

## CHAPTER EXECUTIVE PANEL (ChEP)

The Chapter Executive Panel (ChEP) is a key leadership body within the Global Cybersecurity Association (GCA) dedicated to overseeing and driving the success of local chapters. ChEP members play a pivotal role in fostering collaboration, growth, and engagement within their respective regions, while aligning with the broader mission and values of GCA.

### RESPONSIBILITIES

#### ✔ Chapter Strategy and Alignment

Work closely with GCA Governing Council (GCAGC) and Committee Executive Panel (CEP) to develop and execute strategies to promote the mission and goals of GCA and Committees' within the local chapter context. Align chapter activities with GCA's and Committees' overarching objectives and ensure consistency with the association's values.

#### ✔ Leadership and Mentorship

Provide guidance, mentorship, and support to local chapter leaders (ChLs), helping them effectively manage chapter affairs and initiatives. Serve as role models by demonstrating leadership qualities and embodying GCA's commitment to excellence.

#### ✔ Engagement and Collaboration

Facilitate communication and collaboration between local chapter leaders, ensuring the exchange of best practices, ideas, and resources. Foster a sense of community among local chapters by organizing virtual meetings, workshops, and events.

#### ✔ Chapter Growth and Expansion

Identify opportunities for launching new chapters in underserved regions and assist in the setup and development of those chapters. Support existing chapters in their growth efforts by providing guidance on membership recruitment and engagement strategies.

#### ✔ Governance and Compliance

Ensure that local chapter activities adhere to GCA's policies, guidelines, and ethical standards. Collaborate with the GCA Governing Council (GCAGC) to address any governance-related matters concerning local chapters.

#### ✔ Chapter Events and Initiatives

Collaborate with local chapter leaders to plan, promote, and execute impactful events, workshops, webinars, and networking sessions. Oversee the organization of regional events that align with GCA's and Committees' mission and contribute to knowledge sharing.

#### ✔ Advocacy and Representation

Represent GCA's local chapters in discussions and initiatives that require regional input or representation. Advocate for the needs and aspirations of local chapter members at the association level.

The Chapter Executive Panel (ChEP) plays a critical role in amplifying GCA's impact by nurturing vibrant and collaborative local chapters that contribute to the advancement of cybersecurity knowledge and practices within their respective communities.