

NIGCC

Presents

Virtual Cybersecurity Symposium

Wednesday, October 28, 2026

Session Times (EDT)	Session Titles and Descriptions	Presenter(s)/ Title(s)
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Real Strategies Within Your Reach to Combat Modern Cyberattacks	Abner Desir, NIGC Chief Information Security Officer
Break		
11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	High-Stakes Targets: Law Enforcement Insights into Cyber Threats Against the Gaming Industry	Frank Corral, Special Agent, FBI
Break		
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Fortifying Cyber Resilience Through Partnerships	Josh Stankus, Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA)
End of Symposium		

Session Descriptions:

Real strategies within your reach to combat modern Cyber-attacks

Expert predictions estimate that global cybercrime costs will reach \$23 trillion annually by 2027. Experts also acknowledge that 90% of cyber-attacks are preventable. What are some real strategies that your organization can implement now to avoid becoming easy prey to preventable cyber-attacks? Attend this presentation and walk away with clear and actionable content to boost your organization's cybersecurity program resilience.

Presenter: Abner Desir, NIGC Chief Information Security Officer

High-Stakes Targets: Law Enforcement Insights into Cyber Threats Against the Gaming Industry

This seminar offers a law enforcement perspective on the evolving cyber threats targeting the gaming industry. Attendees will gain insight into current criminal tactics, emerging vulnerabilities, and the investigative approaches used to combat cybercrime. The session also highlights best practices for collaboration between gaming operators and law enforcement, strengthening collective defenses and improving incident response.

Presenter: Frank Corral, Special Agent, FBI

Fortifying Cyber Resilience Through Partnerships

This presentation will help Tribal governments strengthen cyber resilience by highlighting partnerships, practical resources, and multi-directional information sharing. The session will highlight common cyber risks affecting Tribal governments and critical infrastructure, including but not limited to the water and wastewater sector, and emphasize the value of timely incident response and shared situational awareness. Participants will learn how initiatives such as CISA's CI Fortify can support risk identification, preparedness, and coordination with federal, state, local, Tribal, and territorial partners to protect essential services from evolving cyber threats.

Presenter: Josh Stankus, Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA)