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November 5, 2025 – November 7, 2025

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Bold Starts: Wednesday, Nov 5

2:00 pm – 4:00 pm CST	Forrester Women's Leadership Program: Thrive In Chaos Speakers: Jinan Budge, VP, Research Director, Forrester Janet Worthington, Senior Analyst, Forrester Madelein van der Hout, Senior Analyst, Forrester Amanda Lipson, Research Ops & Delivery Manager, Forrester Allie Mellen, Principal Analyst, Forrester Sandy Carielli, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester Deidre Diamond, Founder & CEO of CyberSN, Founder of Secure Diversity Joni Klippert, CEO and Co-Founder, StackHawk, Inc Rachael Stockton, VP of Product Marketing, Dashlane Farah Hussain, Founder & Executive Coach, Coaching With Farah
4:30 pm – 6:00 pm CST	Executive Leadership Exchange (Invite-Only): Welcome & Overview Speakers: David Levine, VP, Executive Partner, Forrester 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm Fireside Chat: The Risks And Rewards Of Security Leadership Speakers: Tim Brown, Chief Information Security Officer and Vice President of Security, SolarWinds Jess Burn, Principal Analyst, Forrester 5:30 pm-6:00 pm Q&A and Closing Thoughts
4:45 pm – 6:00 pm CST	Security & Risk Summit AI Certification Workshop: Protect Your Organization And Defend It With Generative AI Speakers: Allie Mellen, Principal Analyst, Forrester Jenna Wohead, Director, Product Management, Forrester Elisabeth Medaris, Director of Experience & Operations, Forrester Certification, Forrester
5:00 pm – 6:00 pm CST	Workshop: Mature And Justify Your Security Program With Forrester's Information Security Maturity Model Speakers: Paul McKay, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester Ron Woerner, Senior Consultant, Forrester
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm CST	Welcome Reception
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Thursday, Nov 6

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8:00 am – 9:00 am CST	Government Networking Breakfast
9:00 am – 9:30 am CST	Welcome & Opening Remarks Speakers: George Colony, CEO, Forrester Amy DeMartine, VP, Research Director, Forrester
9:30 am – 10:00 am CST	Keynote: The Security Singularity Speakers: Allie Mellen, Principal Analyst, Forrester
10:00 am – 10:30 am CST	Keynote: The CISO Of The Agentic Future Speakers: Jess Burn, Principal Analyst, Forrester Jeff Pollard, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester
10:40 am – 11:30 am CST	Marketplace Coffee Break & Networking (In-Person Only) 10:45am - 10:55am - Hyperproof: Discover Hyperproof: An Overview Of Hyperproof's AI-Powered Platform Speakers: Tyler Angle, Solutions Architect, Hyperproof 11:00am - 11:10am - Fable Security: The Math Of Manipulation: Adtech Lessons For Human Risk Speakers: Dr. Sanny Liao, Co-founder and Chief Product Officer, Fable Security
10:50 am – 11:20 am CST	Executive Leadership Exchange (Invite only): Exclusive Keynote Q&A Speakers: George Colony, CEO, Forrester Allie Mellen, Principal Analyst, Forrester Jess Burn, Principal Analyst, Forrester Jeff Pollard, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester
10:50 am – 11:20 am CST	Analyst-Led Roundtables (Pre-Registration Required) Cyber Risk, Quantified: Tools, Tactics, and Triumphs Speakers: Cody Scott, Senior Analyst, Forrester SASE: The Change Agent Uniting Two Opposing Worlds And Paying Off Speakers: Andre Kindness, Principal Analyst, Forrester Keeping Up With Regulations In A World of Constant Change Speakers: Alla Valente, Principal Analyst, Forrester Enza Iannopollo, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester Madelein van der Hout, Senior Analyst, Forrester
11:00 am – 12:00 pm CST	Workshop: Zero Trust For Operational Technology (Pre-Registration Required) Speakers: Carlos Rivera, Senior Analyst, Forrester Paddy Harrington, Senior Analyst, Forrester Peter Cerrato, Principal Consultant, Forrester

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11:30 am – 12:00 pm
CST**Breakout Sessions****STRATEGY & LEADERSHIP****AEGIS: A Strategic Shield For CISOs To Protect The Agentic Enterprise**

Speakers: Jeff Pollard, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester

ZERO TRUST, DATA, & CLOUD**The Role Of AI In Zero Trust Architectures**

Speakers: James Plouffe, Principal Analyst, Forrester

IDENTITY & FRAUD**Convergence, Consolidation And Context: The Future Of Identity Security**

Speakers: Merritt Maxim, VP, Research Director, Forrester

RISK & COMPLIANCE**Make It Work: The Future Of Risk Management Designed For AI**

Speakers: Alla Valente, Principal Analyst, Forrester

PREVENTION, DETECTION & RESPONSE**How AI Agents Are Fundamentally Changing Security Operations**

Speakers: Allie Mellen, Principal Analyst, Forrester

APPLICATION SECURITY**The Future Of Application Security Platforms**

Speakers: Sandy Carielli, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester Janet Worthington, Senior Analyst, Forrester

12:10 pm – 12:40 pm
CST**Case Study Sessions****Brinqa: No More Hail Marys: Rethinking The Exposure Management Playbook For A New Era Of Evolving Risk**

Speakers: Jay Klauser, SVP, Sales Engineering & Alliances, Brinqa

Safe Securities: Autonomy or Fallout: Lessons From Recent Third-Party Breaches

Speakers: Wes Hendren, Account Executive, SAFE Molly Slocum, Solution Architect, SAFE

ThreatLocker: Cybersecurity Case Study: A Tale Of Two Hospitals

Speakers: Rob Allen, Chief Product Officer, ThreatLocker

12:40 pm – 1:40 pm
CST**Lunch & Marketplace Break (In-Person Only)****12:45 - 12:55pm - Forrester: Get Trusted Advice Fast With AI Access**

Speakers: Doug Washburn, Vice President, Product Management, Forrester

1:00 - 1:10pm - Upskilling with Forrester: A Human Defense Strategy

Speakers: Elisabeth Medaris, Director of Experience & Operations, Forrester Certification, Forrester

12:40 pm – 1:40 pm
CST**Executive Leadership Exchange (Invite Only): Exclusive Networking Lunch**

Speakers: David Levine, VP, Executive Partner, Forrester

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12:40 pm – 1:40 pm CST	AR Exchange Luncheon	
1:40 pm – 2:25 pm CST	Breakout Sessions	
	STRATEGY & LEADERSHIP	RISK & COMPLIANCE
	The \$10 Million Question: A Materiality Drill For Execs Speakers: Jess Burn, Principal Analyst, Forrester Bezawit Sumner, CISO and Sr. Director of Security & Compliance, CRISP Shared Services Will Daugherty, Head of Cybersecurity, Norton Rose Fulbright US LLP	GRC Engineering: Jailbreak Your GRC Strategy Speakers: Cody Scott, Senior Analyst, Forrester
	ZERO TRUST, DATA, & CLOUD	PREVENTION, DETECTION & RESPONSE
	Establish Your Governance Framework For Zero Trust Architecture Speakers: Carlos Rivera, Senior Analyst, Forrester Soo Yi, Senior Vice President, Security Policy, Governance and Assessments Director, PNC Bank	AI Meets TI: A True Force Multiplier For Practitioners? Speakers: Jitin Shabadu, Analyst, Forrester Allie Mellen, Principal Analyst, Forrester Praveen Kollaikal, VP Product Management, SaaS Cloud Security, Oracle
	IDENTITY & FRAUD	APPLICATION SECURITY
	The Secret(s) Life Of Machine Identities Speakers: Geoff Cairns, Principal Analyst, Forrester	Application Security In The Age Of AI-Generated Code Speakers: Janet Worthington, Senior Analyst, Forrester Chris Gardner, VP, Research Director, Forrester
2:35 pm – 3:05 pm CST	Breakout Sessions	
	STRATEGY & LEADERSHIP	RISK & COMPLIANCE
	Deconstruct The Now And Next Of Cybersecurity Threats To Prepare Your Security Program Speakers: Tope Olufon, Sr Analyst, Forrester	Navigate The Conflicting Regulatory Landscape Speakers: Paul McKay, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester
	ZERO TRUST, DATA, & CLOUD	PREVENTION, DETECTION & RESPONSE
	Flex Your Privacy Toolkit To Enable AI Data Use Speakers: Enza Iannopollo, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester	Incident Response For Insider Threats Speakers: Joseph Blankenship, VP, Research Director, Forrester Jess Burn, Principal Analyst, Forrester
	IDENTITY & FRAUD	APPLICATION SECURITY
	Using IAM To Manage And Govern Agentic AI Speakers: Andras Cser, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester	Demystifying AI Red Teaming Speakers: Jeff Pollard, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester

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2:25 pm – 3:35 pm CST	Workshop: Leading Through Challenging And Changing Times (Pre-Registration Required) Speakers: Jinan Budge, VP, Research Director, Forrester
3:05 pm – 4:05 pm CST	Marketplace Coffee Break & Networking (In-Person Only) 3:10pm - 3:20pm - TrustCloud: Upgrade GRC Into A Profit Center Speakers: Sravish Sridhar, Founder, TrustCloud 3:25pm - 3:35pm - Thales: The New Frontiers of Zero Trust Speakers: David Holmes, Application Security Chief Technology Officer, Thales 3:40pm - 3:50pm - ThreatLocker: Stopping Lateral Movement With Ringfencing: Rubber Ducky Challenge Speakers: Rob Allen, Chief Product Officer, ThreatLocker
3:05 pm – 3:50 pm CST	Executive Leadership Exchange (Invite Only): Mastering An Effective Executive Tabletop Exercise Speakers: Joe Carroll, CIO, CITGO Petroleum David Levine, VP, Executive Partner, Forrester
3:15 pm – 3:45 pm CST	Analyst-Led Roundtables (Pre-Registration Required) Is Compliance Hijacking Security? A Roundtable For Financial Services Security Leaders Speakers: Erik Nost, Senior Analyst, Forrester Government Meetup: New Requirements, New Challenges. Speakers: Carlos Rivera, Senior Analyst, Forrester Cody Scott, Senior Analyst, Forrester Turning Insider Risk Inside Out: Protecting Against Insider Incidents Speakers: Joseph Blankenship, VP, Research Director, Forrester
4:05 pm – 4:15 pm CST	Welcome Back Speakers: Amy DeMartine, VP, Research Director, Forrester
4:15 pm – 4:45 pm CST	Keynote: 2025 Security And Risk Enterprise Leadership Award Speakers: Joseph Blankenship, VP, Research Director, Forrester Kris Slotwinski, CISO, BNP Paribas Bank Polska
4:45 pm – 5:15 pm CST	Keynote: The Fantasy Of Proactive Security Speakers: Erik Nost, Senior Analyst, Forrester

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5:15 pm – 5:25 pm CST	Closing Remarks Speakers: Amy DeMartine, VP, Research Director, Forrester
5:30 pm – 6:30 pm CST	Reception
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm CST	Executive Leadership Exchange (Invite-Only): Exclusive Dinner

Friday, Nov 7

8:00 am – 9:00 am CST	General Breakfast Featuring Birds Of A Feather Networking
8:00 am – 9:00 am CST	Ignite Breakfast Program Speakers: Stephanie Balaouras, VP, Group Director, Forrester Nate Swan, Chief Sales Officer, Forrester Dana Barnes, Sales Manager, Forrester
9:00 am – 9:10 am CST	Welcome Back Speakers: Amy DeMartine, VP, Research Director, Forrester
9:10 am – 9:40 am CST	Keynote: Continuous Risk Management In Flight Speakers: Cody Scott, Senior Analyst, Forrester
9:40 am – 10:10 am CST	Keynote: The Quantum Security Mystery Speakers: Sandy Carielli, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester
10:15 am – 10:45 am CST	A Government Deep Dive: Proactive Security Speakers: Erik Nost, Senior Analyst, Forrester Carlos Rivera, Senior Analyst, Forrester
10:15 am – 11:00 am CST	Get The Most From Forrester (Pre-Registration Required) Speakers: Doug Washburn, VP, Research Products, Forrester Joseph Blankenship, VP, Research Director, Forrester

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10:15 am – 11:05 am CST	Marketplace Coffee Break & Networking (In-Person Only) 10:20 - 10:30am - Forrester: Closing Cybersecurity Gaps To Meet Tomorrow’s Threats Speakers: Peter Cerrato, Principal Consultant, Forrester Ron Woerner, Senior Consultant, Forrester													
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10:35 am – 11:35 am CST	Workshop: Demystifying AI Security: A Practical Guide To Getting Started (Pre-Registration Required) Speakers: Jeff Pollard, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester Heidi Shey, Principal Analyst, Forrester													
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	STRATEGY & LEADERSHIP	RISK & COMPLIANCE
	Shift From Talk To Action: Chart Your Human Risk Management Roadmap Speakers: Jinan Budge, VP, Research Director, Forrester	From Achilles Heel To Strategic Advantage: TPRM Reimagined Speakers: Alla Valente, Principal Analyst, Forrester
	ZERO TRUST, DATA, & CLOUD	PREVENTION, DETECTION & RESPONSE
	Chart A Path To Defining Data Sensitivity (Discovery and Classification) Speakers: Heidi Shey, Principal Analyst, Forrester	Build Resilience With Proactive And Offensive Security Collaboration Speakers: Erik Nost, Senior Analyst, Forrester Tope Olufon, Sr Analyst, Forrester
	IDENTITY & FRAUD	APPLICATION SECURITY
	Deepfake Defense By Design Speakers: Merritt Maxim, VP, Research Director, Forrester Geoff Cairns, Principal Analyst, Forrester Andras Cser, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester Renee Murphy, Independent GRC Analyst, Sylvia Harris, CISO, City of Pittsburgh	The Business Of Bots, Scrapers, And AI Agents Speakers: Sandy Carielli, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester John Buten, Principal Analyst, Forrester Evelyn Mitchell-Wolf, Senior Analyst, Forrester
11:45 am – 12:45 pm CST	Workshop: Align And Clearly Communicate Your Security Strategy (Pre-Registration Required) Speakers: Jess Burn, Principal Analyst, Forrester Madelein van der Hout, Senior Analyst, Forrester	
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm CST	Lunch & Marketplace Break (In-Person Only)	
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12:30 pm – 1:30 pm CST	Veteran's Lunch Speakers: Carlos Rivera, Senior Analyst, Forrester Ron Woerner, Senior Consultant, Forrester Drew Jaehnig, Public Sector Capture Manager, Forrester	

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12:40 pm – 1:10 pm CST	Analyst-Led Roundtables (Pre-Registration Required) What Is Beyond Customer IAM And Fraud Management In Retail and eCommerce? Speakers: Andras Cser, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester Data Governance: Getting To The Next Level And The Security Leader's Role Speakers: Heidi Shey, Principal Analyst, Forrester The Tale Of Two Healthcare: The Best Of Times And The Worst Of Times Of AI Adoption Speakers: Alla Valente, Principal Analyst, Forrester Paddy Harrington, Senior Analyst, Forrester
1:30 pm – 1:40 pm CST	Welcome Back Speakers: Amy DeMartine, VP, Research Director, Forrester
1:40 pm – 2:10 pm CST	Keynote: Predictions 2026 Speakers: Merritt Maxim, VP, Research Director, Forrester Paddy Harrington, Senior Analyst, Forrester Paul McKay, VP, Principal Analyst, Forrester Heidi Shey, Principal Analyst, Forrester Janet Worthington, Senior Analyst, Forrester
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