# NEWSLETTER

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## **News & Updates**

### Student Volunteer & Recognition Programme (SVRP) Launch Seminar

AiSP inaugurated the "Student Volunteer & Recognition Programme" (SVRP) on 11<sup>th</sup> October 2018. SVRP aims to encourage volunteerism amongst students while developing their interest in cybersecurity. We had more than 100 students and educators from the IHLs attended the event.





We thank Mr Wong Choong Bong, CSA's Deputy Director Ecosystem Development, shared with the audience on CSA's aims in creating a more vibrant cybersecurity ecosystem and developing the energetic young through SVRP.

We also had the pleasure of having 4 notable speakers shared their volunteering journey in the past and now. Their stories invigorated and inspired the students. We thank Mr Jeremy Heng (Winner for Cybersecurity Awards 2018), Mr Tok Yee Ching (PhD Student at SUTD), Mr Emil Tan (Advisor at Cortex Insight & Organiser of Infosec-City, Singapore) and Ms Sugar Chan (Cybersecurity Senior Consultant at Booz Allen Hamilton).



Figure 1: Mr Wong Choon Bong at the inauguration of Student Volunteer & Recognition Programme



Figure 2: Mr Freddy Tan (AiSP SVRP Lead) presenting SVRP Framework



Figure 3: Mr Tok Yee Ching in overcoming the odds, his quest for knowledge, volunteering at AiSP despite his busy schedule as a PhD student at SUTD





Figure 4: Mr Jeremy Heng sharing how his SP lecturer inspired him to discover his interest in information security, his achievements in "capture the flag" and giving back by training the younger cohorts



Figure 5: Mr Emil Tan sharing his multiple volunteering pursuits are of his strong passion in technology and cybersecurity, and inspiring the young ones to volunteering



Figure 6: Ms Sugar Chan sharing her interest in computer games, wide exposure from research, projects and volunteering in technology and cybersecurity areas

Please contact <u>secretariat@aisp.sg</u> if your institution is interested to know more about or participate in this programme.

## Cybersecurity Awareness & Advisory Program (CAAP)

AiSP aims to promote better cybersecurity awareness and preparedness of our SME companies through CAAP seminars, workshops and focus group discussion. We believe proactive awareness and preemptive approach will help businesses avoid cybersecurity breach that may potentially have an adverse financial and reputation impact. Therefore, participation in this program will enable companies to focus on their business growth with confidence.

AiSP conducted CAAP Focus Group session with LawSoc on 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018. We are pleased to have Ms Lyn Boxall, Ms Amira Budiyanto, Mr Jon Chan, Mr Jonathan Kao, Mr Jeffrey Law, Mr Jeremy Lua, Mr Lim Kian Kim, Mr Lim Seng Siew and Mr K Prasad participation and sharing their concerns on cybersecurity challenges from the legal perspective.



Figure 7: AiSP Exco A/P Steven Wong, Mr Johnny Kho and Mr Freddy Tan in conversation with members from the LawSoc

CAAP workshops and focus group sessions are freeof-charge. Please contact <u>secretariat@aisp.sg</u> if you are interested.

## Student Volunteer & Recognition Programme (SVRP) Roundtable Session

Following the SVRP Launch Seminar on 11<sup>th</sup> October 2018, AiSP organized a roundtable session with the Institute of Higher Learning educators on 29<sup>th</sup> October. The objective was to clarify and gather their feedbacks regarding the volunteer & recognition framework which was presented at the launch. We are very pleased to have the presence of the educators shared their thoughts: Mr Wong Tuck Wah from ITE College East, Mr Jonathan Tham and



Mr Ong Jia Hwee from ITE College West, Mr Anand Deshpande from Ngee Ann Polytechnic, Mr Samson Yeow from Singapore Polytechnic, Dr Goh Weihan from Singapore Institute of Technology, Mr Lee Yeow Leong from Singapore Management University, Mr Yeaz Jaddoo from Singapore University of Technology and Design, Ms Meliza Neo from Republic Polytechnic, Dr Bimlesh Wadhwa from National University of Singapore and Dr Sourav Sen Gupta from Nanyang Technological University.



Figure 8: IHLs representatives at the SVRP roundtable with AiSP Exco A/P Steven Wong and Mr Freddy Tan

## **Penetration Testing Hands-On Lab**

AiSP is collaborating with NUS Cyber R&D Lab to set up a hands-on environment for students to practice or candidates preparing for their pen-testing examination. NUS CRL and AiSP teamed up to develop and review the pen-testing hands-on syllabus respectively.

#### Job Advertisement

AiSP will be providing an avenue for employers to advertise information and cyber security job openings on our web and social media platforms. Please look out for more details coming along.

## **Industry Events / Workshops**

**8<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> Oct:** AiSP was a supporting partner and booth presence at "Cyber Security Forum".

**10<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> Oct:** AiSP was a supporting partner and booth presence at "Cloud & Cyber Security Expo 2018".

## **Calendar of Activities**

#### **CREST Practical Exams**

| Туре              | Date                    |
|-------------------|-------------------------|
| CRT, CCT APP, CCT | 30 <sup>th</sup> Nov 18 |
| INF               | (confirmed)             |

#### Nov to Dec 2018 Events

| Date  | Event  | Туре    |
|---|--|---------|
| 14 <sup>th</sup> to 16 <sup>th</sup><br>Nov | 4th ASEAN EXEC-IT:<br>Disruption for Digital<br>Differentiation  | Partner |
| 20 <sup>th</sup> & 21 <sup>st</sup><br>Nov  | Asia ICS Cyber<br>Security Conference<br>2018                    | Partner |
| 22 <sup>nd</sup> Nov                        | CAAP <sup>1</sup> Focus Group<br>– AiSP Members on<br>SingHealth | AiSP    |
| 25 <sup>th</sup> Nov                        | Cybersecurity<br>Awareness cum<br>Charity event                  | AiSP    |
| 30 <sup>th</sup> Nov                        | CAAP Focus Group<br>– Early Childhood<br>Training Services       | AiSP    |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup><br>Dec    | Big Data & AI Asia<br>2018                                       | Partner |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup><br>Dec    | Counter Terror Asia<br>Expo                                      | Partner |
| 6 <sup>th</sup> Dec                         | CAAP Seminar   | AiSP    |

For more updates or details about the events, please visit <u>www.aisp.sg/events.html</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> CAAP = Cybersecurity Awareness & Advisory Program



## AiSP Programmes & Professional Development

### Ladies in Cybersecurity – Members Night

Date: 13 Nov 18 (Tue) Time: 7pm to 9pm Location: AiSP office Fee: Free for AiSP ladies' member & her friends

\*For ladies only

## CAAP Focus Group – SingHealth Cybersecurity Incident Forum

Date: 22 Nov 18 (Thu) Time: 7pm to 9.30pm Location: AiSP office Fee: Free for AiSP members

\*Dinner will be provided.

### Cybersecurity Awareness Community event

Date: 25 Nov 18 (Sun) Time: 9am to 1pm Location: West Coast Community Club Fee: Free, all AiSP members and Public are welcome.

## CAAP Focus Group – Early Childhood & Training Services

Date: 30 Nov 18 (Fri) Time: 3pm to 4.30pm Location: 36 Prinsep Street Fee: Free for the focus group

## CAAP Seminar – Institute of Internal Auditors Singapore

Date: 6 Dec18 (Thu) Time: 6pm to 9pm Location: SMU Fee: Free for the focus group

For enquiry about the programmes, please contact <u>secretariat@aisp.sg</u>.

## **Qualified Information Security Professional (QISP) Course**

QISP course is jointly developed by AiSP and the Institute of Systems Science, National University of Singapore. It is designed for entry to mid-level Information Security Professionals, and any IT Professionals who are keen to develop their knowledge in this field. At the end of the course, you will be able to:

- Undertake information security risk assessments of networks and systems and recommend risk treatment options
- Craft appropriate information security policies to address information security risks
- Manage operations security risks
- Provide advice, from the information security perspective, on compliance with Singapore laws and regulations

For more information, to sign up for the course/exams or find out about fees and funding, please go to <u>www.iss.nus.edu.sg</u>.

## **Membership Info**

| Туре                     | Benefits  |
|--------------------------|---|
| Individual<br>Membership | Recognition as a Trusted<br>Infocomm Security Professional. |
| weinversnip              | Use the designation of MAISP<br>(Ordinary Member) as your   |
|                          | credential  |



| Туре   | Benefits  |
|--|---|
|  | Free & discounted rates for conferences and seminars  |
|  | Notification on activities, talks and networking events   |
| Corporate<br>Sponsorship<br>Program<br>(CSP)       | Listing on AiSP website as<br>Corporate sponsor, with company<br>logo and description   |
|  | Free or discounted conferences & workshops  |
|  | 10 free AiSP memberships for the company  |
|  | Special invite as speakers to AiSP event  |
|  | 1 free information and cyber<br>security job advertisement per<br>month. Additional job<br>advertisement at a discount from<br>normal rate. |
| Corporate<br>Sponsorship<br>Program<br>Plus (CSP+) | Listing on AiSP website as<br>Corporate sponsor, with company<br>logo and description   |
|  | Free & Discounted conferences / workshops   |
|  | All staff free AiSP memberships, according to the fee structure   |
|  | Special invite as speakers to AiSP event  |
|  | 1 free information and cyber<br>security job advertisement per<br>month. Additional job<br>advertisement at a discount from<br>normal rate. |
| Academic<br>Partnership<br>Program<br>(APP)        | Inclusion of AiSP Student<br>Chapter for the Institution  |

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|------|---|
|      | 10 free AiSP memberships for<br>the Institution   |
|      | Listing on AiSP website as<br>Academic member, with logo<br>and description   |
|      | Review of Institution's course curriculum once per year   |
|      | Speakers from AiSP to speak at Student Chapter events   |
|      | Free or discounted conferences & workshops  |
|      | 1 free information and cyber<br>security job advertisement per<br>month. Additional job<br>advertisement at a discount from<br>normal rate. |

For more updates or details about the memberships, please visit <u>www.aisp.sg/membership.html</u>

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The Association of Information Security Professionals (AiSP) was registered with the assistance of the Singapore Computer Society (SCS) and the strong support of the Infocomm Development Authority of Singapore (iDA) in 2008.

It was officially launched by Dr Vivian Balakrishnan, Minister for Community Development, Youth and Sports in 2008.

AiSP aims to:

- To promote, develop, support and enhance the integrity, technical • competence, management expertise, status and interests of information security professionals in Singapore.
- To promote the development, increase and spread of information security knowledge and of any related subject.



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