



Cyber Leadership Graduate Certificate



The National Defense University (NDU) College of Information and Cyberspace (CIC) offers an accredited graduate certificate program in Cyber Leadership (Cyber-L), which focuses on developing the skills and desired leadership attributes necessary to be an effective strategic leader in the cyberspace domain. The program achieves this through a rigorous curriculum that enhances the understanding of all aspects of cyberspace and how to best integrate cyberspace with the other elements of national power to achieve the nation's strategic objectives.

Successful Cyber-L Graduates will be able to:

- Apply principles of strategic leadership, including innovative and critical thinking, decision-making, and ethical conduct to achieve results-oriented organizational goals.
- Develop strategies to improve resilient, adaptable, agile, and productive government organizations focused on national security in the information age.
- Analyze the critical aspects of the human-made terrain that underpins information and cyberspace operations to include the technology, law, and policy that supports that terrain.
- Evaluate collaboration strategies across organizational and cyberspace boundaries to leverage talent, resources, information technology, and opportunities to reach mission success.
- Produce strategic-level oral, written, and visual communication.

Courses Required (3 credits each):	
CIC-6219	Cyber Essentials for Senior Leaders
CIC-6221	Cyberspace Activities and Authorities
CIC-6443	Emerging and Disruptive Technologies
CIC-6220	Emerging Partners and Adversaries through Diplomacy
CIC-6330	National Security and Cyber Strategy

Important Facts:

- Tuition-Free for DoD Personnel (Military and Civilian)
- Fully Remote and Part-Time
- Self-Nominated

Minimum Admissions Eligibility Criteria:

- Bachelor's Degree (3.0 GPA minimum).
- Federal Civil Service pay grade GS-13 equivalent or above.
- Military:
 - Enlisted: E-7 and above.
 - Chief Warrant Officer: CW3 and above.
 - Officer: O-4 and above.

For more information refer to:

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Attend our Monthly Virtual Open House for prospective students on the 4th Thursday of every month @ 1pm – 2pm EST
<https://us.bbcollab.com/collab/ui/session/guest/11be7f3d78e8465eaa4c96a62f143e7b>