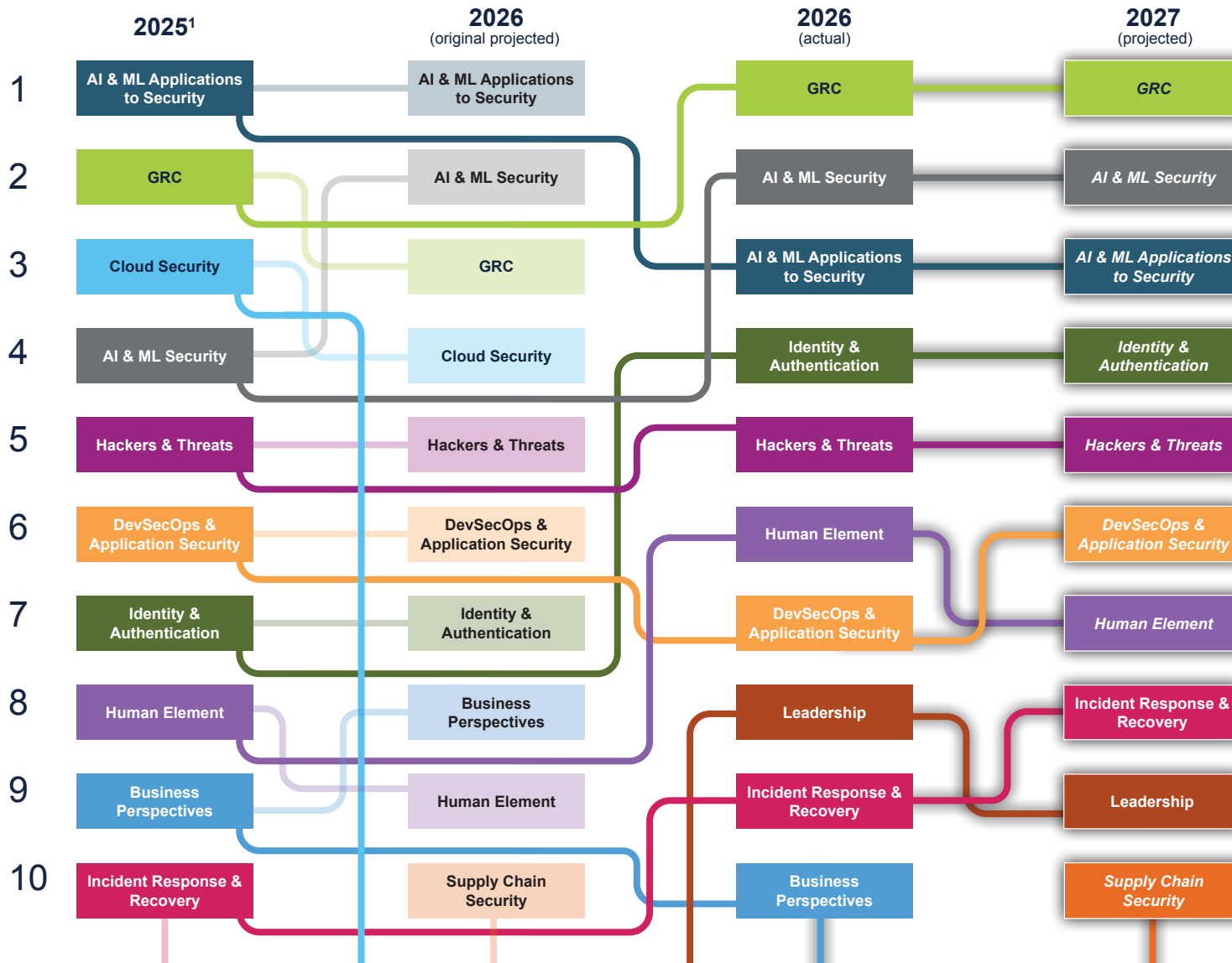


RSAC Cybersecurity Insights & Futures: The Cybersecurity Community's Top Topics, 2026 Update

2026's Top Three Topics Will Retain Their Crowns in 2027

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For 35 years, RSAC™ Conference has served as a window into cybersecurity's future. We've compared our previous predictions with 2026's actual Top 10 topics, and made our projections for 2027.



Assessing RSAC's 2026 Top 10, and Gazing into Our 2027 Crystal Ball

We've learned our lesson; never bet against GRC, which grew even faster than "AI & ML Security" to claim the #1 spot in 2026.

Given the AI compliance and regulation challenges that CISOs face, RSAC expects GRC and the two AI & ML Topics to remain atop the rankings in 2027.

RSAC is reaffirming a 2026 projection that we think was just one year too early; we predict that supply chain security will make it into the Top 10 in 2027.

¹ Readers of the [original](#) will notice slight differences in the 2025 Top 10 list; those are due to RSAC's updates to the classification process. See endnote 2 in the full [Volume 4](#) report for details.