NCMS is proud to announce its own professional Certification Program, which is accredited by the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). The Industrial Security Professional (ISP®) Program is the result of a three-year effort by the Education & Training Committee and is providing a new professional certification to qualified candidates who work within the U.S. National Industrial Security Program (NISP). This program is open to both NCMS members and non-members.

NCMS security professionals have the opportunity to associate both personally and virtually with experts across the country and around the world involved in all aspects of industrial security. As a result of the networking, training opportunities, and professional growth, the NCMS member becomes more valuable to his/her organization. In addition, lifetime friendships are established that can prove very beneficial to the career of the member.

Membership includes the NCMS Bulletin, published six times per year, which contains articles relevant to all areas of security, chapter and committee news, Board activities, and much more. Members are invited to contribute articles and items of interest. Members also have the opportunity to network with national- and local-level security professionals, obtain access to educational products to support their organizations’ security awareness efforts, and have their voices heard on evolving security issues. NCMS also offers a mentoring program as a benefit of membership. There are opportunities to attend local and national training workshops and seminars that provide current information on changing policy and emerging technologies. Additionally, members are afforded the opportunity to assume a leadership position at the chapter or national level or to serve on a committee that can have a direct impact on issues of concern to the entire country.

Membership Costs
Membership in NCMS is very affordable. Annual dues are $125, with a one-time $30 processing fee for new members. International members pay a slightly higher rate. Members joining after July 1 each year pay only $65 in addition to the processing fee.

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• To ensure that its members strive for the highest degree of professional excellence; encourage the exchange of ideas and best practices between our members;

• To participate in national level working groups and committees to affect national security policies;

• To help its members achieve the most challenging goals in the area of industrial security.

The Society is an active participant in national-level dialogue relevant to the National Industrial Security Program. As one of the seven professional security organizations that comprise the industry Memorandum of Understanding group, NCMS provides input to government decision makers on crucial policy issues and assists in the development of regulatory documentation. NCMS is also a participant in the Defense Security Service sponsored Industry Stakeholders meetings and through its industry members, provides input on issues related to policy implementation to the National Industrial Security Program Policy Advisory Committee (NISPPAC). NCMS members actively support the activities of key national committees addressing national security issues.

The activities of the membership are coordinated by Chapter Chairpersons who lead over 6,000 security professionals intricately involved in the protection of the nation’s most critical secrets. A Chapter Liaison is appointed by the President to promote effective communication between the Board and the Chapter Chairpersons. The Chapter Liaison also provides support and operational guidance to the Chapter Chairs.

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Who Coordinates Society Activities?

The NCMS mission is supported entirely by volunteers. The Society’s business affairs are managed by a Board of Directors, elected by the membership. The Board of Directors annually elects the President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer. For all business and administrative functions, NCMS also has the full-time support of a professional association management company, Multiservice Management Company (MMCO), located in Wayne, PA. The CEO of MMCO serves as the Executive Director of NCMS.

NCMS, Inc. (formerly, the National Classification Management Society) was founded in 1964 by a group of government and industry security classification managers and administrators who recognized the importance of establishing a national society to advance the practice of Classification Management as a profession.

Today, the Society has over 6,000 members and 60 chapters (and counting!) in the United States and overseas including representatives from NATO countries. Within the U.S., members come from the Department of Energy, Department of Defense, Department of State, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Federal Bureau of Investigation, National Security Agency, General Accounting Office—virtually every Federal agency that deals with the protection and classification of national security information—and from the civilian contractors who work with these agencies. As the Society has grown over the years, its focus has also expanded. NCMS now provides professional development for its members in the field of classification management, information security, personnel security, computer security, international security, operations security (OPSEC), facility security, and technical security.

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