Cybersecurity Leadership and Strategy Executive Seminar FIU Jack D. Gordon Institute for Public Policy

Half Day Program Agenda

Program Opening		
Hour	Session	Instructors and guest speakers
8:00-8:30	Arrival and Continental Breakfast	
8:30-10:00	Learning Session 1- Emerging Threats & Cybersecurity Strategy	Dr. Alex Crowther, Research Professor, Jack D. Gordon Institute for Public Policy (JGI), FIU
10:00-10:15	Coffee Break	
10:15-12:00	Learning Session 2 - Cybersecurity Policy, Plans & Operations	Dr. Alex Crowther, Research Professor, Jack D. Gordon Institute for Public Policy (JGI), FIU
Closing of the Program		
12:00	Adjournment	Mike Asencio, Program Director, Cybersecurity, JGI

Cybersecurity Leadership and Strategy Professional Education Program Overview:

The Cybersecurity Leadership and Strategy Professional Education Program is designed to arm elected officials, municipal and state leaders with essential skills in cybersecurity policy, strategy, and response. The program focuses on the requirements of the 2022 Local Government Cybersecurity Act, Florida Statute Section 282.3185.

Utilizing the NIST Cybersecurity Framework as a benchmark throughout its modules, the program ensures alignment with best cybersecurity practices. It's tailored to accommodate the varied leadership levels and contexts within local governments.

The program incorporates a series of experiential exercises and simulations, challenging participants to identify threats, formulate strategies, and respond to cyber-attacks in realistic scenarios, including those relevant to the 2022 Local Government Cybersecurity Act.

Participants will engage in group discussions, individual and team activities, and practical exercises to develop their understanding of cybersecurity principles. The program underscores the NIST Cybersecurity Framework as a key standard, equipping participants to implement this framework in their organizations for improved cybersecurity and compliance with legislative requirements.

