**ISSA Celebrates Excellence in Cybersecurity: Announcing the 2023 ISSA Awards Finalists and Fellows Recipients**

The Information Systems Security Association honors finalists, awardees, and distinguished fellows for their exceptional contributions to the cybersecurity profession.

**Columbus, Ohio – August 14, 2023** – The Information Systems Security Association (ISSA), the premier non-profit cybersecurity professional association, announces the 2023 ISSA International Awards Winners and Fellows recipients. The 2023 International Awards Gala was held at the MGM Grand Las Vegas on August 5, 2023, to celebrate the winners and honorees. In addition, all ISSA Fellows and Distinguished Fellows were honored at this event.

“For over 20 years, ISSA has recognized the individuals working hard to advance their skills and the cybersecurity profession at large in the mission to protect organizations worldwide from cyber threats,” said Candy Alexander, Board President, ISSA International. “We are pleased to recognize this individual's outstanding contributions to the community and profession. We are proud to designate these individuals as ISSA Fellows. They are long-standing ISSA members and peers.”

Congratulations to Connie Matthews Reynolds for receiving the designation of ISSA Fellow in 2023. “I’m truly honored to be awarded the ISSA Fellow; giving back to the information security community has always been very important to me!” – Connie Matthews Reynolds

ISSA Members who receive the Fellow designation are recognized leaders who have made outstanding contributions to cybersecurity through education, policy, research, teaching, and training. The elite status of Fellow is limited to 2% of the ISSA membership.

Recognized by their peers, an ISSA Fellow leads by example, lifts others while they rise, builds programs, and mentors future professionals. To be recognized by your peers is amongst the highest honor received through ISSA, the premier professional cybersecurity association.

More information on the 2023 ISSA International Awards winners can be found [here](https://www.issa.org/annual-award/2023/). More information on the awards program can be found [here](https://www.issa.org/event/2023-issa-international-awards-gala/).

View the 2023 ISSA International Awards Gala Program [here.](https://www.issa.org/2023-issa-awards-gala-video-feed/)

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