Commonwealth Cyber Initiative



If you want a career in a field that requires a security clearance, get a head start by attending the COMMONWEALTH CYBER INITIATIVE'S CLEARANCE PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM.

This free informational seminar series includes 10 monthly 60-minute virtual modules, in which you'll learn about the clearance process and what you can expect in clearance-level roles.

Sessions allow you to connect and interact with industry professionals. You'll also get a **DIGITAL BADGE** when you complete the program (at least eight of the 10 modules), which you can display on your LinkedIn profile.

You won't receive a clearance through this program, nor will this fast-track your clearance process. Only an agency of the U.S. government determines if someone is eligible for access to classified national security information.

You will, however, be informed about and prepared for the clearance process.

WHAT WE'LL OFFER

 An exploration of the clearance paperwork process

- A look at government clearance rules and regulations
- A deep dive into the legality of drug use
- An overview of cybersecurity authorities, laws, and regulations
- Guidance on using social media

WHAT YOU'LL GET

- An inside view of the clearance process.
- Access to employer connections.
- Introductions to industry professionals with security clearances.
- Knowledge about jobs requiring access to national intelligence information.
- A boost to your résumé's professional development section.

The program is part of Commonwealth Cyber Initiative's (CCI) Workforce Development mission for Virginia.



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