



Call for Presentations

SANS Securing The Human is excited to announce a Call for Presentations for the 3rd annual Security Awareness Summit, to be held August 3 & 4, 2016 in San Francisco, CA.

We are looking for presenters who are actively involved in their organization's security awareness program and can share real-world lessons learned on how they took their awareness program to the next level. Our goal is for attendees to have action items they can take back and apply right away to their organization. Prospective presenters for the Security Awareness Summit should submit their submissions no later than Friday, February 26th, 2016.

Benefits of Speaking

- Promotion of your speaking session and company recognition via the Security Awareness Summit website, social media and all printed materials
- Full conference badge to attend all Summit sessions
- One additional complimentary Summit guest pass

Prospective presentations must focus on real-world experiences and their personal lessons learned.

Speaking Opportunities

There will be two different types of talks on the Summit agenda – standard 40-minute slots, with 30-35 minutes of content and 5-10 minutes of time for Q&A; and 6-minute lightning talks. Please specify which style talk you are submitting.

Submission Requirements

Submissions should be sent in the body of an email or as a Word document. Please do not submit in PDF format. Your submission must include:

- Title and abstract of proposed talk: The presentation abstract should outline your presentation, what attendees will learn and how they can apply it to their organization.
- Proposed format – long talk or lightning talk
- Name of prospective speaker
- Title & Organization
- Phone
- Email
- Twitter handle if applicable
- Bio: Your biography should be approximately 150 words. You may include your current position, titles, areas of professional expertise, experience, awards, degrees, personal information, etc.
- Headshot in TIFF, JPEG, or EPS format. Please send the highest resolution photo you have in case your talk is selected and we feature you in printed promotional materials.
- Link(s) to video(s) of previous presentations given at any professional event (not necessarily on this topic)

The deadline for all submissions is Friday, February 26th, 2016 at 5 pm CST. Submissions should be sent in the body of an email to AwarenessSummit@sans.org with the subject "Security Awareness Summit CFP."