Information & Systems Security Society

2019-2020 Sponsorship Guide

The Information and Systems Security Society (ISSS) is a student run Computer Science organization at the University of Texas at Austin dedicated to instructing students on the topics of computer security. Through our organization's events, students are given exposure to both practical and theoretical attacks on real world systems, encouraging students to write better code, design better infrastructure, and defend their privacy and digital freedom in an increasingly connected world.

ISSS is seeking corporate sponsors to help fund and host organization events, and to educate students on applications of security in the industry. Through sponsorship, companies can broaden their outreach in the community through hosted events and recruiting opportunities while receiving name recognition within the student body.





Weekly Events

General Meetings

40+ Students, 1 Hour

Capture the Flag (CTF)

70+ Students, 2 Hours

ISSS hosts a general meeting or workshop every two weeks focusing on interesting security topics.

Previous topics have included ROP, Burp Suite, CSRF, and Meltdown/Spectre.

Capture the Flag (CTF) competitions are security competitions designed to challenge students' practical knowledge of system vulnerabilities in a simulated setting. ISSS writes, hosts, and caters CTF challenges every two weeks.

Special Events

Fall Networking Dinner*

70+ Students, 2 Hours

ISSSCTF*

300+ Students, 3+ Hours

Security Day_t

130+ Students, 8 Hours

The Fall Networking Dinner serves as a recruiting opportunity for companies seeking security-minded students, offering a platform for companies to discuss security topics with students in a relaxed environment.

ISSSCTF is a CTF competition put on during HackTX on November 2-3 in a collaborative effort with Freetail Hackers. Much like the biweekly CTFs, the ISSS officer team creates and writes the CTF challenges.

Security Day is a day-long cybsersecurity focused student event hosted during the spring semester in conjunction with the Department of Computer Science that features several technical talks given by Gold/Silver sponsors and a CTF Competition.

Sponsorship Levels

| Level | Benefits | Scheduling Priority |
|--------------------------|--|------------------------|
| Gold \$3,000 | Host a CTF Competition OR a Custom Event Invitation to Networking Dinner (up to 4 representatives)* All benefits of the Silver level | 1 st |
| Silver \$1,500 | Host a catered General Meeting (technical talk) OR Workshop Invitation to Fall Networking Dinner (up to 2 representatives)* Provide a company presence during Security Day† Recognition on ISSS T-Shirts and Security Day marketing materials Have Access to mini CTF Resume/Solves data All benefits of the Bronze level | 2 nd |
| Bronze \$750 | Receive recognition at Semester Kickoffs and on the ISSS website Company career opportunities distributed on community mailing list Be able to contribute problems to our bi-weekly CTFs Access to community resumes | N/A |

^{*} Fall semester only

For more information, and to become a sponsor, contact us at corporate@isss.io. Visit our website at isss.io for the latest organization news and information.

FoCS: Non-sponsor Friends of Computer Science members are invited to host a tech talk (with dinner) based on availability, ancillary catering costs not included.

Please Note: Sponsorship generally runs on a yearly schedule consisting of two academic semesters. Sponsorship can begin around the start of either the fall or spring semester, and will encompass that current semester and the one following it. ISSS must receive sponsorship funds prior to sponsors participating in any ISSS events. General meetings hosted by sponsors are expected to be educational, respectful of students' time, and technical in nature. Sponsorship levels, benefits, and prices are subject to change every academic year.

[†] Spring semester only



