25th ANNUAL INFORMATION ASSURANCE FORUM 2026

Securing Automation: The Rise of Agentic AI and Bots

Wednesday, October 28, 2026

University of Findlay, Stewart Center TLB Auditorium

Video Links (& end times)

9:30 - 10:00 am **Registration opens**

Enjoy networking, coffee

10:00 – 10:05 am ***25th Anniversary Welcome & Updates from CSCI, TIC, Center for Electronic Data Education & Information Assurance (CEDEIA)***

Recognition of IA Certificates in Information Assurance

Adonai Bumba, Matteo Filippi, Israel Ogunmoyero

Start https://www.youtube.com/live/04RKGH8Cc6U?si=eknNz5YCdSHTv0ve&t=316 (end 13:39)

10:05 – 10:10 am **Welcome from UF**

Dr. Richard L. Ludwick, President

Start https://www.youtube.com/live/04RKGH8Cc6U?si=_-Z8Y-RQSOtdQxlgB&t=819 (end 16:05)

10:10 - 10:55 am **AI Governance at Machine Speed**

Hans Vargas -Silva, *Marathon Petroleum Corporation, Senior* Cybersecurity Analyst | Digital Governance

Start https://www.youtube.com/live/04RKGH8Cc6U?si=8hcJ1WVOjyUAkZQM&t=989 (end 1:01:23)

11:00-11:45 **Technological Convergence: How the World Changes when AI -tech + Bio-tech + Nano -tech + Quantum -tech Fuse Together (virtual)**

Matthew Versaggi, former White House Presidential Innovation Fellow in AI, Senior Director of Artificial Intelligence & Distinguished Engineer Optum/UHG

Start https://www.youtube.com/live/04RKGH8Cc6U?si=ydx7V_-VIuLDS0FTg&t=3850 (end 1:49:17)

12:05-12:55 pm **Authentic AI: Why Context Matters More than Intelligence**

Jeremy Scheiderer, *Marathon Petroleum Corporation,* Senior Solution Architect | AI & Data Contextualization

Start https://www.youtube.com/live/04RKGH8Cc6U?si=dbIyWHIey6L2mifx&t=8036 (end 2:59:14)

1:00-1:45pm **Quantum Influences on the Road Ahead**

Chip Block, *Kiwi Futures, LLC, CEO/CTO*

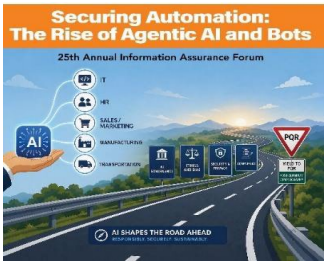
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2:00 – 2:30 pm **CSCI 496 Student Capstone Presentations:**

Building with Agentic AI: From Idea to AI Agent

Will Kurtz, Alexander Routson

Start https://www.youtube.com/live/04RKGH8Cc6U?si=sRR81q73LWTlhxvR&t=14703 (end 4:33:47)



MC Doug Jenkins, *Findlay·Hancock County Alliance*

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https://www.youtube.com/live/04RKGH8Cc6U?si=pEhUAgenN_-kX-gwx&t=311