

NSU's College of Computing and Engineering Presents

TechTalk: Cybersecurity Hygiene



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Rema Deo is the Managing Director and CEO of 24By7Security, Inc. She brings over 25 years of leadership experience in global and regional financial services organizations to her role. Her leadership role and responsibility covers corporate strategy, financial management, human resources, procurement and vendor management, marketing and communications, event management, HIPAA Compliance and interface with government entities. Prior to assuming this role, Rema was a Director and Risk Technology Head for Citigroup Latin America. She has held a variety of roles in technology and finance from entry level to Director, having worked in several locations including Mumbai, New York, Long Island, Baltimore, Denver and South Florida. Rema is also actively involved in the South Florida community and has served in different capacities including a year as Vice President on the Board of the Indian Regional and Cultural Center. She is a member of the Board of Trustees at North Broward Preparatory School. She holds a certificate in Cybersecurity: Technology, Application and Policy from the MIT. She also has a Master of Business Administration Degree from Symbiosis Institute of Business Management in Pune, India and a Bachelor of Commerce degree from the University of Bombay.

When: Wednesday, October 30, 2019 @ 12noon EST

Location: Nova Southeastern University - Main Campus

3301 College Ave, Ft. Lauderdale, FL— Carl DeSantis Building

Room – Knight Auditorium or online (See below)

Rema Deo, Managing Director and CEO of 24By7Security will speak to students about cyber hygiene at Nova Southeastern University (NSU) in honor of Cybersecurity Awareness Month. As part of its popular Next-Generation Education Initiative, premier cybersecurity and compliance advisory firm 24By7Security meets with area students in October to share tips on how to stay safe and secure online. The discussion at NSU aims to help raise awareness of cybersecurity risks, social media use risks, and widespread regulatory requirements among college students.

The threat landscape of cyber-attacks continues to grow as the dependence of mobile and connected devices drastically increases. According to the National Cyber Security Alliance, prevention is essential in helping to prevent cybercrime, which includes online identity theft, financial fraud, stalking, bullying, hacking and beyond. Attacks can harm victims' reputations and personal safety.

For Rema Deo, the way forward is reinforcement. "Cyber hygiene is so critical for our day-to-day routine," said Rema Deo. "It's through constant reinforcement that we can ensure our future leaders know how to implement proper cyber hygiene. If, for instance, your dentist did not tell you every six months how important it was to brush and floss your teeth twice a day, we probably would not follow their advice regularly." 24By7Security is a National Cybersecurity Awareness Month Champion, a program representing dedicated participants who promote a safer, more secure and more trusted Internet. This Next-Generation Education Initiative was created for the younger generation as they are the denizens of the Internet today, with all the inherent risks and rewards.

"More importantly, they are tomorrow's business professionals, and we hope that our efforts will better prepare them to work securely in cyberspace, and to help others do so as well," Deo said.

On-campus RSVP via HandShake (Free Pizza will be served!):

<https://nova.joinhandshake.com/events/388545>

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