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AI Adoption

Working Smarter with Artificial Intelligence [1 + 1 hours]

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AI for Leaders & Business · Cybersecurity

Introduction

Understanding AI, Productivity, and the Future of Work

Artificial Intelligence is no longer limited to technology companies or research environments. It is now part of everyday business operations, office productivity platforms, collaboration tools, customer engagement systems, and cybersecurity operations. Organizations across industries are increasingly adopting AI to improve efficiency, automate repetitive work, accelerate decision-making, and enhance overall productivity.

This session provides a practical and accessible introduction to AI adoption for modern workplaces. It explains what AI is, how it works at a high level, where it is already being used, and how professionals can begin using AI tools to improve daily workflows and productivity. The session also addresses key risks and considerations surrounding AI usage while encouraging responsible experimentation and adoption.

The final part of the session explores the growing role of AI in Security Operations Centers (SOC) and information security, including how AI is helping cybersecurity teams improve threat detection, automate analysis, and strengthen defensive operations.

Learning outcomes

By the end of this session, participants will be able to:

- Understand the basics of Artificial Intelligence and Generative AI
- Recognize how AI is being used in modern workplaces
- Identify practical AI use cases for productivity and workflow improvement

- Understand the benefits and limitations of AI tools
- Appreciate the importance of responsible AI usage
- Gain awareness of AI applications in SOC and cybersecurity operations

Prerequisites

- General familiarity with workplace technology
- No technical or programming background required

Training outline

1. Introduction to Artificial Intelligence

1. What AI is
2. AI versus automation
3. Machine Learning and Generative AI overview
4. Large Language Models and AI assistants
5. Current AI trends and adoption

2. Understanding Modern AI Tools

1. AI chatbots and copilots
2. Content generation capabilities
3. AI for research and information retrieval
4. AI for communication and collaboration
5. AI limitations and common misconceptions

3. AI for Workplace Productivity

1. Email and communication assistance
2. Meeting summaries and note generation
3. Document and report creation
4. Presentation preparation support
5. Research and brainstorming assistance
6. Workflow optimization and task automation
7. Knowledge management and information access

4. AI Adoption in Organizations

1. Encouraging practical AI usage
2. Building AI literacy
3. Responsible AI experimentation
4. Human oversight and validation
5. Organizational readiness and adoption culture

5. Risks and Responsible AI Usage

1. Privacy and security concerns
2. Data protection considerations
3. Hallucinations and misinformation
4. Ethical and compliance concerns
5. Maintaining human judgment and accountability

6. AI in SOC and Information Security

1. AI in cybersecurity operations
2. Threat detection and anomaly analysis
3. AI-assisted alert triage
4. Incident response automation
5. AI-powered phishing and emerging threats
6. Human analysts working alongside AI systems

7. The Future of AI-Enabled Work

1. AI as part of daily business operations
2. Evolving workforce expectations
3. Human-AI collaboration models
4. Future trends in productivity and cybersecurity

Speaker Positioning

This session is delivered from a practical industry perspective rather than a purely academic approach. The instructor brings over 30 years of industry experience, ensuring the discussion reflects real-world operational environments, current business practices, and practical AI adoption strategies.

Suggested Delivery Structure

- Introduction to AI — 20 minutes
- AI Productivity and Workflow Use Cases — 45 minutes
- AI Risks and Responsible Usage — 20 minutes
- AI in SOC and Cybersecurity — 25 minutes
- Questions and Discussion — 10 minutes

Disclaimer

This outline is intended as a general guideline for the proposed session and may be adjusted, expanded, or modified by the instructor based on audience requirements, organizational objectives, time constraints, and evolving industry developments.

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