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ELEVEN FIFTY ACADEMY OFFERS VETERANS ONLINE CYBERSECURITY COURSES

INDIANAPOLIS, IN - Eleven Fifty Academy announces an online cybersecurity course specifically for veterans, which is a first in the U.S. Eleven Fifty Academy’s Cybersecurity course is an immersive, hands-on course designed for students to earn globally recognized industry certifications. The recent pandemic has facilitated innovation at many levels, including the Veteran’s Administration. Allowing veterans to access Eleven Fifty Academy’s cybersecurity program will enable them to quickly skill up into a career that is in high demand.

Eleven Fifty’s Cybersecurity course utilizes an incredibly sophisticated cyber range through Cyberbit, where students work with real world industry standard tools to respond to live, simulated cyberattacks. Eleven Fifty Academy is approved to accept the GI Bill for its cybersecurity course. Graduates of the cybersecurity course have the equivalent of two years experience at the end of the fourteen-week course. The training is hands on, scenario-based training that includes 12-14 different security exercises that can be scaled in complexity. Students earn global cybersecurity certifications in Security+ and Network+ upon course completion.

Eleven Fifty Academy is dedicated to immersive training programs, reducing barriers to entry for cybersecurity education to individuals. Over 6,000 cybersecurity vacancies exist in Indiana today. 2,280 of those jobs require an industry certification. This certification is earned by students when they complete the new Eleven Fifty Academy Cybersecurity program. Eleven Fifty Academy partnered with Cyberbit, becoming the first cyber range in Indiana and the only coding bootcamp in the U.S. to offer their worldwide acclaimed cyber range.

Informational webinars for veterans with a Q&A session are scheduled for May 21st and 22nd. Registration is available on Eventbrite.

“Cybersecurity is a gateway to transforming lives by rapidly ramping students into rewarding careers”, says Eleven Fifty Academy founder Scott Jones. “Partnering with Cyberbit helps us meet the demand for cybersecurity positions.”

“The core mission of Eleven Fifty’s Cybersecurity program is to create a cybersecurity ecosystem,” says David Whitt, who is leading Eleven Fifty Academy’s Cybersecurity program and an Air Force veteran. “With the participation of our industry members and the expertise of the Eleven Fifty Academy and one of the world’s most sophisticated cyber ranges, we have all
of the right partners make a difference in our nation’s security and in Hoosier lives. While
anyone is eligible to take our courses, focusing on veterans has a special meaning to me.”

Eleven Fifty Academy has consistently been named by CourseReport as one of the Best Coding
Bootcamps in the nation. Eleven Fifty is well positioned to be a leader in cybersecurity training.
The Academy, now in its 5th year, has skilled up hundreds of entry-level developers through
their immersive learning experience. Many of the Academy’s more seasoned graduates are
earning over $100,000 per year within a few years after graduation. The Academy’s
Apprenticeship Program with the U.S. Dept of Labor places their employer partners in an
excellent position for bringing on even more developers.

**Eleven Fifty Academy** is a nonprofit organization focused upon high quality, immersive
software development and cybersecurity courses designed to accelerate the learning curve for
people of all ages and skill sets. The mission of Eleven Fifty Academy is to build an ecosystem
of tech talent that financially benefits the individual, their employer, and their community.
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