Carnegie Mellon University’s CyLab is a world leader in innovative and game-changing collaborations. Join us in what we do best: solving real-life problems through interdisciplinary research and education. From building visibility among students, gaining access to cutting edge faculty research, upskilling your workforce, and launching new initiatives for social good, CyLab partnership opportunities offer both immediate and far-reaching results.

The partnerships team at CyLab helps organizations design collaborations that generate powerful insights and forward-thinking solutions.

**Shaping a Safer Future**  
Investing in research and education at transformative levels. Provide critical funding for exceptional people to explore pioneering ideas and accelerate breakthroughs.

- Endowed Fellowships and Scholarships
- Initiative Research Programs
- Institute-Wide Research Seed Funding

**Driving Innovation**  
Discovering new frontiers and designing high-impact solutions. Choose to collaborate alongside faculty across multiple security and privacy disciplines.

- Sponsored Research Projects
- Targeted Research Projects

**Building Expertise**  
Upskilling your team and laying the groundwork for recruiting the future cyber workforce. Supporting trailblazers who think big, work hard, and make next-generation ideas a reality.

- Partners Conference, Seminars & Events
- Student Capstones & Practicums
- Executive Education & Professional Training
- Visiting Researcher
- Cybersecurity STEM Workforce Development
PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM

BASE PARTNER LEVEL

The partnership program is the foundation for engaging with CyLab, providing a variety of ways to connect with CMU faculty, students and technical staff advancing security and privacy research, and network with peers. At the base level, partners are able to explore all that CyLab has to offer, gain research insights, make connections, and access faculty and students through the following benefits:

- Invitations to annual conference and special events
- Access to members-only portal
- Facilitated visits to CyLab
- Student recruiting assistance
- Discounts on security & privacy programs
- Branding visibility

For assistance in designing the collaborative engagement that best fits your needs, please contact us at: partnerships@cylab.cmu.edu

STRATEGIC PARTNER LEVEL

Building on the base level, the strategic level provides partners with additional engagement and deeper relationships. Strategic partners have the ability to allocate funds to a variety of opportunities including:

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<td>Help drive research in specific targeted areas through invitation-only program events and participation on a steering committee along with CMU faculty and other sponsors. Shared research area initiatives may include Secure Blockchain Initiative, CyLab-Africa Initiative, etc.</td>
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