DISCOVER NSA Innovative Orientation

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The Future Starts Here!!!

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The best presentations were one with stories and/or little to no PowerPoints.

"...be a little more structured and formal about it."

"...get immersed in the mission."

"Explains things in a logical order. Clearly set out expectations. Lessen the fear tactics and use more encouragement."

"Our people are essential to achieve mission impact. We want all newcomers to feel welcomed, valued and ready to contribute."

- DIRNSA

DISCOVER NSA the journey begins
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A new journey begins

MISSION FOCUS
CULTURE OF SECURITY
CAREER & BENEFITS
LEADERSHIP
INNOVATIVE CONTENT
INFORMATIONAL SESSIONS
CAREER RELATIONSHIPS
NETWORKING

DISCOVER NSA the journey begins
TO IMMERSIVE ACTIVITIES AND SIMULATIONS
NO MATTER WHERE
YOU'LL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO CONNECT COLLABORATE BUILD NETWORKS
READY TO GET STARTED?
TECHNOLOGY UTILIZED

Accessibility  same settings to control ambient music, sound effects, access keyboard controls and enable Accessible JAWS Mode. Our game has a 508 Scorecard Rating of 4.94/5.

Content Management System created for player account management and textual updates to game content by DISCOVER NSA Development Team.

Player Progress Metrics player data logged includes current location in game, locations visited, last login, player data table. Use Tableau or Excel to create reports imported from the MySQL database. Proxy logs provide number of current players per server overall during the last session.

Unclassified Cloud deployed Docker containerized products for Enterprise-wide access during DISCOVER NSA and throughout DISCOVER NSA FIRST2 Journey.

Software Leveraged Unity, Captivate, Adobe Creative Suite, Blackboard, Maya 3D Modeling, HTML 5
DISCOVER NSA: THE JOURNEY BEGINS
NSA's redesigned orientation provides an immersive, innovative, and engaging experience that increases the Agency's ability to retain top talent to ensure everyone feels welcomed, valued and ready to contribute.
CONTENT, MATERIALS AND INSTRUCTIONAL VIDEOS
MODEL MISSION SIMULATION

DIRECTORATE NOTEBOOK
Describes functions of each Directorate

DEFENDING OUR NATION
SECURING THE FUTURE
MICRO VIDEOS

Mark posted 2hrs ago

such as who we are,

DATA ANALYST  LINGUIST  COMPUTER SCIENTIST

That make us who we are.

with supercomputers and aliens living in the basement.
INTERACTIVE CAMPUS MAP

NSAW Campus Overview

Detailed Campus Map

Description and Points of Interest

CANX

CANX (Columbia Annex) is a complex of buildings used by NSA in Columbia, Maryland. The complex is located at the dead end of Riverwood Drive off of Old Columbia Road in Columbia, Maryland. The CANX complex consists of three buildings and a Visitor Control Center (VCC): CANX 1, 2, and 3.

Points of Interest

CANX 1
SHAPE Fitness Center
DISCOVER NSA: THE GAME
THE WORLDS

Select a Map

Mission Central
Kick-start your NSA knowledge at Mission Central, where you’ll learn the ins and outs of the Agency and discover your place here!

Mission Frontier
Explore and expand your Agency knowledge in Mission Frontier: then next destination in NSA expertise! Learn more about FIRST2, NSA’s Directorates, and the global Enterprise!
THE FUN STUFF
VIRTUAL REALITY EXPERIENCES

- Security Locker Checker Procedures
- National Security Operations Center
- Security Operations Command Center
- Interagency Cybersecurity Center
"It’s nice to balance this first week with work in person and teleworking, making the transition into everything easier."

"Enjoyed the informative videos, particularly about classification and OPSEC."

"I liked the "360 SOCC Video" the most, I found it both interesting and engaging."

"I love how much information is in the game and how it is compartmentalized."

DISCOVER NSA the journey continues

Here is what they are saying now!
Thank you

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We only get one chance to make a good first impression.