



Interested in joining UMBC's  
Cyberdefense Team?

# CATA (Cyber Aptitude and Talent Assessment)

- Free, online test to assess your cyber aptitude and talent
- Designed to find people who have the skills in cyber and to steer people towards the cyber career that fits them
- No previous knowledge of cyber needed
- Tests convergent creativity, spatial visualization, anomaly detection, mental model building and pattern learning
- Results/feedback provided by Haystack Solutions after one week

Haystack Solutions is a cyber security recruiting firm assisting UMBC's CTF/Computer science programs by identifying high potential cyber talent.

# CATA Instructions

- Email [UMBC-CATA@HaystackSolutions.com](mailto:UMBC-CATA@HaystackSolutions.com)
- Haystack Solutions will email your CATA userid, password and logon instructions
- Results will be emailed from Haystack Solutions to you and UMBC's CTF managers