network to help solve for this, connecting higher-education institutions, industry and government in a collaborative effort to build cybersecurity awareness and learning, and serve as regional hubs for learning, training, and simulation. The CCE grant program takes that successful initiative to the next level. With multiple grant awards, the program provides cyber education and military-grade training resources and expertise directly to higher-education institutions. The goal is to equip the schools become Cyber Centers of Excellence of a national caliber for their institutions, communities and local industries.

Each CCE grant recipient will receive access to the CYBERGYM and Cybint 'Cyber Center Package' which include:

- CYBERGYM's state-of-the-art arena emulating real-time attacks on operational environment and equipment
- Cybint's military-grade state-of-the-art, all-encompassing online training platform
- Advanced simulated cyber challenges for every level
- Live faculty/staff training
- Free student access to the materials and training





“The combination of Cybint and CYBERGYM capabilities is formidable,” said Ofir Hason, CYBERGYM co-founder and CEO. “The grant program brings a unique opportunity for colleges and universities to leverage CYBERGYM’s worldwide network of training facilities and give the students the experience of real-life cyber scenarios.”

“Collaboration across academia, industries and countries, and continuous learning and upskilling are crucial for building a collective level of cybersecurity expertise to combat current and emerging threats,” Roy Zur, Cybint CEO said. “We’re very excited to offer universities and colleges the opportunity to fulfill their critical role as we build a stronger, more well-prepared workforce.”

The CCE Grant program application deadline is January 10, 2020. Interested schools should apply at cybintsolutions.com/cybint-CYBERGYM-grant/.

About CYBERGYM

CYBERGYM provides tailored cyber-training solutions to organizations around the world. With the most relevant threat model and a technological environment configured to your technological setup, we make sure your people gain the experience they need as individuals and as a team. CYBERGYM further qualifies your general workforce and executives, delivering an all-inclusive, organization-wide solution.

Founded in 2013 by experienced veterans of Israel’s prestigious intelligence organizations, CYBERGYM gives you the peace of mind of knowing that your teams are always ready, and cyber investments are maximized.

About Cybint

Cybint is a comprehensive cyber education technology platform with a commitment to protecting against emerging cyber threats through training and skills development. Born as a collaboration of global cyber expertise from the Israeli Defense Forces, United States FBI and higher education, our unmatched approach to combatting cybercrime fuses timely threat-based content, role specific learning paths and accelerated training methods to maximize retention and minimize risk. We believe cyber learning should be a continuous journey, with an eye towards emerging threats and leading-edge technologies. A safer digital world starts with Cybint.

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