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# What Makes a Great Cybersecurity Leader?

Today's cybersecurity leaders must navigate a mercurial threat landscape. Addressing these challenges require a comprehensive and multi-layered approach.

Improving security posture requires cybersecurity leaders to influence company culture and policies, educate others, and anticipate potential threats and technology changes in the workplace.

### **1.** A great cybersecurity leader influences by:

- Adopting a holistic approach to security.
- Having a solid technical foundation.
- Translating technical security concepts.

## 2. A great cybersecurity leader educates by:

- Actively seeking new knowledge on security trends.
- Investing in talent.
- Developing a comprehensive cyber awareness curriculum.



### **3.** A great cybersecurity leader anticipates by:

- Developing a proactive rather than reactive risk management strategy.
- Implementing security tools and technologies.

- Striking the right balance between security and usability.
- Measuring and communicating the positive impact of their security initiatives.
- Establishing a regular training schedule.
- Offering training modules suited to different roles and departments.
- Empowering employees to be active participants in protecting data.
- Developing and leading an incident response plan.
- Investing in cyber insurance.
- Identifying high-risk areas of the business.

Cybersecurity leaders who influence, educate, and anticipate are poised to successfully transform the data security practices at their organizations.

A combination of experience, strategic thinking, and adaptability will enable these leaders to effectively manage risk, protect sensitive information, and create a strong culture of cybersecurity.



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