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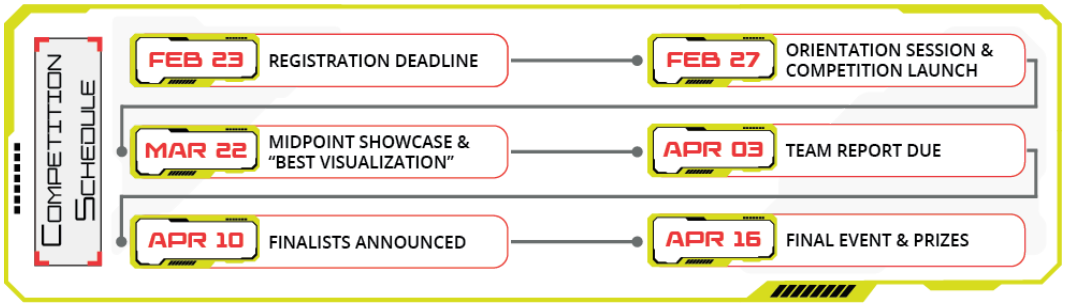
Institute of
Data Science

Cyber Wise

2025 Student Data Challenge

The **Cyber Wise 2025 Student Data Challenge** is an open-ended data science competition where teams identify a goal and develop a final report and presentation based on a central theme: *the intersection of cybersecurity and data science*.



Cyber Wise is held over seven weeks, starting with the *Technical Orientation Session* and ending with the *Final Event*, giving Student teams of one to five (1–5) members time to:

Explore Datasets | Develop Approach | Visualize Results | Write Report

Teams are separated into undergraduate and graduate divisions, and given an initial dataset and challenge prompt. They create an innovative and narrative-driven analysis to help a target stakeholder better understand and manage an aspect of cybersecurity.

Cybersecurity and Data Science are rapidly expanding and deeply related fields, offering numerous job opportunities for students with technological expertise and an understanding of data security.

A panel of judges a review submitted will review all entries and select participants to advance to the final round of the competition. Finalist teams will have a week to prepare a brief presentation. The judges select the winning teams in each division based on their written reports and presentations.

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Division Awards		Special Awards
Undergraduate	**Graduate**	Best Presentation Design — $500
1st Place — $2,000	1st Place — $2,000	Best Use of Additional Data — $500
2nd Place — $1,000	2nd Place — $1,000	Best Supplementary Materials — $500
3rd Place — $500	3rd Place — $500	Midpoint Best Visualization — $250 [x3]

*Each Spring, the **Texas A&M Institute of Data Science** (TAMIDS) partners with **Chevron** to host a seven-week-long data science competition open to all Texas A&M undergraduate and graduate students.*

- *Over 150 students from across Texas A&M participated each year*
- *TAMIDS and Sponsors give out thousands in prizes*
- *Provides a unique opportunity for students to learn and apply skills*

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