

# Fellowship Program

# SERENE-RISC launches a new fellowship program that strengthens our relationships!

In order to promote knowledge mobilization expertise across different sectors of the Canadian cybersecurity ecosystem and to strengthen collaborative ties between its members, SERENE-RISC is launching a new fellowship program.

Employees will be integrated from their public, private or non-profit organization to the SERENE-RISC team in Montreal for a period ranging from one month to a year. Since SERENE-RISC is active in the academic, private and public sectors, this program is designed for fellows to get involved with important cybersecurity public awareness and knowledge mobilization projects.

## Its purpose:

Provide fellows with the opportunity to gain a better understanding of:

- How high-impact awareness projects are conducted and evaluated;
- How knowledge mobilization activities are designed and delivered;
- How partnerships are established and maintained between a diversity of cybersecurity stakeholders;

This program allows fellows to share acquired knowledge with their home organization.

## As an employer:

- You will benefit from the cybersecurity knowledge acquired by your employees.
- You will decide the amount of hours per week and the number of months during which fellows will work with the SERENE-RISC team.

This fellowship program is a professional development opportunity for emerging leaders.

#### As a fellow:

- You will focus on projects aimed at supporting SERENE-RISC's mission.
- You will get a chance to improve your writing, analytical and project management skills.
- You will work alongside a dynamic and multidisciplinary team coordinating projects involving a broad range of partners.
- You will develop a different perspective of cybersecurity work grounded in the human dimension of cybersecurity and evidence-based approaches.

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## Eligibility and application process:

- Participants must be currently employed by one of SERENE-RISC's members, with at least two years of professional experience at the time of application.
- SERENE-RISC will provide participants with a workspace, access to the Université de Montréal IT services, academic libraries and databases.
- Note that employers remain responsible for the fellow's salary, travel and professional allowances.
- Applications can be submitted throughout the year.
- Employers should contact the Executive Director or the Scientific Director at info@serene-risc.ca, and send their employee's cv and short description of the projects they would like to work on with the SERENE-RISC team.

