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CypherTalk

CypherTalk is an independent podcast about cybersecurity, digital privacy, AI security and AI safety.

THE LISTENER

What happens to my passwords if the company storing them is compromised? How much access should I give an AI agent at work? Our listeners seek out the people who can answer questions like these from experience.

THE SPONSOR OPPORTUNITY

Sponsorship gives a company room to explain one product decision to people who care about the answer. A browser maker can explain a privacy default. A security team can show how it checks an AI-generated finding before anyone acts on it.

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CypherTalk in numbers

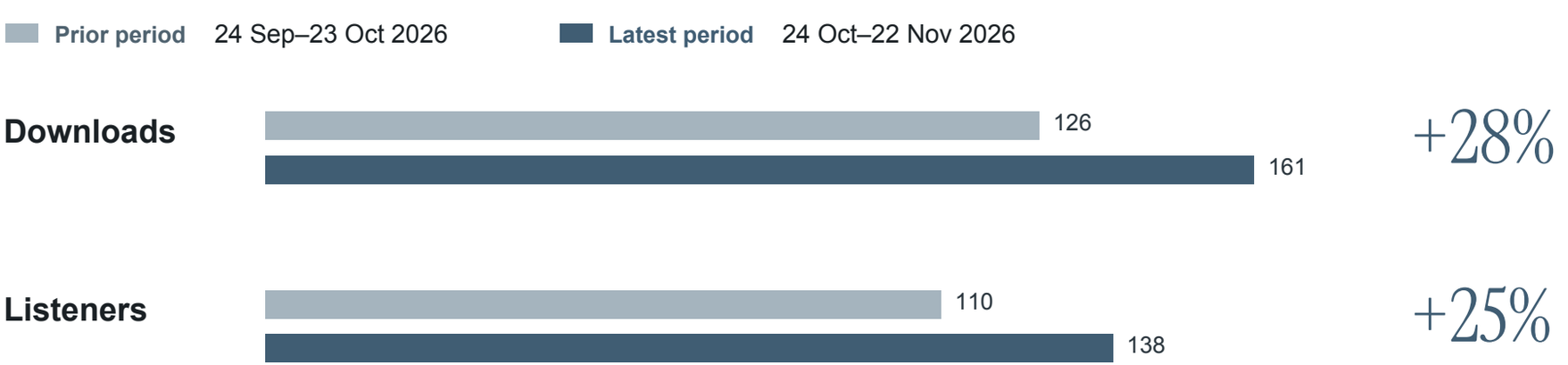
ALL-TIME AUDIO AUDIENCE

1,048
Lifetime audio downloads

920
Lifetime listeners

63
Countries and territories

Growth over the latest 30 days



The United States accounts for 37% of lifetime downloads. Spain, Germany, Singapore and France are the next four largest markets by downloads.

CypherTalk's Podbean audio analytics, checked 23 November 2026. Growth compares consecutive 30-day periods.

Who the show is for

We make the show for practitioners, developers and people choosing tools for themselves. The common thread is a willingness to look past a product claim and ask what happens when something goes wrong.

QUESTIONS LISTENERS BRING

Cybersecurity	**Can I still recover my accounts if my password vault is exposed?** Password managers, identity protection and recovery tools.
Digital privacy	**What can a tracker learn even when I browse in private?** Privacy browsers, encrypted services and anti-tracking tools.
AI security	**Which files and tools should an AI agent be allowed to reach?** Access controls, agent monitoring and security testing.
AI safety	**What should a team test before letting a model take an action for a user?** Model evaluations, human oversight and deployment safeguards.

THE MARKET FOR PRIVACY

38%

of consumers surveyed qualified as “Privacy Actives” in 2024, up from 33% in 2023. They had switched providers over data policies or sharing practices.

Read the consumer survey

43%

of privacy professionals in Cisco’s 2026 study reported higher privacy spending in the past year. In the same study, 90% said AI had expanded their organization’s privacy work.

Read the industry study

Inside six interviews



Matilda Backendal

Assistant professor, Università della Svizzera italiana

Her research on cloud password managers gives listeners a concrete way to question an encryption claim. In our interview, she explains where a password vault can still fail.

Listen to the 47-minute interview



Kyle Den Hartog

Security engineer, Brave

Kyle explains how a browser's defaults shape what websites can learn about you, and why a wallet address can let different sites recognize the same person.

Listen to the 52-minute interview

Prof. Arthur Gervais

Professor of Information Security, University College London

How his team tests whether an AI agent has found a real software vulnerability.

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Jordi Baylina

Founder of ZisK and co-founder of Polygon

How zero-knowledge proofs let someone prove a fact while keeping the underlying data private.

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Dr. Nadim Kobeissi

Founder of Symbolic Software

What a cryptography audit can establish, and where even a formal proof leaves questions open.

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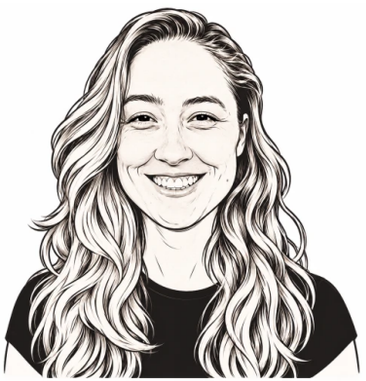
Griff Green

Founder of Giveth and a leader of the 2016 DAO rescue

What happens when a single lost private key can cost someone everything, and how recovery could work instead.

Hear the episode

Behind the microphones



Jade Doherty

HOST AND PRODUCER

Jade has led marketing for privacy technology projects and written about selective disclosure for Dusk. She brings that experience to the interviewer's chair, asking what a technical choice changes for the person using the product.

Jade's writing on privacy



Dr. Stefan Beyer

CO-HOST AND SECURITY RESEARCHER

Stefan co-founded Oak Security and leads its operational security work. He holds a PhD in computer science and has worked on distributed systems and cybersecurity for more than two decades. He asks guests how they know a safeguard works.

Stefan's professional profile



FROM THE SHOW

Balancing Privacy and Security

Watch the CypherTalk soundbite

A partnership that fits the show

One episode

Introduce one product feature in a clearly identified host-read message. Give listeners a useful next step in the show notes, such as a recovery guide, a technical demo or a trial.

A short series

Support several episodes around a shared question, such as how teams give AI agents access safely. A recurring credit can point listeners to one resource as the interviews explore different parts of the problem.

How to judge a pilot

For a pilot, agree on one action worth measuring. A dedicated landing page can count visits to a guide or demo requests tied to that episode. That gives both sides a concrete basis for deciding whether to sponsor another episode.

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Email Stefan or Jade about the product you'd like to introduce and the question your customers keep asking.

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