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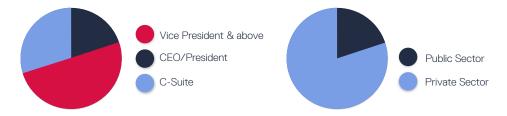
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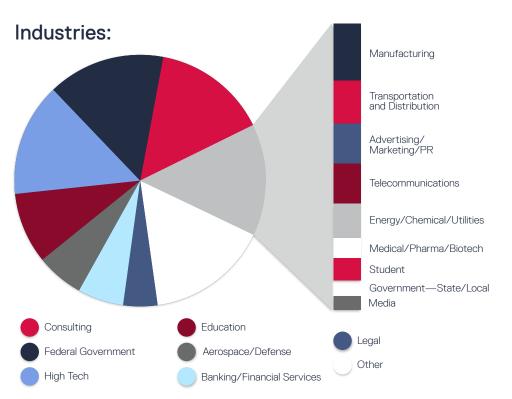




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The Cyber Initiatives Group (CIG) is an exclusive group of cyber leaders who work together to innovate new ideas and stay on top of market trends. Moderated by Suzanne Kelly, the CIG hosts virtual briefings and summits designed to help group members innovate and co-create solutions to the emerging cyber-related national security challenges we face. This unique group from both the public and private sectors is designed to help advance cybersecurity reform and innovation.



Presented by Suzanne Kelly, CEO and Publisher of The Cipher Brief, which has a following of 30K national security-minded leaders from both the public and private sectors

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### ABOUT OUR INAUGURAL EVENT

# **CYBERSECURITY**

Co-hosted by Cipher Brief CEO & Publisher Suzanne Kelly and former NSA Deputy Director Rick Ledgett

Fresh perspectives from well-recognized cyber thought leaders including these below, with a cyber exercise led by Dmitri Alperovitch





Kevin Mandia FireEye CEO



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-General David Petraeus, former Commander of the Surge in Iraq, US Central Command, and Coalition and US Forces in Afghanistan, and former Director of the CIA

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-Lt Gen James R. Clapper, Former U.S. Director of National Intelligence

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