

Cybersecurity Programs at Duke University

CISO Executive Certificate Program | May 19 – July 2, 2025
 Cybersecurity Leadership Program | May 21 – 23, 2025

Last Updated: May 12, 2025

Note: Session dates, times and titles are tentative and subject to change.

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CISO Executive Certificate Program	Monday, May 19	
	Time	Session Title
	8:00 – 8:30	Check-In / Continental Breakfast
	8:30 – 9:00	Introduction to the Duke CISO Certificate Program
	9:00 – 10:30	Cybersecurity Threat Landscape and Adversary Intelligence
	10:30 – 10:45	Break
	10:45 – 12:15	Organizational Cybersecurity Strategy
	12:15 – 13:30	Lunch
	13:30 – 15:00	Cyber Security Standards
	15:00 – 15:15	Break
	15:15 – 17:00	Managing Cybersecurity Operations
	18:00 – 20:00	Dinner Reception at Washington Duke Inn (Optional)
	Tuesday, May 20	
	Time	Session Title
	8:30 – 9:00	Check-In / Continental Breakfast
	9:00 – 10:30	Ransomware Defense Best Practices
	10:30 – 10:45	Break
	10:45 – 12:15	Enterprise Vulnerability Management
	12:15 – 13:30	Lunch
	13:30 – 15:00	Supplier and Vendor Risk Management
	15:00 – 15:15	Break
	15:15 – 17:00	Developing Budgets for Cybersecurity Operations

Cybersecurity Leadership Program (CLP)

**Important Note: Participants in the CISO program are expected to attend the CLP program.*

Wednesday, May 21

Time	Session Title
8:00 – 8:30	Check-In / Continental Breakfast
8:30 – 9:00	Intro/Welcome
9:00 – 10:30	Risk Management
10:30 – 10:45	Break
10:45 – 12:00	Breach Management
12:00 – 13:30	Lunch Keynote
13:30 – 16:00	Simulation I: Breach Simulation
16:00 – 17:00	Simulation Review & Discussion
18:30 – 20:00	Dinner Reception & Keynote at JB Duke Hotel (Optional)

Thursday, May 22

Time	Session Title
8:30 – 9:00	Check-In / Continental Breakfast
9:00 – 10:30	How CISO Measures Success
10:30 – 10:45	Break
10:45 – 12:00	Communicating with the CISO Board
12:00 – 13:30	Lunch
13:30 – 16:00	Simulation II: Communication with the CISO Board
16:00 – 17:00	Simulation Review & Discussion
18:30 – 20:00	Dinner Reception at The Commons Steakhouse (Optional)

Friday, May 23

Time	Session Title
8:30 – 9:00	Check-In / Continental Breakfast
9:00 – 10:30	Threat and Vulnerability
10:30 – 10:45	Break
10:45 – 12:00	Tech Policy Leadership
12:00 – 13:30	Lunch
13:30 – 15:00	Simulation & Discussion III: Threat and Vulnerability & Leadership Reflection
15:00 – 15:30	Close of Session

ONLINE VIA ZOOM (*Link Forthcoming*)

CISO Executive Certificate Program	Date/Time	Session Title
	Week 2: June 4, 2025 10:00 – 12:00 (ET)	Individual Liability in Cybersecurity
	Week 3: June 11, 2025 10:00 – 12:00 (ET)	Risk Mitigation with Cyber Insurance
	Week 4: June 18, 2025 10:00 – 12:00 (ET)	Best Practices for Managing Cybersecurity Teams
	Week 5: June 25, 2025 10:00 – 12:00 (ET)	Cloud Security Strategy Risk Management
	Week 6: July 2, 2025 10:00 – 12:00 (ET)	Disaster Recovery and Business Continuity after a Breach
	Week 7: July 9, 2025 Due by 11:59 PM (ET)	CISO Executive Education Program Examination