

## CYBERSECURITY EXPERTS SPEAK AT PRESIDENT'S CIRCLE LEADERSHIP FORUM

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This spring, the President's Circle Leadership Forum "Cybersecurity: The Evolving Threat Landscape and What Every Business Leader Needs to Know" offered vital information on cyberattacks and how to protect critical business resources and brand reputation.

Featured speakers included **Jeremy Hitchcock**, founder and CEO of Minim and previous founder of Dyn; **Michael West**, Vice President of Cyber Investigations at Fidelity Investments; and **Jason Climer**, New Hampshire Protective Security Advisor, Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, with the U.S. Dept. of Homeland Security and a member of Rivier's Security Studies Advisory Council.

West and Climer highlighted the importance of information sharing and vigilance in data protection, while Hitchcock addressed data security in our homes. "Cyberattacks are easy," said Hitchcock. "The threat in the home is now a big threat. Invest in defending your information. Be thoughtful and take the simple steps to protect your data, like security software and two-factor authentication."

A timely discussion, Rivier launched a new bachelor's degree in Cybersecurity Management for fall 2019 based on student interest and high projected U.S. employment demand in this field. The curriculum focuses on cybersecurity management, business, computer science, and homeland and international security. ■