Cyber defence summit today

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The National Cyber Defence Summit-2017 that has been organised by National Cyber Safety and Security Standards in association with the Government of India will be held at Birla Institute of Technology and Science (BITS), Pilani-K K Birla Goa campus, on December 15.

The chief guest for the summit is Director General of Police Dr Muktesh Chander, while the keynote speakers are former General Officer Commanding in Chief, Indian Army and chairman - International Cyber Security Committee National Cyber Safety and Security Standards Lt General Arun Kumar Sahni and Secretary (Goa Public Service Commission) and Director of PPP Cell Ameva Abhyankar.

The topics for the summit include national security, e-governance, threats to national critical infrastructure, cyber security issues in border security, latest technology in data, information and network security, cloud security, protecting national critical infrastructure, electronics transactions - fraud, vulnerabilities, security controls and mitigation measures, cyber security and end-user industries, protecting financial services in cyberspace, command and control the role of the CISO in today's cyber battlefield besides others.

The mission of the summit is to establish a multistakeholder consortium that brings together state/ central governments, defence, MNCs, PSUs, academics, intelligence agencies, enforcement agencies and etc, in an effort to improve the state of cyber security both at domestic and international level. The summit seeks to change the paradigm of how we look at digital space and security, critically assessing cyber security's impact on business operations and its security implications.

The summit also explores the boundaries of cyber security and also provides the best practices to protect our digital critical infrastructure where the sensitivity of the data plays a very vital role.

During the summit, cyber security experts and professionals will discuss the cyber threats to national security, e-governance, internal security, Digital India, threats to national critical infrastructure, etc.