

CyberPeace Summit — Privacy Policy

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CyberPeace Foundation (“CyberPeace”, “we”, “us”) respects your privacy. This Privacy Policy explains what personal data we collect when you visit the Global CyberPeace Summit website (“Site”) or register for, buy tickets to, or attend the Summit and related events, in person or online (“Events”); how we use, share and protect it; and the choices you have. “You” means any visitor to the Site or anyone who registers for or attends an Event. We process personal data in line with the Digital Personal Data Protection Act, 2023 and its Rules (“DPDP Law”). Where we rely on your consent, we ask for it through a separate Consent Notice at the point of collection.

Key points: 1 Data we collect and why · 2 Sharing · 3 Cross-border processing · 4 Security · 5 Your rights · 6 Retention · 7 Cookies · 8 Children · 9 Third-party links · 10 Changes · 11 Contact and grievances · 12 Governing law. These key points do not replace the full Policy.

1. Personal Data We Collect and Why

You are not legally obliged to give us personal data, but if you do not provide what is needed for registration we may not be able to register you or provide related services. We collect only what we need for the purposes below.

Data	How we use it	Basis
Registration data: name, email, phone, country/nationality, organisation and designation; gender only if you choose to give it	Register you, issue your badge, send confirmations and essential Event updates, respond to your queries	Your consent; providing the service you requested
Payment data: handled by third-party payment providers; we receive payment status and limited reference details	Process ticket payments and keep transaction records	Your consent; completing your transaction
Enquiry data: details you submit through contact or feedback forms	Respond to you	Your consent
Newsletters and updates (optional): name and email	Send news, announcements and promotional content about CyberPeace Events; unsubscribe any time	Your separate, optional consent
Photos, video and audio captured at Events, including recorded or streamed sessions	Document and report on the Event; promote future Events on our website and social media	Notice at registration and at the venue; opt-out available (see 5)

Technical and usage data: IP address, device and browser type, pages visited, cookies	Run and secure the Site, prevent fraud and misuse, understand usage, improve the Site	Consent for non-essential cookies; keeping the Site secure
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We may also use personal data where needed to comply with applicable law.

2. Sharing Your Personal Data

We do not sell your personal data. We share it only as follows:

- **Service providers:** payment processors, hosting and IT/security providers, communication and support tools, and registration and event-operations vendors, who act on our instructions and are expected to keep data confidential and secure.
- **Sponsors, partners and exhibitors:** only if you agree (for example, by ticking an optional box or allowing your badge to be scanned). They then handle your data under their own privacy practices, for which we are not responsible.
- **Co-organisers:** where an Event is organised jointly, the co-organiser will be named in the Consent Notice.
- **Legal and safety:** where required by law, court order or a government authority, or to protect rights and safety or prevent fraud.
- **Organisational changes:** in a merger, restructuring or transfer, with continued protection under this Policy.

3. Cross-Border Processing

Some service providers and Event participants may be located outside India. We transfer personal data abroad only as permitted by DPDP Law and take reasonable steps to ensure recipients protect it appropriately.

4. Security

We maintain reasonable technical and organisational safeguards appropriate to the nature of the data, such as access controls, encryption in transit, secure hosting and periodic review. No method of transmission or storage is completely secure, so we cannot guarantee absolute security; please also protect your own devices and credentials. If a personal data breach affects you, we will inform you and the relevant authority as required by law.

5. Your Rights

Subject to DPDP Law, you may: (a) request a summary of the personal data we process and whom we share it with; (b) ask us to correct, complete or update it; (c) ask us to erase it, unless the law requires us to keep it; (d) withdraw consent at any time, as easily as you gave it, without affecting processing already done; (e) use our grievance process; and (f) nominate another person to exercise your rights if you die or become incapacitated. To exercise a right, or to opt out of photography, recording or marketing, write to us using the details in section 11 or use the unsubscribe link. We may verify your identity first and will respond within the period required by law. If you are not satisfied after using our grievance process, you may approach the Data Protection Board of India.

6. Retention

We keep personal data only as long as needed for the purposes above, including Event administration, dispute resolution, security, and legal, tax or audit requirements. When the purpose is served or you withdraw consent, we erase or anonymise the data unless the law requires us to retain it. Published Event photos, recordings and reports may remain in public channels and archives; we will act on reasonable removal requests where practicable.

7. Cookies

We use essential cookies to make the Site work and keep it secure, and analytics cookies to understand how it is used. Non-essential cookies are set only with your consent, which you can change at any time through the cookie settings on the Site or in your browser. Disabling cookies may affect features such as login and ticket purchase. Third-party services embedded on the Site may set their own cookies under their own policies.

8. Children

The Site and Events are intended for individuals aged 18 and above. We do not knowingly process the personal data of a child (under 18) without the verifiable consent of a parent or lawful guardian. Where a programme involves minors, such as youth or school activities, we will seek that consent separately. If you believe a child has registered without it, please contact us so we can act.

9. Third-Party Links

The Site may link to external websites or services. We do not control them and are not responsible for their content or privacy practices.

10. Changes to this Policy

We may update this Policy from time to time. The latest version will be posted on this page with its date, and we will notify you of material changes through the Site or by email. Where the law requires fresh consent, we will ask for it.

11. Contact and Grievances

For questions, requests or grievances: [Name and designation CyberPeace Foundation, [address], [email], or through the contact page at www.cyberpeacesummit.com.

12. Governing Law

This Policy is governed by the laws of India. The courts at New Delhi have exclusive jurisdiction, subject to any rights you have under DPDP Law.