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TO THE DIRECTOR

Bio Links

The CINA Director is responsible for the strategic leadership of the center and its sponsored research activities. They oversee the development and execution of research programs and initiatives, and are accountable for ensuring the center's mission and goals are met. The CINA Director also serves as the center's principal investigator for sponsored research projects and is responsible for the overall management of the center's budget.

RESEARCH

CINA 2020 Annual RFP New Open for Submissions

The CINA 2020 Annual RFP proposes that advocates may participate in the next set of events. CINA Research Board member, Samantha Thomas of the Center for Cybersecurity for Small and Medium Enterprises, states, "We are excited to see the interest in this year's RFP. It is an opportunity for researchers to contribute to our mission of advancing cybersecurity.

NEWS

George Mason University’s new Forensic Science Research and Training Laboratory

The opening of George Mason University’s new Forensic Science Research and Training Laboratory establishes Mason as a leader in forensic science education and research. The laboratory is equipped with state-of-the-art facilities and technology, including a forensics research and training lab, a crime scene laboratory, and a digital forensics lab.

CINA Recruits Deanna Austin

Deanna Austin is a highly ranked security studies scholar with over 20 years of experience in the field of cyber crime. She is a former FBI profiler and has worked with law enforcement at the federal, state, and local levels. She has a PhD in cyber crime and has published extensively in the field. She has been recognized by the FBI for her work in cyber crime and has received numerous awards for her contributions to the field.

DHS Partnership Fights Cyber Crime With Innovative Digital Tools

The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) has partnered with George Mason University’s (GMU) Center for Innovative Digital Analysis (CINA) to fight cyber crime. The partnership will bring together experts in cyber security, forensics, and technology to develop innovative tools to combat cyber crime.

CINA Network

CINA’s Kitty Riddle Recognized as Mason’s Employee of the Month

Kitty Riddle is the executive director of the CINA Network. She is known for her leadership skills, program management, and customer service. She is responsible for overseeing the day-to-day operations of the CINA Network and ensuring that the center's goals and objectives are met.

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKER SERIES

CINA Distinguished Speaker Series: Spring 2021 Upcoming Events

The CINA Distinguished Speaker Series is a series of events featuring prominent experts in cybersecurity and related fields. The series is designed to bring together researchers, practitioners, and students to discuss the latest developments in the field.

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