

Cybersecurity Training Reimbursement Request

Summary

The **Securing the Cloud: Foundations** course represents an opportunity to gain the skills through hands-on exercises to better setup and defend our organization's cloud assets, at a much lower cost than other options.

Employee Information

- **Name:** _____
- **Job Title:** _____
- **Department:** _____
- **Manager Name:** _____
- **Date of Request:** _____

Training Course Details

- **Course Title:** Securing the Cloud: Foundations
- **Training Provider:** Antisyphon Training
- **Course Format:** Live Virtual
- **Course Dates/Time:** April 1st-2nd 10:00am-6:00pm ET
- **Certificate of Completion:** Yes
- **CEU:** 16 hours

Total Cost

\$575.00

Operational Impact

Minimal disruption. The course is live virtual with no off-site logistics required.

Business Justification

The Securing the Cloud: Foundations course teaches the fundamentals of setting up, securing, investigating incidents, and creating procedures for cloud services.

Benefits:

- Gaining a practical understanding of various cloud controls, detections, and guardrails
- Practical, scenario-based exercises that equate to faster implementation
- Introduction to and practice with tools that increase efficiency of cloud security
- Assistance in developing runbooks and playbooks for the organization

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Organizational Alignment

- Increases organizational preparedness for a cyber incident
- Aligns with NIST/NICE Framework:
 - **Vulnerability Analysis** PD-WRL-007
 - **Cybersecurity Architecture** DD-WRL-001
 - **Systems Security Management** OG-WRL-014

Value Vs Alternative Training

The cost of this training is around **\$35 per hour** of instruction. Training with a comparable level of instruction can cost up to **\$150 per hour** of instruction. Multiple hands-on labs put the instruction into practice immediately. **12 months** of Antisyphon Training Cyber Range access for continual practice and skill development.

Skills and Knowledge Gained

- Perform incident response in AWS
- Provide technical guidance to teams implementing security controls on AWS
- Enact user access management models
- Audit for anti-patterns in cloud security
- Prevent common types of data breaches on AWS
- Avoid common mistakes and data breaches
- Build scalable infrastructure
- How to perform architecture reviews

Approval

Manager: _____

Decision: Approve Deny Pending

Comments:

Signature: _____

Date: _____