

## **Minutes for Cybersecurity Scholarship Program (CySP) Meeting**

**August 27<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 3:15 PM in Stright 331**

**Attended by:** Dr. Waleed Farag, Dr. Soundararajan Ezekiel, Dr. Imran Ghani, Joshua Griffith, James Lutz, Kaishia Ieraci, Rodney Cesar, Brooklyn Kotula, and Timothy Troy.

1. Received the executed grant on August 19<sup>th</sup> even though initial notification was in May.
2. Dr. Farag has already submitted tuition waivers and fee waivers for fall semester.
  - a. If changing credits, talk first to Dr. Farag.
3. Book Store Account should be created.
  - a. May be used to purchase other supplies through the Co-op Store. See Dr. Farag for details.
4. Other scholarships will be canceled if they are from IUP and are over the cost of student education.
5. Laptop model and specs needs to submitted soon, try to stay under \$1500.
6. Participate in a research project over the semester.
  - a. The PI's will discuss the details of these research assignments soon.
7. Dr. Farag has awarded the fall stipend (\$12,500) for all recipients to ensure all students promptly receive all of the scholarship benefits.

### **Student Responsibilities**

1. Keep GPA over 3.2 or there will be issues (e.g. losing scholarship)
2. Participate in a DOD internship (if requested)
3. IUP Requirements:
  - a. Attend all monthly meetings
  - b. CC Dr. Farag on emails to [AskIASP@nsa.gov](mailto:AskIASP@nsa.gov), Alice Smitley, Josh Odum. Please talk with Dr. Farag first if you have any issues.
  - c. Participate in extracurricular activities (e.g. Cyber Security Club, Cyber Security Team (Hackathon on 9/21)).
4. CAE NE CCRCHackathon
  - a. September 20<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> in Stright 107A
  - b. September 20<sup>th</sup> late afternoon practice and setup.

- c. September 21<sup>st</sup> 8:30 to 4:30, Hackathon event.
- 5. Cyber Security Day – October 29<sup>th</sup>
- 6. Cyber Security Conference – November 7<sup>th</sup>
- 7. Compile a portfolio of what you did over the academic year.
- 8. Again, keep GPA over 3.2
- 9. Doodle pole will be made for next meeting time, students should be on the lookout for that.
- 10. Students' academic studies are first priority and they should only participate in extracurricular activities as they can.

Respectfully Submitted By: Joshua Griffith and Waleed Farag