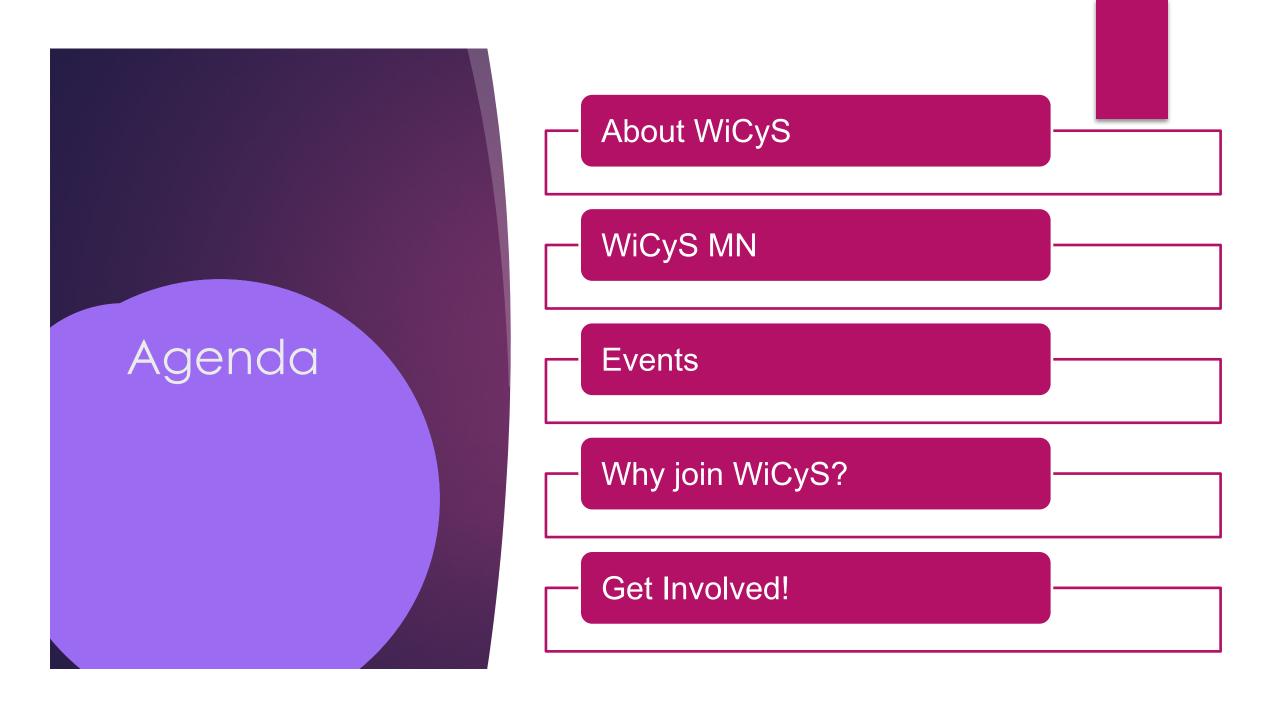


# 2023 CSS13 Breakfast

Cyber Security Summit 2023



## About WICYS

#### ► FOUNDED IN 2013

- Dr. Ambareen Siraj was given a National Science Foundation grant from Tennessee Tech
- What started out a conference has now grown into a leading alliance between academia, industry and government
- Over 5000 members strong
- Professional, student, veteran and special interest affiliations
- International organization new affiliates starting up all the time
- Annual Conference in March (Nashville in 2024)
- Includes Academia Affiliations

## About WICYS MN

#### Leadership

- President: Judy Hatchett VP/CISO Surescripts
- Vice President: Tina Meeker VP of Information Security & Enterprise Architecture Sleep Number
- Secretary: Kari Plagge Talent Planning & Development Lead, Optum
- Treasurer: Aimee Krebsbach, Director, Consulting Services York Solutions
- Minnesota Affiliation formed in 2019
- Proceeds from events will go to funding next years event, membership scholarships and future training events

#### Events To Date

Attendance at WiCyS National Conference – Mar WiCyS MN and Orca Security Networking Event – Apr WiCyS MN and WiCyS St. Cloud State University – Networking ad Resume Review - Apr WiCyS MN at Secure 360 – May WiCyS MN Members Only Wine Tasting Event - July WiCyS MN Annual Golf Outing (Fourth Annual) – Sept WiCyS MN and Women in Cyber at the 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Cyber Security Summit – Oct 24\*26

Coming up! WiCyS MN and ISSA MN, InfraGard MN, MN CSA End of Year Holiday Cheer – Nov 14, 2023 WiCyS MN Social Event – TBD – Jan/Feb 2024 WiCyS National Conference – Nashville – Mar 2024 WiCyS MN Golf Outing – Summer/Fall 2024 – Location TBD

## Why Join WiCyS?

As a member of WiCyS, you have access to all the resources and opportunities provided by your network. From community groups to career fairs, scholarships to speaking opportunities, and much much more – check out all the benefits below and see what's waiting for you!

#### WICYS MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

- Allyship Symposiums
- Blog Submissions
- Bookclub
- Conference Scholarships and Grants Awards
- Earn CPEs/CEUs
- Internships
- Job Board++
- Leadership Series
- Monthly Newsletter
- NICE Workforce Framework Video Library
- Online Member Forum

- Professional Affiliates
- Resource Library
- Skills Development Training Programs
- Speaker Spotlight Cohorts
- Special Interest Groups
- Student Chapters
- Veteran Support
- Virtual Career Fair
- Volunteer Opportunities
- Webinar Series

Visit WiCyS.org to join – <u>Please ensure you select the Minnesota Affiliate</u>!!

### Get Involved!

- Committee Opportunities
  - Website development / Social Media Planning and Coordinating events
  - Accounting Support / Annual Report Development

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