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U.S. News STEM Solutions National Leadership Conference partners with LifeJourney to bring Cyber Security to America's Schools

Technology enables students to test drive their future STEM career in Cyber Security

Washington, D.C.—The U.S. News STEM Solutions National Leadership Conference announced today a partnership with LifeJourney, a career simulation technology that enables students to test-drive careers in cyber security by experiencing a day in the life of a prominent STEM leader.

On the first day of the conference, Wednesday, April 23, 2014, America's leading cyber security companies and LifeJourney mentors will introduce how cyber security is becoming a key part of the STEM classroom experience. "Cyber security is one of the fastest growing STEM fields," said Brian Kelly, editor and chief content officer at U.S. News & World Report. "We are excited to introduce the LifeJourney mentors at STEM Solutions 2014."

LifeJourney mentors are selected by leading STEM companies where thousands of students can test drive their STEM LifeJourney by living a day in the life of that leader where they experience the skills journey of that person.

"The recent Cyber Jobs Report showed that there are over 340,000 open and unfulfilled cyber s Security job openings in the U.S. alone. Inspiring students to pursue STEM careers in cyber security is one of biggest challenges facing our nation and the world. U.S. News STEM Solutions highlights the dedication of our corporate leaders toward the STEM mission by directly supporting teachers and schools as they prepare the future STEM workforce," remarked Rick Geritz, CEO of LifeJourney.

For more information on the U.S. News STEM Solutions National Leadership Conference, visit www.usnewsstemsolutions.com. For more details on LifeJourney, go to www.lifejourney.us

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U.S. News STEM Solutions—The National Leadership Conference is a mission-critical event focused on the shortage of science, technology, engineering and math skills in the American workforce. Produced by U.S. News & World Report, it brings the issue onto the national stage and assembles major corporations, leading educators, top policymakers and education technology companies in order to create the collective impact needed to fill jobs now and advance the future STEM workforce. In 2014, the conference is held April 23 – 25, 2014 at the Walter E. Washington Convention Center in Washington, D.C. in conjunction with the USA Science and Engineering Festival.

LifeJourney™—is an online career simulation experience that enables students to test-drive future career opportunities by living a day in the life of America's STEM leaders.

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