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Strong cyber policy needs input from advancing technology: Cyber Technology Summit

On **Tuesday, October 30, 2018**, ITAC will host a one-day event – the *Cyber Technology Summit* - that explores the Canadian cyber technology sector from the perspective of industry and the federal working together to help keep Canada cyber secure. While some cyber events focus exclusively on policy and others on technology, ITAC believes that it is critical to cover both elements; strong cyber policy needs input from advancing technology. This is what we have attempted to do on October 30th.

Senior leaders from Government and the Canadian cyber industry will convene for a full-day discussion around the future of cyber security, including current issues facing Canada, and the solutions available to them. We hope you will be able to participate as well.

Highlights of the day will include a keynote presentation by Mr. Andre Boucher, Assistant Deputy Minister of the Communications Security Establishment (CSE) on the Government of Canada's New Cyber Strategy. Mr. Boucher is responsible for industry engagement at CSE and we are pleased to have him lead off the day.

Our guest panel presentations will include:
- International Cyber Issues: State and Non-State Cyber Threats: Does your data care?
- Shared Threats to the public and private? How can government and industry work together to keep the Canadian economy cyber secure. Moderated by: Murad Hemmadi from *The Logic*
- Future Cyber Technology: cutting edge new Canadian technology that could change the future of cyber.

Breakout Sessions will focus on The Government of Canada as Model Adopter of Cyber Innovation Cyber, Talent Solutions (with CyberNB and Government of Canada representatives) and International Opportunities for Canadian Cyber featuring international trade experts from organizations such as the Canadian Commercial Corporation.

The Summit aligns with Public Safety Canada's Cyber Security Awareness Month and will highlight detailed information about the new Government of Canada's National Cyber Security Strategy.

Click here to view the program and to learn more. Please contact VP Policy Nevin French (nfrench@itac.ca) for any questions on the event.

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