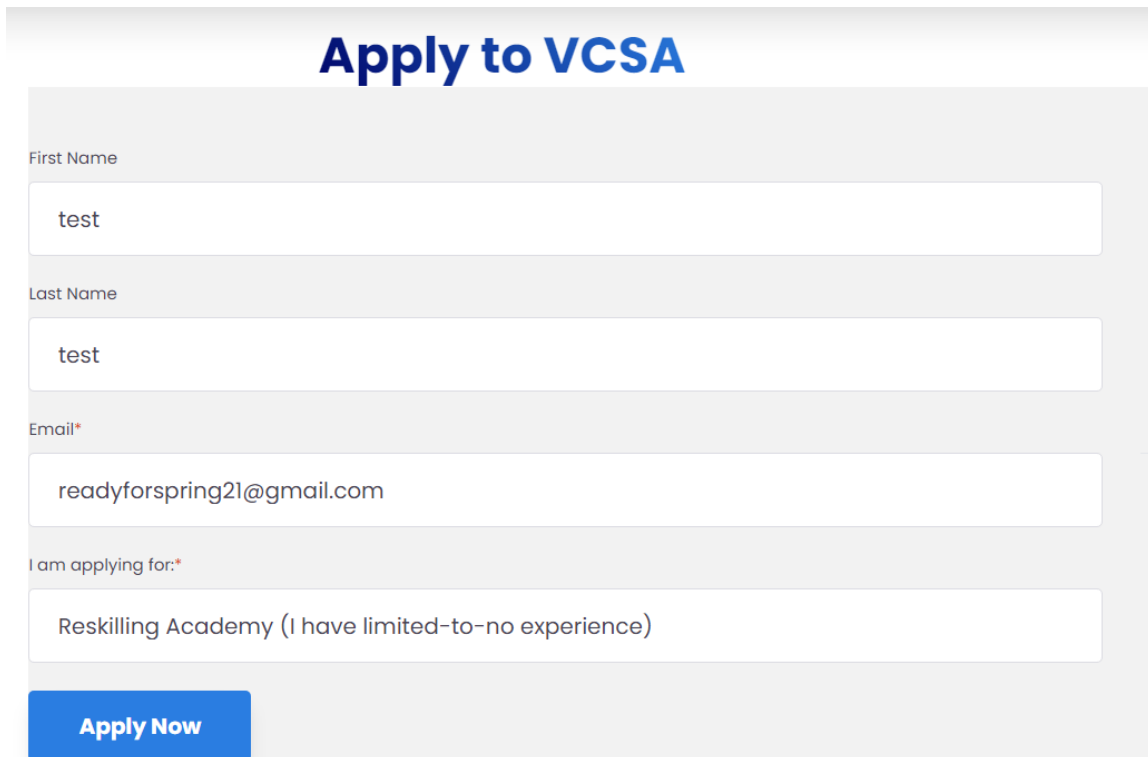


VCSA Application Process

Step 1: Visit this page: <https://vacyberacademy.hubspotpagebuilder.com/apply>

Step 2: Fill out the form and submit “**Apply Now**”.



Apply to VCSA

First Name

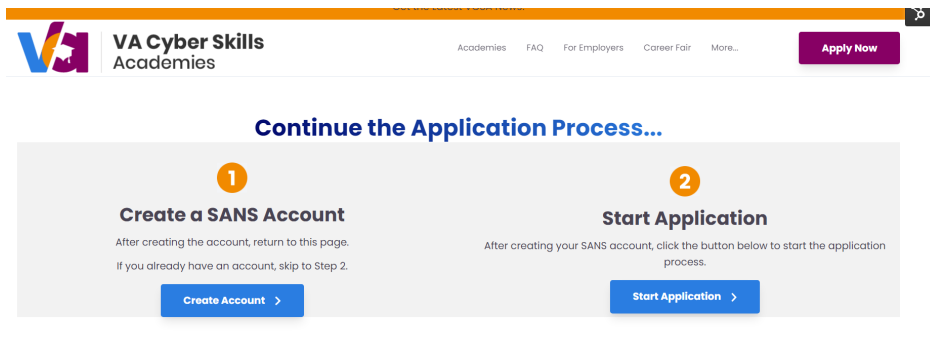
Last Name

Email*

I am applying for:*

Apply Now

Step 3: Once on the confirmation page, click “**Create Account**” to create a SANS account.



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Continue the Application Process...

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Create a SANS Account

After creating the account, return to this page.
If you already have an account, skip to Step 2.

Create Account >

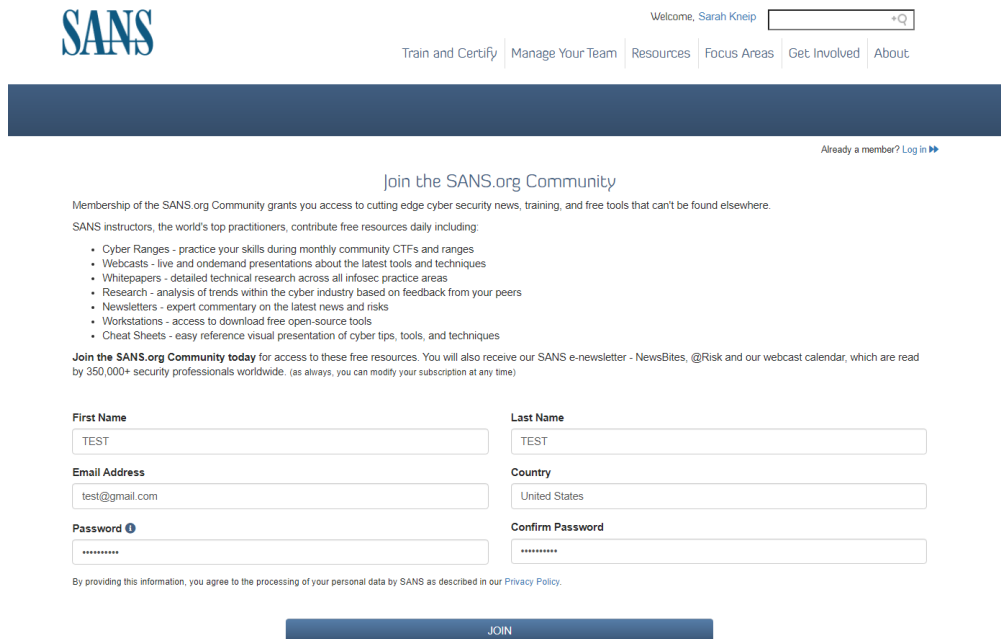
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Start Application

After creating your SANS account, click the button below to start the application process.

Start Application >

Step 4: One you are on the SANS page, fill-out form and select “Join” to submit.



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Last Name
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Email Address
test@gmail.com

Country
United States

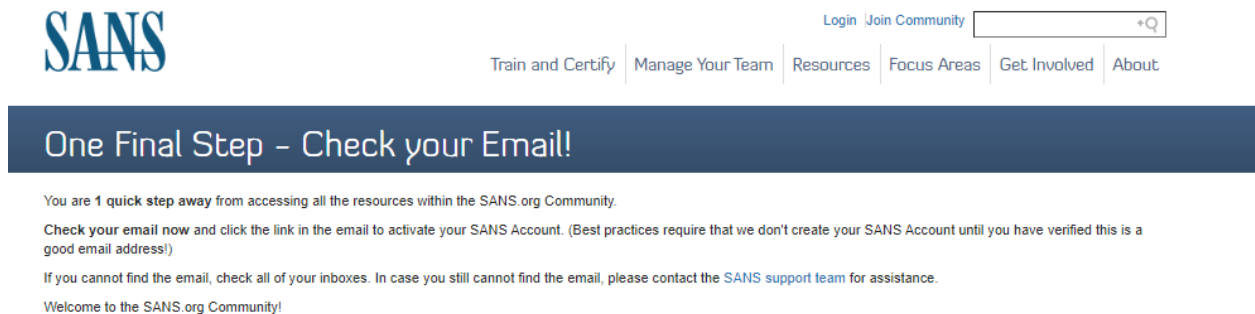
Password

Confirm Password

By providing this information, you agree to the processing of your personal data by SANS as described in our [Privacy Policy](#).

JOIN

Step 5: Upon submission you will need to “Verify Your Email Address”.



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One Final Step - Check your Email!

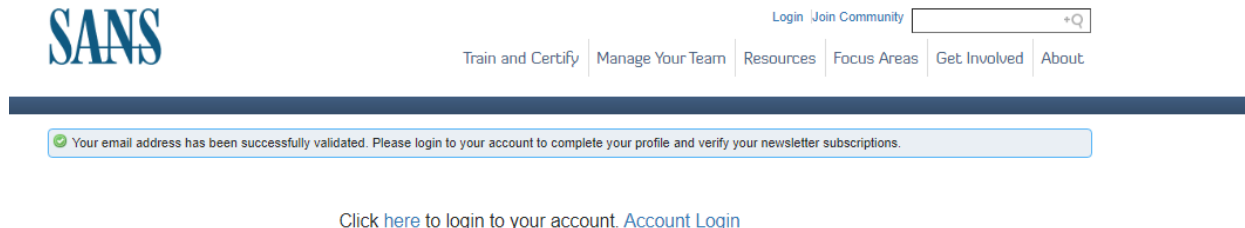
You are 1 quick step away from accessing all the resources within the SANS.org Community.

Check your email now and click the link in the email to activate your SANS Account. (Best practices require that we don't create your SANS Account until you have verified this is a good email address!)

If you cannot find the email, check all of your inboxes. In case you still cannot find the email, please contact the [SANS support team](#) for assistance.

Welcome to the SANS.org Community!

Step 6: “Select link” and “Click” in email to verify your email address. Once you have clicked on the URL, you will be taken to a verification confirmation screen.

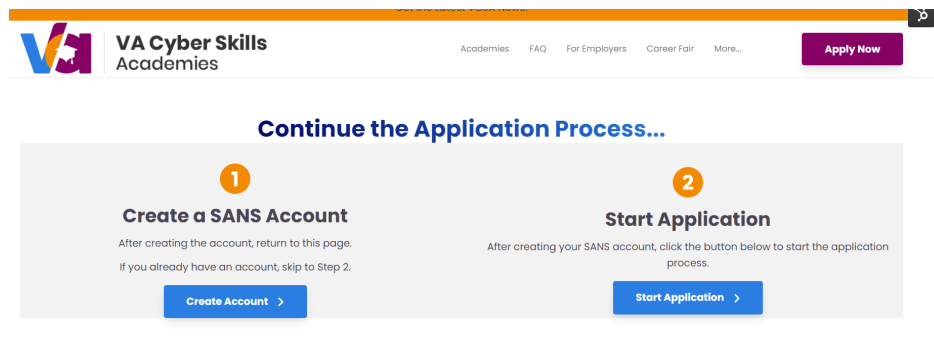


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Your email address has been successfully validated. Please login to your account to complete your profile and verify your newsletter subscriptions.

[Click here](#) to login to your account. [Account Login](#)

Step 7: Go back to VCS Application page and select Step 2 “**Start Application**”:
<https://vacyberacademy.hubspotpagebuilder.com/apply>



Step 8: Sign In to the SANS Portal.



Sign in

Email Address

kneips@katzcy.com

Password

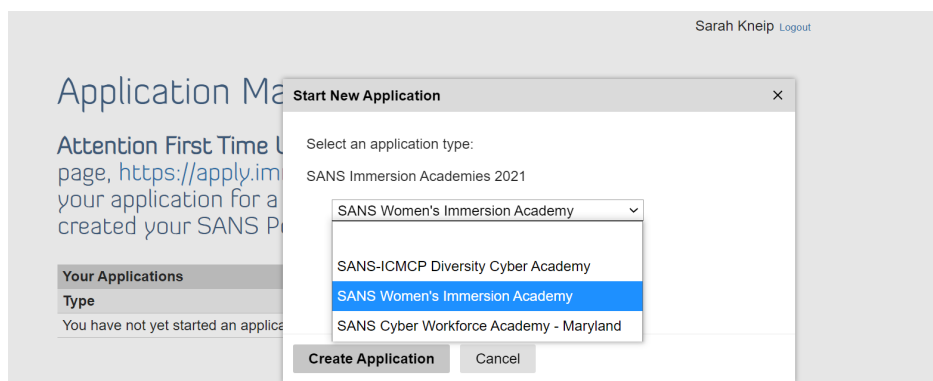
[I forgot my password](#)

Login

New to SANS?

Create a SANS account

Step 9. Select either the “VA Cyber Skills Reskilling Academy” or “VA Cyber Skills “Upskilling Academy” from the drop down. Click “**Create Application**”.



Step 10: Start filling out your application.

Sarah Kneip [Logout](#)

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Verification Questions

Please answer the question(s) below to determine your eligibility for this academy. All applicants (regardless of academy) are required to be U.S. Citizens or Permanent Legal Residents (Green Card Holder) currently residing in the U.S.

* Are you at least 18 years old?

- ☐ No
☒ Yes

* Have you previously earned a SANS GIAC certification?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

* Are you a woman?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

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