

# What Women Want Networking Establishes Cybersecurity Chapter

## Keyaan Williams Named Chapter Director

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**What Women Want Networking** launches a Cybersecurity Chapter to help members and guests to better understand and protect their businesses from the ever-increasing risks of cyber data breaches.

What Women Want Networking (WWWN), founded by TV Personality Judy Goss, is a Live and Online Women's Networking Community that provides resources to better women's lives both professionally and personally. The organization prides itself in being a trusted resource and connection for education, connections, guidance and inspiration.

According to GovTech.com, the number of data breaches through September 30, 2021 exceeded the total number of events in full-year 2020 by 17 percent (1,291 breaches in 2021 compared to 1,108 breaches in 2020).

"We saw the immediate need in establishing a Cybersecurity Chapter within our network," explains Goss. "Keyaan has already been a source of education for many of our members' businesses and is a perfect choice to head the Chapter."



Keyaan Williams is the Founder/Managing Director of Cyber Leadership and Strategy Solutions (CLASS-LLC). An MBA and JMT Certified Team Member, Keyaan followed a unique path to becoming a risk leader. He serviced in the U.S. Army as chemical weapons specialist. Later, Keyaan worked in communications security for the Army Reserve Command Headquarters. Williams spent more than a decade in various IT and security roles at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) in Atlanta.

His company, CLASS-LLC is a cybersecurity and business services firm focused on strategy consulting for public and private company boards as well as data privacy, risk management, and cybersecurity advisory for global companies. Through their workforce development programs, CLASS-LLC endeavors to develop the best cybersecurity knowledge, skills, and abilities for everyone entry-level professionals to senior executives.

"According to The National Association of Women Business Owners, almost 50% of women business owners have no preparation to prevent or prepare for a cybersecurity incident," Williams states. "I am honored to direct the Cybersecurity Chapter for WWWN. I am excited for the opportunity to inform, influence, and help bring their businesses into compliance, experience less risk, and become cyber strong. The risk is real and that not acting to protect oneself and ones' business is no longer an option."

"The Cybersecurity Chapter will officially be launched on November 18<sup>th</sup> with a virtual event 6:30-8:00pm - Cyber Practices to Keep Your Business Protected," explains Cathryn Marshall, President of WWWN. "Mr. Williams's contribution to our organization will be a great benefit to our members. We are thrilled to have his expertise in our ranks. This new Chapter will be part of the inaugural WWWN new Division Wealth & Wisdom Networking," Marshall continues.

To register for the event go to <https://bit.ly/ATLNov18KWilliams>. To schedule an interview with Keyaan Williams or Cathryn Marshall or for more information about CLASS-LLC or WWWN, please call Lisabeth Begin, Publicist, at 727-243-6965 or [Lis@BeginProductions.com](mailto:Lis@BeginProductions.com).  
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