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Ramapo College to Host Cyber Security Conference on August 13

MAHWAH, N.J. -- Ramapo College of New Jersey, in collaboration with America's Small Business Development Centers New Jersey, is hosting a Cyber Security Conference on Thursday, August 13 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Vince Vicari, regional director of New Jersey Small Business Development Centers (NJSBDC), will serve as moderator.

Among the topics to be discussed are how small and medium businesses can adopt and adapt appropriate approaches to cybersecurity, and how to use tools and techniques to thwart cyberattacks without constraining business innovation and growth.

Steve Gutkin, associate director of the New Jersey Office of Homeland Security & Preparedness, will be the keynote speaker. Special guest speakers include: Jeff Barto, Trust Strategist, Symantec; David G. Munson, Global Director, Security Sales, Security Business Unit, IBM; Shiraz Saeed, Product Specialist, Cyber, AIG; and Matthew Barry Smith, president and CEO, Sec Lingua, Inc.

Admission is free with advanced registration. Visit www.ASBDCBergenCyber.Eventbrite.com to register.

Ramapo College is the location for an affiliate office of the NJSBDC, which provides assistance to small business owners and entrepreneurs in New Jersey.

For more information, email vvicari@ramapo.edu

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Ranked by *U.S. News & World Report* as sixth in the Best Regional Universities North category, Ramapo College of New Jersey is sometimes mistaken for a private college. This is, in part, due to its unique interdisciplinary academic structure, its size of approximately 6,000 students and its pastoral setting in the foothills of the Ramapo Mountains on the New Jersey/New York border.

Established in 1969, Ramapo College offers bachelor's degrees in the arts, business, humanities, social sciences and the sciences, as well as in professional studies, which include nursing and social work. In addition, Ramapo College offers courses leading to teacher certification at the elementary and secondary levels. The College also offers eight graduate programs as well as articulated programs with

Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, New York Chiropractic College, New York University College of Dentistry, SUNY State College of Optometry and New York College of Podiatric Medicine.