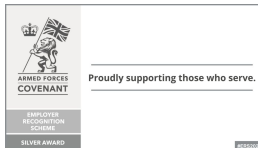


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March 2025

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[Cisco Networks App for Splunk: Introductory Webinar >>](#)

11th

What, When & Where:

Virtual Showcase (Webinar) | 11th March 2025, 14:00 to 14:30 GMT on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

“Discover how to effectively monitor and manage your Cisco network devices with the Cisco Networks App for Splunk in this introductory webinar.”



[End-to-End Monitoring. Vol. 2: Cisco Updates Shaping Splunk, AppD, & ThousandEyes >>](#)

17th

What, When & Where:

Virtual Fireside Chat | 19th March 2025, 10:00 to 10:45 GMT on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

“Join our fireside chat to explore Cisco’s enhancements to Splunk, AppDynamics, and ThousandEyes, and UK attendees will receive chocolate brownies for their feedback.”



[Splunk4Rookies – ITSI: Discovery Workshop >>](#)

20th

What, When & Where:

Virtual “Hands-on” Workshop | 20th March 2025, 10:00 to 12:00 GMT on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

“Learn the fundamentals of Splunk ITSI and AIOps with hands-on labs in our ‘Splunk4Rookies’ discovery workshop.”



[Observability Workshop in London | A New Era for Observability: Cisco + Splunk Better Together >>](#)

26th

What, When & Where:

Splunk Hosted In-Person Workshop | 26th March 2025, 09:30 to 14:00 GMT at Splunk Office, London W2 1DG

Topic:

“This session will explore how the bringing together of Splunk AppDynamics & Splunk Observability Cloud will help shape the future of full stack observability.”



[Confluent Hybrid Cloud Architecture & Splunk Integration Workshop >>](#)

26th

What, When & Where:

Virtual “Hands-on” Workshop | 26th March 2025, 10:00 to 13:00 GMT on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

“Build seamless data flows with Confluent and Splunk: Join our workshop for practical experience in hybrid cloud streaming.”



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[Splunk4Ninjas -
Dashboard Studio:
Discovery Workshop >>](#)

27th

What, When & Where:

Virtual "Hands-on" Workshop | 27th
March 2025, 10:00 to 13:00 GMT on
Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Master advanced Splunk Dashboard
Studio techniques: Build powerful,
interactive dashboards in our
hands-on 'Splunk4Ninjas' workshop."

April 2025

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[Intro to HashiCorp Terraform : Discovery Workshop >>](#)

1st

What, When & Where:

Virtual "Hands-on" Workshop | 1st April 2025, 10:00 to 12:30 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Terraform for beginners: Discover how to provision and manage AWS infrastructure with hands-on labs and expert guidance."

[Confluent Roundtable: Insurance - Insure Your Future with Real-time Data >>](#)

1st

What, When & Where:

Confluent Hosted In-Person Roundtable | 1st April 2025, 15:00 BST at Uncommon Holborn, London WC1V 6DF

Topic:

"The future of insurance with real-time data at Confluent's Roundtable event: Discussions on customer service, regulatory compliance, and building innovative applications.."

[Varonis & Microsoft: Maximising Security and Productivity Together \(Series: Webinar 1\) >>](#)

2nd

What, When & Where:

Virtual Showcase (Webinar) | 2nd April 2025, 12:00 to 12:30 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Webinar 1 of our Varonis series to discover how Varonis and Microsoft work together to maximize your investment in Purview & E5, UK attendees can claim free cupcakes from Rachael's Kitchen."

[Splunk for Security – Enterprise Security: Discovery Workshop >>](#)

3rd

What, When & Where:

Virtual "Hands-on" Workshop | 3rd April 2025, 10:00 to 14:00 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Become a Splunk security expert: Dive deep into Enterprise Security and learn to detect, investigate, and respond to threats effectively in our hands-on workshop."

[Sommerford Defence Service: Splunk Platform for Beginners Discovery Workshop >>](#)

8th

What, When & Where:

Virtual "Hands-on" Workshop | 8th April 2025, 10:00 to 13:00 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Learn the essentials of Splunk monitoring in a hands-on workshop, perfect for beginners looking to analyse data from cloud, on-prem, and hybrid systems - Dedicated for Defence."



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[Splunk4Rookies - Dashboard Studio: Discovery Workshop >>](#)

What, When & Where:

Virtual Showcase (Webinar) | 9th April 2025, 10:00 to 12:00 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Learn to create stunning, interactive Splunk dashboards with hands-on labs in our beginner-friendly 'Splunk4Rookies' workshop."

[Varonis for SaaS Security: Real-Time Visibility and Control \(Series: Webinar 2\) >>](#)

What, When & Where:

Virtual Showcase (Webinar) | 9th April 2025, 12:00 to 12:30 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Webinar 2 of our Varonis series to learn how to secure your SaaS data with real-time visibility and control, plus UK attendees can claim free cupcakes from Rachael's Kitchen."

[Splunk + Confluent Working Together: Real-Time Dashboards Ft. Apache Flink >>](#)

What, When & Where:

Virtual Showcase (Webinar) | 10th April 2025, 14:00 to 14:30 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Catch our webinar to learn how Splunk, Confluent, and Apache Flink work together to create powerful, real-time dashboards for faster data analysis and improved decision-making."

[Somersford Defence Service: Splunk Advanced Search, Reporting and Dashboarding: Discovery Workshop >>](#)

What, When & Where:

Virtual "Hands-on" Workshop | 15th April 2025, 10:00 to 13:00 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Join our hands-on workshop to advance your Splunk skills with advanced search techniques, data enrichment, and dashboarding, building upon our Splunk 101 workshop - Dedicated for Defence"

[Splunk Advanced Search, Reporting and Dashboarding: Discovery Workshop >>](#)

What, When & Where:

Virtual "Hands-on" Workshop | 29th April 2025, 10:00 to 13:00 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Join our hands-on workshop to advance your Splunk skills with advanced search techniques, data enrichment, and dashboarding, building upon our Splunk 101 workshop."

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[Splunk4Rookies -
Observability Cloud:
Discovery Workshop>>](#)

30th

What, When & Where:

Virtual "Hands-on" Workshop | 30th
April 2025, 10:00 to 13:00 BST on
Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Get hands-on with Splunk
Observability Cloud: Learn to
monitor, troubleshoot, and optimise
system performance in our
beginner-friendly workshop."

May 2025

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[Intro to HashiCorp Vault : Discovery Workshop >>](#)

1st

What, When & Where:

Virtual "Hands-on" Workshop | 1st May 2025, 10:00 to 12:30 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Learn to secure, manage, and encrypt sensitive data with HashiCorp Vault: A hands-on workshop for beginners covering dynamic secrets and encryption as a service."

[Splunk 101 Hands On Virtual Discovery Workshop for Beginners >>](#)

13th

What, When & Where:

Virtual "Hands-on" Workshop | 13th May 2025, 10:00 to 13:00 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Learn the essentials of Splunk monitoring in a hands-on workshop, perfect for beginners looking to analyse data from cloud, on-prem, and hybrid systems."

[Somerford Defence Service: Splunk Platform for Beginners Discovery Workshop>>](#)

14th

What, When & Where:

Virtual "Hands-on" Workshop | 14th April 2025, 10:00 to 13:00 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Learn the essentials of Splunk monitoring in a hands-on workshop, perfect for beginners looking to analyse data from cloud, on-prem, and hybrid systems - Dedicated for Defence."

[Splunk4Rookies - Business Insights: Discovery Workshop >>](#)

15th

What, When & Where:

Virtual "Hands-on" Workshop | 15th May 2025, 10:00 to 13:00 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"One of our new hands-on workshops for 2025 - Unlock valuable business insights with Splunk, learning to create intuitive, no-code dashboards for data analysis and informed decision-making."

[Confluent Presents: Current \(Kafka Summit, London\) >>](#)

20th

What, When & Where:

Confluent Hosted In-Person | 20th to 21st May 2025, 10:30 BST (multiple times) in London

Topic:

"Join the can't-miss latest data streaming event hosted by Confluent - Current: London, featuring 100+ sessions, industry experts, and networking opportunities, all happening May 20-21."

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[Splunk4Ninjas -
Dashboard Studio:
Discovery Workshop >>](#)

20th

What, When & Where:

Virtual "Hands-on" Workshop | 20th
May 2025, 10:00 to 13:00 BST on
Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Master advanced Splunk Dashboard
Studio techniques: Build powerful,
interactive dashboards in our
hands-on 'Splunk4Ninjas' workshop."

[Splunk4Rookies -
Security: Discovery
Workshop >>](#)

22nd

What, When & Where:

Virtual "Hands-on" Workshop | 22nd
May 2025, 10:00 to 13:30 BST on
Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Kickstart your cybersecurity
journey with Splunk: A hands-on
workshop for beginners, learning to
use Splunk Enterprise for security
monitoring, threat detection, and
incident response."

June 2025

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[Splunk ARI: Asset and Risk Intelligence Showcase >>](#)

4th

What, When & Where:

Virtual Showcase (Webinar) | 4th June 2025, 14:00 to 14:30 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Discover how Splunk ARI enhances cybersecurity with continuous asset and identity intelligence, uncovering unknown assets and providing enriched context in this 30-minute webinar."

[Splunk Cloud Transition Case Study: Introductory Webinar >>](#)

11th

What, When & Where:

Virtual Showcase (Webinar) | 11th June 2025, 14:00 to 14:30 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Discover how Somerford successfully transitioned to Splunk Cloud, gaining insights into key stages, challenges, and best practices for seamless migration."

[Splunk4Rookies - IT Service Intelligence \(ITSI\) >>](#)

24th

What, When & Where:

Virtual "Hands-on" Workshop | 24th June 2025, 10:00 to 12:00 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

"Learn the fundamentals of Splunk ITSI and AIOps with hands-on labs in our 'Splunk4Rookies' discovery workshop."

July 2025

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[Splunk for Security – Enterprise Security: Discovery Workshop >>](#)

1st

What, When & Where:

Virtual “Hands-on” Workshop | 1st July 2025, 10:00 to 14:00 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

“Become a Splunk security expert: Dive deep into Enterprise Security and learn to detect, investigate, and respond to threats effectively in our hands-on workshop.”

[Splunk 101 Hands On Virtual Discovery Workshop for Beginners >>](#)

8th

What, When & Where:

Virtual “Hands-on” Workshop | 8th July 2025, 10:00 to 13:00 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

“Learn the essentials of Splunk monitoring in a hands-on workshop, perfect for beginners looking to analyse data from cloud, on-prem, and hybrid systems.”

[Troubleshooting Microservices Faster and Easier with Splunk Observability Cloud \(Webinar\) >>](#)

7th

What, When & Where:

Virtual Showcase (Webinar) | 9th July 2025, 14:00 to 14:30 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

“Learn how Splunk Observability Cloud simplifies microservices troubleshooting, enabling you to quickly identify root cause and resolve issues before they impact users in this webinar.”

[Splunk SOAR Hands-On Workshop >>](#)

10th

What, When & Where:

Virtual “Hands-on” Workshop | 10th July 2025, 10:00 to 13:00 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

“Streamline incident response and automate security workflows with Splunk SOAR: A hands-on workshop exploring real-world scenarios and practical applications for cybersecurity professionals.”

[Splunk4Rookies – Observability Cloud: Real-Time Monitoring and Data Analysis Fundamentals >>](#)

5th

What, When & Where:

Virtual “Hands-on” Workshop | 16th July 2025, 10:00 to 13:00 BST on Microsoft Teams

Topic:

“Get hands-on with Splunk Observability Cloud: Learn to monitor, troubleshoot, and optimize system performance in our beginner-friendly workshop.”

Additional Resources

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[Sommerford Defence Service: Splunk | Landing Page >>](#)

Defence

Resource Type: Landing Page

Topic:

"Sommerford has been contracted to provide and manage the Splunk licence and professional services across the MOD. Sommerford will act as a single point of contact for all Splunk requirements, with the aim of simplifying and maximising the MOD investment in Splunk."

[Confluent UK Defence | Landing Page >>](#)

Defence

Resource Type: Landing Page

Topic:

"Sommerford provide expertise, and agile professional services to support Defence and ensure access to all of your Data, de-silo, de-duplicate, and connect all of your data, from all sources, to all desired endpoints, with Governance and Secure Access Control."

[Sommerford Defence Prospectus \(PDF\) >>](#)

Defence

Resource Type: PDF

Topic:

"Solutions and Services Guide for Government - Empowering Digital Transformation and Delivery Innovation (PDF)."



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