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## **The Future Cybersecurity Landscape with General (Ret) Keith Alexander**

*Facilitated by Dr. Steve Cambone*

**Thursday, September 10<sup>th</sup> -- 5:00-6:00 PM EST**

**Zoom Link: <https://bit.ly/3hlyWMr>**

(Note: Only the speaker and facilitator will be on-screen for this session.  
Please submit questions via the Zoom Q&A function.)



### **Gen. Keith Alexander – Founder and Co-CEO, IronNet**

At IronNet Cybersecurity, as the CEO and President, General (Ret) Keith Alexander provides strategic vision to corporate leaders on cybersecurity issues through development of cutting-edge technology, consulting and education/training. His goal is to bridge communication systems between private and government sectors to create the next level of intelligence sharing and protect the nation against cyber threats on a global stage.

General Alexander is a four-star general with an impressive 40-year military career, culminating in role of the Director of the National Security Agency (NSA) and Chief of the Central Security Service (CSS) from 2005-2014. He holds the distinction of serving in this role longer than any other director. While serving as the NSA Director, he was appointed by Congress to be the first Commander to lead the U.S. Cyber Command (USCYBERCOM). He is the recipient of the 2016 United States Military Academy (USMA) Distinguished Graduate Award. He holds a BS from the U.S. Military Academy, as well an MS in Business Administration from Boston University; an MS in Systems Technology and an MS in Physics from the Naval Post Graduate School; and an MS in National Security Strategy from the National Defense University.

*In the News:* [Gen. Alexander on “Pressing Cyber Security Threats”](#)



### **Dr. Steve Cambone – Associate Vice Chancellor and Professor, Texas A&M University and Board Member, Rumsfeld Foundation**

Dr. Cambone is Associate Vice Chancellor of the Texas A&M University System and Professor of Practice in the College of Engineering of Texas A&M University and Board Member at the Rumsfeld Foundation.

Prior, Dr. Cambone worked for several years as an independent consultant. He is the founder of Adirondack Advisors, LLC, and is an advisor to start up technology companies, public and private companies that service the national security market and to non-profit organizations. Dr. Cambone served from 2001-2006 in the Department of Defense. During that time he was twice nominated by President Bush and confirmed for senior positions in DoD, including as the first Undersecretary of Defense for Intelligence. Dr. Cambone received his Ph.D. and Master’s degrees in Political Science from Claremont Graduate School and his Bachelor’s degree in Political Science from The Catholic University of America.

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*“It is not the strongest of the species that survives, nor the most intelligent, but the one most responsive to change.”*

*- Paraphrase of Charles Darwin, Rumsfeld’s Rules*

*“What you see is what you get. What you don’t see gets you.” - Unknown, Rumsfeld’s Rules*