

**Election
Cybersecurity
Initiative**

USC ELECTION CYBERSECURITY INITIATIVE

**Regional Workshop: KY, NC, TN, VA, WV
AGENDA**

Thursday, April 22, 2021

Times below are in Eastern Daylight Time

1:30 PM – Program Begins

Overview:

Geoffrey Cowan

Principal Investigator, USC Election Cybersecurity Initiative

Adam Clayton Powell III

Executive Director, USC Election Cybersecurity Initiative

1:35 PM – Welcome

Gary Pruitt

President and Chief Executive Officer, The Associated Press

1:40 PM – Cybersecurity and Cyber safety

Clifford Neuman

*Director, USC Center for Computer Systems Security;
Scientist, USC Information Sciences Institute; and Associate Professor
of Computer Science Practice, USC Viterbi School of Engineering*

2:10 PM – Free Resources

Maurice Turner

*Cybersecurity Fellow, Alliance for Securing Democracy, German
Marshall Fund of the United States, and USC Election Security Analyst*

2:15 PM – Perspectives

Thomas Hicks

Vice Chair, U.S. Election Assistance Commission

Ja'Scotta Jefferson

Voter Protection Director, Virginia Democratic Party

2:25 PM – Disinformation and Misinformation

Sarah Mojarad

Lecturer, USC Viterbi School of Engineering

2:45 PM – Perspectives

Brian Fung

Technology Reporter, CNN

Bob Babbage

Former Secretary of State of Kentucky

**3:00 PM – The Impact of Foreign-Based
Online Disinformation**

Marie Harf

International Elections Analyst, USC Election Cybersecurity Initiative

3:10 PM – Crisis Response

Dave Quast

*Crisis Communications and Public Affairs Consultant; and Adjunct
Faculty, USC Annenberg School of Communications and Journalism*

3:30 PM – Adjourn

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