

DHS Academic and Professional Development Symposium

The Office of the Chief Human Capital Officer invites you to participate in the first-ever DHS Academic and Professional Development Symposium. The symposium will help foster employee awareness of homeland security-related educational programs and development opportunities, for further professional growth. The symposium includes multiple breakout sessions that will include:

- Overviews of the DHS mentoring, coaching, rotations, joint duty, leader development framework, and education programs;
- Interactive discussions with various schools on careers in cybersecurity and emergency management;
- Information on various certificate programs; and
- Resume writing workshop.

Simultaneously, the DHS Education Fair will take place. The fair will showcase more than 40 colleges and universities from across the country that provide educational opportunities available for DHS employees, including:

- Bachelor's, master's, and certification programs from Department of Defense Senior Service Schools;
- Master's and Executive Leaders programs from the Naval Postgraduate School's Center for Homeland Defense and Security; and
- Educational programs within the Science and Technology Directorate's Centers of Excellence.

When: Thursday, November 29
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Where: Washington Convention Center (Room 207)
801 Mount Vernon Place, NW, Washington, DC
Metro accessible (Yellow/Green line)

Note: For those employees not located in the National Capital Region, we will host virtual sessions of all of the breakout events.

Please register by emailing educationfair@hq.dhs.gov to attend in-person or virtually.

Alumni from various education programs will participate in roundtable sessions and a Department of Veterans Affairs representative will be available to discuss veterans' education benefits.

For more information and a complete agenda, please visit the DHS Academic and Professional Development Symposium [Connect page](#).