





Finding Cyber Stability Amidst Shifting Landscapes

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## Overview

Greater diffusion of technology creates a larger surface for governments to protect and regulate. Threats in this space are becoming more sophisticated and affect a wide array of systems. Not only do states have to grapple with threat actors seeking monetary gains, cyber is increasingly becoming a space for states to advance strategic and political aims. Recent headlines on alleged state-sponsored malicious activities between US and China, raise concerns of malicious cyber activities using common and private platforms that would impact users. Meanwhile, both Malaysia and US are respectively making efforts to improve their nations' cybersecurity in critical infrastructure and cybercrime. Malaysia's National Cyber Security Strategy describes Malaysia's developing efforts in building cybersecurity preparedness, which is inclusive of a cybersecurity law.

- What are the issues and challenges to crafting and unrolling cyber policies?
- How are priorities of governments determined in this space and what are the cyber priorities for US and Malaysia in the coming years?
- How has threat landscapes changed for governments?
- What are the areas of collaborations possible for US and Malaysia?