"Introduction to the NICE Cybersecurity Workforce Framework ".

Established disciplines like medicine, engineering, and law have codified their specialities into a common lexicon and taxonomy. It is now time to do the same for the emerging discipline of cybersecurity. Without a common language to discuss and understand the work that cybersecurity professionals do, we cannot baseline capabilities, identify skill gaps, and develop the right skills for those who will defend our nation's information infrastructure. With this in mind, NICE has built a Cybersecurity Workforce Framework as our first attempt at this common language for cybersecurity work and workers. See how we've defined and organized the categories, specialty areas, tasks, and skills of the cybersecurity profession…and challenge us with your own ideas!