Cyber Security Experts Question Whether North Korea Acted Alone in Sony Hack

A Steed Symposium panel on cyber security raised questions about other possible players while advising that companies must be prepared for such attacks.

North Korea may not have been the only player involved in the hack on Sony Pictures, a panel of cyber security experts argued on Monday evening.

While North Korea reemerged in the cyber attack that took Sony last year, shouldn't be discounted, the story might be more complex, cyber psychologist Mary Aiken said during a panel about cyber security hosted by Cipora Mehmood, chief of film and television as part of its annual Steed Symposium. A large portion of the panel—which took place at the Rose Bowl in Pasadena as part of the Los Angeles Film Festival and was moderated by the Admissions Director Kim Masters—addressed the cyber attacks waged against last year that attributed to North Korea an ascription to the cautionary tale, "The Interview."