

OpenAI Cybersecurity Grant Program

Facilitates the development of AI-powered cybersecurity capabilities for defenders through grants and other support.

OpenAI are launching the Cybersecurity Grant Program—a \$1M initiative to boost and quantify AI-powered cybersecurity capabilities and to foster high-level AI and cybersecurity discourse.

Their goal is to work with defenders across the globe to change the power dynamics of cybersecurity through the application of AI and the coordination of like-minded individuals working for their collective safety.

OpenAI's program seeks to:

- Empower defenders: OpenAI would like to ensure that cutting-edge AI capabilities benefit defenders first and most
- Measure capabilities: OpenAI are working to develop methods for quantifying the cybersecurity capabilities of AI models, in order to better understand and improve their effectiveness
- Elevate discourse: OpenAI are dedicated to fostering rigorous discussions at the intersection of AI and cybersecurity, encouraging a comprehensive and nuanced understanding of the challenges and opportunities in this domain.

If you share their vision for a secure and innovative AI-driven future, OpenAI invites you to submit your proposals and join them in their aim towards enhancing defensive cybersecurity technologies.

OpenAI will evaluate and accept applications for funding or other support on a rolling basis. Strong preference will be given to practical applications of AI in defensive cybersecurity (tools, methods, processes). OpenAI will grant in increments of \$10,000 USD from a fund of \$1M USD, in the form of API credits, direct funding and/or equivalents.

Offensive-security projects will not be considered for funding at this time.

All projects should be intended to be licensed or distributed for maximal public benefit and sharing, and OpenAI will prioritize applications that have a clear plan for this.

Link

<https://openai.com/blog/openai-cybersecurity-grant-program>

Status

Open

Provider

OpenAI

Amount

Up to \$10,000

Rounds

None - Always Open

Location

- International
- National

Who Can Apply

- Non-Government
- Education
- Community Groups
- Businesses
- Individual

Co-contribution Required?

Unspecified by Provider

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