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Speaker Bio
Kate Rhodes comes from Old Dominion University where she serves as the Interim CISO. Kate has worked in IT for over 20 years. She crossed into information security while serving active duty in the Army. After serving a tour to Afghanistan and 6 years of active-duty military service, she crossed into civilian life. During that time Kate has worked as a contractor for both the Navy and NASA before joining her alma mater. Working with NASA helped prepare Kate to step into the role as Assistant Information Security Officer for Risk and Compliance to enable research and business while meeting security, privacy, and regulatory requirements. Kate served as the Assistant Information Security Officer for Risk and Compliance for about 4 years before stepping into the Interim CISO role almost a year ago.