

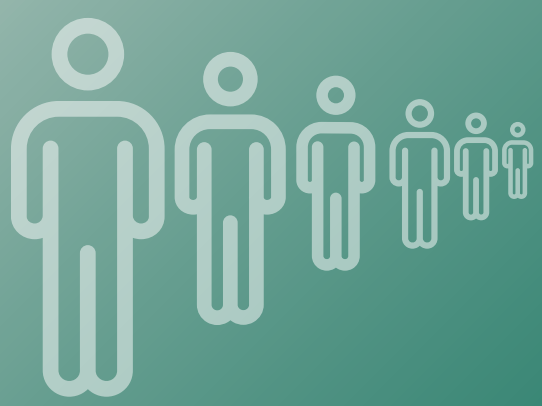
# CYBERSECURITY CAREERS

Results of the 2017 (ISC)<sup>2</sup> Global Information Security Workforce Study reveal these

## 7 FAST FACTS

you need to know.

### DEMAND OUTPACES SUPPLY



By 2022, there will be a **shortage of**

**1.8 million**

information security workers.

### HIRING IS ON THE RISE

**70%** of employers plan to **increase their cybersecurity staff** this year.

### HOW TO GET STARTED



of cybersecurity workers **did not start in cybersecurity.**

### COMMUNICATION IS KEY



**Communication skills,** followed by **analytical skills,** ranked highest as what employers look for in new hires.

### THE BIG THREE

Employers top security concerns include:

- 1 Data exposure**
- 2 Data exfiltration**
- 3 Ransomware**

### THE CLOUD IS HOT



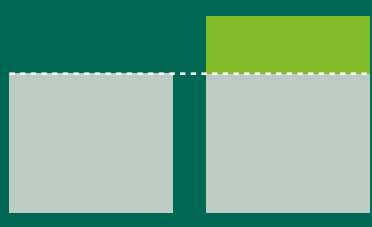
For career advancement, **60%** rated **Cloud Computing and Security** as **THE key area** to acquire or strengthen knowledge within the next three years.



### (ISC)<sup>2</sup> CERTIFICATION BOOSTS CAREERS

(ISC)<sup>2</sup> certification holders make an average salary of

**35% more**



than those without an (ISC)<sup>2</sup> certification.

Ready to kick-start your cybersecurity career? Check out the **Associate of (ISC)<sup>2</sup>** program.

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