Trapped in the Web!
A Series of Events for
National Cyber Security Awareness Month

Tangled up in the web? It can happen to anyone in our increasingly connected world. Fear not—ITS can help! It's easy to be a Cyber Security Superhero with our simple tools, a little education, and a healthy dose of skepticism when reviewing your Inbox.

Phish Alert for Suspicious Messages!
Think that message might be a hoax or sporting a malicious link? Reporting it just got easier. Simply click on the Phish Alert icon in Outlook or Outlook Web Access to report the message to InfoSec@albany.edu and permanently delete it from your Inbox. The Information Security Team checks all reported messages, and takes action to protect our campus community. Mission accomplished! Learn more about this new service.

Trapped in the Web: Your Data Held Hostage!
Thursday, 10/13, 12:00 – 1:00 PM ~ Campus Center Assembly Hall
The University's Information Security Officer, Marty Manjak, exposes the workings of ransomware, the number 1 threat to individual users and organizations. This malicious software encrypts your files and demands payment for their restoration. Using examples and demonstrating techniques, he will provide the knowledge and tools to protect yourself from these devastating attacks. Refreshments will be served.

Trapped in the Web: The Internet of (Wild!) Things
Wednesday, 10/19, 12:00 -1:00 PM ~ Campus Center Assembly Hall
The Internet of Things is a reference to the increasing number of devices connected to the Internet. From adjusting the temperature in your home to wearable technologies, controlling your environment has never been easier. Yet the implications of such activities can be...well, a little wild. Join Bill Kramp from SUNY’s Information Technology Exchange Center for refreshments and conversation about our interconnected world.

Trapped in the Web: The Snares of Social Media
Monday, 10/24, 7:00-8:00 PM ~ Campus Center 375
Social media is a great way to stay connected with friends and business associates. Yet balancing your personal life with your professional image can be a real challenge. Join a panel of members of the UAlbany community for refreshments and lively discussion about how to use social media to its full advantage while avoiding the common pitfalls that can damage your online profile.
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Speaker Biographies for
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Marty Manjak is the Information Security Officer for the University at Albany. He has been at the institution for 22 years, serving in his present role since 2006. He is responsible for all aspects of operational information security, and leads the University’s governance body, the Information Security Council. In addition to teaching at UAlbany, he has given numerous presentations at security and technology conferences. He serves on the University’s Internal Review Board and Faculty Senate; he is also a REN-ISAC board member.

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Bill Kramp has been employed at SUNY’s Information Technology Exchange Center (ITEC) as the team lead for the network group since 2014. ITEC provides hosting services for most of the 64 SUNY campuses at various levels, depending on the needs and requirements of the individual campus. Prior to his ITEC appointment, Kramp served as the Network Administrator at Finger Lakes Community College, a position he held for 24 years. He holds an M.S. in Information Assurance from Capitol Technology University, a B.S. in Information Security, and an A.A.S. in Electrical Engineering from Morrisville Agricultural and Technical College.

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Panelist Nancy M. Lauricella is the Executive Director of Community Standards at the University at Albany. Ms. Lauricella has held professional positions in both the private and public sectors and has been working at the University since 2004. She has presented to numerous University and community entities on topics related to student conduct; conflict resolution; effective communication techniques for organizations; and restorative justice practices. She has presented at several national and regional conferences including the annual conferences for NASPA - Student Affairs Administrators in Higher Education. Ms. Lauricella serves on several University and community committees and chairs or co-chairs the University’s Advisory Committee on Campus Safety; the Committee on University and Community Relations; and the Division of Student Affairs “Innovation Team”. With the support of her staff, Community Standards is responsible for implementing a community conscious campus student conduct program. Ms. Lauricella received her B.A. degree in Rhetoric & Communication from the University at Albany and her M.S. degree in Public Relations from Syracuse University’s S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications.
Panelist Diandra Marte is in her senior year at UAlbany. An English major, she also serves as a Peer Career Advisor and a social media intern in Student Affairs.

Panelist Amir Masoumzadeh is an Assistant Professor of Computer Science in the College of Engineering and Applied Sciences. He received his PhD in Information Science in 2014 and earlier his MS and BS degrees in Computer Science/Engineering. Amir’s research interests revolve around information security, privacy, and trust in modern information systems. His current research focuses on privacy control in online social networks and privacy-preserving data sharing.

Moderator Marty Manjak is the Information Security Officer for the University at Albany. He has been at the institution for 22 years, serving in his present role since 2006. He is responsible for all aspects of operational information security, and leads the University’s governance body, the Information Security Council. In addition to teaching at UAlbany, he has given numerous presentations at security and technology conferences. He serves on the University’s Internal Review Board and Faculty Senate; he is also a REN-ISAC board member.

Panelist Brian Nussbaum is an assistant professor in the College of Emergency Preparedness, Homeland Security and Cybersecurity (CEHC) at the University at Albany. He’s also a cybersecurity fellow with the New America Foundation, an affiliate scholar at the Center for Internet and Society (CIS) at Stanford Law School, and a senior fellow with the Center for Cyber and Homeland Security (CCHS) at George Washington University. Prior to joining the University at Albany, Brian was a senior intelligence analyst with the New York State Office of Counter Terrorism.