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Ms. Stephens is a Research Analyst for the National Security Cyberspace Institute where she conducts open source Internet-based research to collect data and write cyber-related whitepapers on critical topics. Ms. Stephens' research has supported high visibility, quick turnaround projects as well as longer term projects. She monitors and follows key cyber issues for weeks to months, depending on priorities and the depth of research required. In addition to producing several key whitepapers, Ms. Stephens assisted in researching and summarizing open source news articles published in the bi-weekly [CyberPro Newsletter](#). Her papers have been delivered to various U.S. Government customers, universities, and Fortune 500 companies; and have been downloaded thousands of times. She is a U.S. citizen and possesses a Top Secret U.S. Government security clearance.

CERTIFICATIONS / TRAINING:

- Certified Ethical Hacker (April, 2010)
- CompTIA Security+ Certification (November, 2009)
- Technical Training: Networking Fundamentals, Security+, Cybersecurity, and Microsoft Excel / Word / PowerPoint

EDUCATION:

2010 – Present, Bachelor’s Degree – Business Administration, St. Leo University (9 hours completed)

2008 – 2009, Tidewater Community College (27 hours completed)

2005, General Studies Diploma, Thomas C. Clark High School, San Antonio, TX

CAREER CHRONOLOGY

1. June 2008 – Present, Research Analyst, National Security Cyberspace Institute, Smithfield VA
2. May 2008 – June 2008, Research Analyst, Selection Innovation, Smithfield, VA
3. May 2007 – May 2008, Administrative Assistant, Unusual Designs, Newport News, VA
4. March 2006 - May 2007, Administrative Assistant, Urology of Virginia, Chesapeake, VA
5. June 2005 - March 2006, Customer Service Representative, West Inc., San Antonio, TX

PAPERS AUTHORED / CO-AUTHORED:

- [Cyberspace Recruiting and Retention](#) (Kathryn Stephens, NSCI; October 25, 2010)
- [Cyberspace Insider Threat](#) (Kathryn Stephens, NSCI; October 20, 2010)
- [Cyber-related Government Jobs](#) (Kathryn Stephens, NSCI; August 2, 2010)
- [International Cyberspace Strategies](#) (Kathryn Stephens, NSCI; Larry McKee, NSCI; June 28, 2010)
- [Public-Private Cyberspace Partnerships](#) (Kathryn Stephens, NSCI; Larry McKee, NSCI; May 26, 2010)
- [Cyber Espionage: Is the U.S. Getting More Than It's Giving?](#) (Kathryn Stephen; NSCI; Larry McKee, NSCI; March 2010)
- [Certified Ethical Hacking / Penetration Testing](#) (Kathryn Stephens, NSCI, 19 Jan 2009)