

# AES Assessment Roles



## Assessment Lead (AL)

- Serves as primary assessment team POC
- Leads the assessment team
- Manages the overall assessment execution
- Debriefs and delivers the assessment report
- Role in CPG, CRR, EDM, HVA, IMR, and VADR assessments



## Technical Lead (TL)

- Responsible for overall assessment execution
- Leads the Technical Exchange Meeting (TEM)
- Writes the majority of the assessment report
- Supports meetings throughout the assessment
- Role in HVA assessments



## Operator (OP)

- Leads the Penetration Test
- Responsible for the testing results appendix of the assessment report; contributes to other portions
- Supports meetings throughout the assessment
- Must pass an additional pre-course exam (OST) for acceptance into the course
- Role in RVA assessments



## Sector-Specific Subject Matter Expert (S-SME)

- Requires a minimum of 5 years' OT experience in security operational technology of a specific sector
- Includes oil and gas, electric, water, chemical, manufacturing industries in an operations environment.
- Role in VADR assessments

