

# SEI Bulletin

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## SEI CERT Division Research Supports Cybersecurity Awareness

**October 9, 2024**—This October, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA) is once again promoting cybersecurity awareness through its annual [Secure Our World](#) campaign. To support cybersecurity awareness within government, industry, and academia, the CERT Division of the SEI presents some recent releases and upcoming events.

### SEI Blog Posts

- [A Roadmap for Incorporating Positive Deterrence in Insider Risk Management](#)
- [3 API Security Risks and Recommendations for Mitigation](#)

### SEI Podcasts

- [3 Key Elements for Designing Secure Systems](#)

- [Best Practices and Lessons Learned in Standing Up an AISIRT](#)

## Recent Publications

- [Counter AI: What Is It and What Can You Do About It?](#)
- [Positive Deterrence for Reducing Insider Threat Collection](#)

## Upcoming Webcasts

- [Cyber Challenges in Health Care: Managing for Operational Resilience](#)

## Upcoming Courses

- [Insider Threat Program Manager: Implementation and Operation](#)

Follow the [CERT/CC](#) for the latest on software vulnerabilities, and [report vulnerabilities](#) on their website. You can also report vulnerabilities in artificial intelligence systems to the CERT Division's [Artificial Intelligence Security Incident Response Team \(AISIRT\)](#).

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### [SEI's Grace Lewis Elected IEEE Computer Society President](#)

Lewis, an accomplished SEI researcher on the effects of emerging technology on software engineering, will serve as IEEE Computer Society president in 2026.

### [DevSecOps Days D.C. 2024 Presentations Now Available](#)

Presentations from the September 18 event feature SBOMs, zero trust, open source projects, and other topics on the integration of security into DevOps.

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### [Evaluating Static Analysis Alerts with LLMs](#)

Large language models offer possibilities for better vulnerability detection. William Klieber and Lori Flynn discuss initial experiments using GPT-4 to evaluate static analysis alerts.

### [Measuring AI Accuracy with the AI Robustness \(AIR\) Tool](#)

Understanding an AI system's predictions can be challenging. SEI researchers discuss a new tool to help improve AI classifier performance.

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## [Latest Podcasts](#)

### [3 Key Elements for Designing Secure Systems](#)

To make secure software by design a reality, engineers must intentionally build security throughout the software development lifecycle. Timothy A. Chick discusses building, designing, and operating secure systems.

### [Using Role-Playing Scenarios to Identify Bias in LLMs](#)

Harmful biases in large language models (LLMs) make AI less trustworthy and secure. Katie Robinson and Violet Turri discuss their recent work using role-playing game scenarios to identify biases in LLMs.

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## [Latest Videos](#)

### [Embracing AI: Unlocking Scalability and Transformation Through Generative Text, Imagery, and Synthetic Audio](#)

Tyler Brooks, Shannon Gallagher, and Dominic Ross aim to demystify AI and illustrate its transformative power in achieving scalability, adapting to changing landscapes, and driving digital innovation.

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## Latest Publications

### [Positive Deterrence for Reducing Insider Threat Collection](#)

This collection contains materials related to the SEI's research on organizations' use of positive deterrence to reduce the risk of insider activity.

### [Counter AI: What Is It and What Can You Do About It?](#)

This paper describes counter AI and provides recommendations on what can be done to defend AI systems in the long term and near term.

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## Upcoming Events

Webcast - [Independent Verification and Validation for Agile Projects](#),

October 23

Justin Smith highlights a novel approach to providing independent verification and validation (IV&V) for projects that are using an Agile or iterative software development.

Webcast - [Cyber Challenges in Health Care: Managing for Operational Resilience](#), October 30

Matthew Butkovic and Darrell Keeling will explore approaches to maximize return on cybersecurity investment in the health-care context.

[International Conference on Conceptual Modeling \(ER 2024\)](#), October 28-31

The SEI will host the main international forum for discussing the state of the art, emerging issues, and future challenges in research and practice on conceptual modeling.

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## Upcoming Appearances

[TechNet Indo-Pacific 2024](#), October 22-24

Visit the SEI at booth 1411.

[27th Annual Systems & Mission Engineering Conference](#), October 28-31

Visit the SEI at booth 8, and hear SEI researchers Lori Flynn, Alexander Vesey, and Jérôme Hugues.

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## [Upcoming Training](#)

[Risk Program Development - Governance and Appetite Workshop](#)

November 13-14 (SEI Arlington, Va.)

[Introduction to the CERT Resilience Management Model](#)

December 3-4 (SEI Arlington, Va.)

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## [Employment Opportunities](#)

[Senior Machine Learning Engineer - Secure AI Lab](#)

[Manager of Public Relations](#)

[Program Development Manager](#)

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