Move Up to the Next Level
Advance Your Career in Information and Cybersecurity Management
Program Overview
Professional Development Institute
Today’s public and private sector organizations need management professionals who know how to protect big networks and big data. Move toward a new career in this demanding field with an Information and Cybersecurity Management Certificate from the University of Ottawa Professional Development Institute (PDI).

This program enables you to develop marketable skills that align with the information and cybersecurity management needs of any organization. It combines technical theory, best practices, and lessons learned from real-world scenarios with effective approaches to communication, management, and leadership. This unique blend of learning equips you with the ready-to-apply knowledge, skills, and abilities you need to take your career to the next level.

Go Beyond Theory and Technology
We take your professional development just as seriously as you do, so this program does more than just expose you to concepts. The curriculum takes you beyond conversational-level knowledge and prepares you to manage effective protection systems for any organization.

And unlike other offerings that are focused on IT-based technical skills, this program provides the depth and breadth you need to effectively implement highly complex and diverse systems.

With a Professional Development Certificate or a Professional Development Advanced Certificate from PDI, you’ll be ready to tackle real-world information and cybersecurity challenges in public and private sector organizations.
Through practical, in-depth instruction, you get the ideal blend of theoretical knowledge and hands-on skills.

The career-enabling courses demystify information and cybersecurity. They enable true knowledge acquisition and the immediate, practical application of that knowledge to real-world protection systems that provide tangible business value. With a balance of concepts taught and hands-on assignments based on topical scenarios, you’ll get the skills you need to:

- Identify and analyze cyberthreats
- Identify, assess, and treat cyber-risks
- Implement and assess information security management systems
- Lead teams in the development and application of risk management, protection, and incident response techniques and programs

Choose Real Learning
Through a unique learning framework, you’ll develop the comprehension, application, analysis, and evaluation skills you need to truly implement what you have learned.

This framework has been developed by experts with decades of real-world experience designing and applying effective information and cybersecurity systems.

Improve Your Marketability
Graduates of our program are better equipped with the go-to-market skills today’s organizations are looking for in qualified professionals who can implement and manage information and cybersecurity protection systems.

And by completing our program, you will have the foundation needed to pursue additional professional development opportunities, as well as internationally recognized industry certifications.

Get Hired
Ultimately, this program can lead to real-world positions or career advancement. It is recognized for its quality, breadth, and scope by employers in both the public and private sectors.

The Professional Development Certificate and the Professional Development Advanced Certificate signal potential employers that you have the skills and knowledge to meet and exceed the expectations and requirements of an information and cybersecurity management position in their organization.
Trust Proven Professional Development
This unique program is an integral part of a continuum of learning ecosystem in security, cybersecurity, and other disciplines we offer.

The University of Ottawa Professional Development Institute has provided professional development to individuals and organizations in the public and private sector for over 40 years. Every year, thousands of public sector professionals and private sector leaders benefit from a variety of continuous learning programs delivered at one of our two campuses and online.

Today, we are the largest supplier of professional development to government organizations in Ottawa, and we are at the forefront of professional development in Canada and beyond.

Define the Career You Want
The Information and Cybersecurity Management Program consistently receives an extremely high satisfaction level in surveys conducted by participants in both the public and private sector.

Visit our website to learn how this program can help you make your next career move in information and cybersecurity management.

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