

Support the Three-Time National Champions

UCF COLLEGIATE CYBER DEFENSE TEAM



2014 • 2015 • 2016

- Established in 2013, they have won the 2014, 2015 and 2016 National Collegiate Cyber Defense Competition presented by Raytheon
- They are also four-time U.S. Southeast regional champions (2013, 2014, 2015, 2016)

- In 2016, they beat 220 other teams including Rochester Institute of Technology, University of California Berkeley, U.S. Air Force Academy and Cal Poly Pomona

GO KNIGHTS!

ABOUT THE TEAM

In 2013, the UCF Collegiate Cyber Defense Competition Team was born from the Collegiate Cyber Defense Club at the University of Central Florida (also known as Hack@UCF).

The club has quickly grown into a thriving social community of students honing their computer security skills. Each year, club members form a new competition team.

Competition team members practice two evenings and one weekend day per week, in addition to carrying full-time course loads. Practices are performed in a simulated corporate environment that is randomly attacked by current computer viruses, spyware and other malicious hacking methods. As the threats are presented, the team responds as they would in real-world scenarios: by quickly analyzing the attack and developing effective cyber defenses.

Outside of group practice, team members spend considerable time researching cyber defense topics and techniques to prepare for future practices and competitions.

COLLEGIATE CYBER DEFENSE CLUB: HACK@UCF

Established in 2012 to promote cyber security awareness in the community, the UCF Collegiate Cyber Defense Club (Hack@UCF) has grown to more than 300 members. The club meets weekly during the academic year, hosts guest speakers, provides training in offensive and defensive security techniques, and participates in virtual international "Capture-The-Flag" security competitions under the name *Knightsec*.

UCF Honored with Cybersecurity Championship Cup

This national award is given annually to a student team that has won more computer security competitions than any other team in the nation. The program is supported through a grant from the Department of Homeland Security. UCF has earned this distinction in 2015 and 2016.

Because of their unprecedented success, UCF cyber defense competitors have been honored with visits to the White House and National Security Agency headquarters, and with national leaders including former Vice President Joe Biden. In 2016, U.S. Senator Marco Rubio recognized UCF in the Congressional Record.



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UCF's national champion team photo was displayed in Times Square, New York City.

YOUR SUPPORT WILL INSPIRE FUTURE SUCCESS

The UCF Collegiate Cyber Defense Team plans to continue its winning record for years to come.

Your much-needed financial support will help keep the team's practice space modern and high-tech. Your support will enable team members' extraordinary time commitment and inspire their dedication to make a difference for UCF and for the nation's security.

LEVELS OF SUPPORT

TIER 3 SPONSOR (EXCLUSIVE)

\$50,000 1 YEAR / \$75,000 2 YEAR

(Available Fall 2018)

- Photo opportunity with sponsor representatives, competition team members, and the massive National CCDC Championship trophy
- Access to club résumé repository
- Invitation to give 30-minute recruiting presentation to club members
- Sponsor logo on club T-shirts
- News release and story placement on UCF's high-visibility social media channels
- All benefits of Tiers 1 and 2

TIER 2 SPONSOR

\$25,000 1 YEAR / \$40,000 2 YEAR

- Logo proudly displayed on club website and newsletter
- Sponsor job/internship postings will be distributed to club members via a weekly newsletter
- All benefits of Tier 1

TIER 1 SPONSOR

\$10,000 1 YEAR / \$17,500 2 YEAR

- Open invitation to attend weekly club meetings
- Distribution of provided branded items during weekly meetings
- Invitation to attend the annual club barbeque

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