

**Erich Spengler Student Cyber Paper Award**  
**by Colloquium for Information Systems Security Education**



On July 17, 2013 Erich Spengler was presented his “namesake” award, the “Erich Spengler Student Cyber Paper”. A member of The Colloquium for Information Systems Security Education (CISSE) presented the award to him at Moraine Valley Community College. President Vic Maconachy states, “Our Colloquium would like to make sure Erich knows how very much he means to this group and how very much his work in cyber security and Cyber hands-on Competitions has meant to all the students he has touched in his years of teaching.”

The student award is in honor of Erich and his involvement with student centered cyber education. He is being honored for his long time advocacy of teaching Cyber Security with hands-on education and his leadership in promoting Information Assurance educational programs. His leadership has been key in developing cyber competitions in information assurance and has been felt in colleges and universities around the nation. As the award states, the Colloquium Board of Directors has “recognized, nominated and elected” Erich for “his continuing contribution.”

This award will be given annually to the students who authored the best paper. The 2013 winners of the Erich Spengler Student Cyber Paper are Hui Liu, Steven Andrew Brookes and Shiva Azadegan.