UiO Department of Informatics INF3510 Information Security Reading syllabus 2015 Lectures 1 – 12



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Text book: Shon Harris, CISSP All-in-One Exam Guide, Sixth Edition, 2013

L01: Course Info + Basic IS Concepts

- Harris: Ch.2. Information Security Governance and Risk Management
 - Fundamental Principles of Security (p.22–25)
 - Security Definitions (p.26–27)
 - o Control Types (p.28–31)

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L02: IS Managment, and Human Factors in IS

- Harris: Ch.2. Information Security Governance and Risk Management
 - Security Frameworks (p.34–58)
 - ISO 27000 Series
 - Enterprise Architecture Development
 - Security Controls Development
 - o Security Management (p.69-70)
 - Security Steering Committee (p.126–131)
 - Personnel Security
 - Hiring Practices
 - Termination
 - Security-Awareness Training

L03: Risk Management, and Business Continuity Planning Date:02.02.2015

- Harris: Ch.2. Information Security Governance and Risk Management
 - Risk Assessment and Analysis (p.70–100)
 - Information Classification (p.109–113)
- Harris: Ch.8. Business Continuity and Disaster Recovery Planning
 - Business Continuity and Disaster Recovery (p.885–897)
 - BCP Project Components (p.897–913)
 - o Preventive Measures (p.913–914)
 - Recovery Strategies (p.914--930)
 - Business Process Recovery
 - Facility Recovery
 - Supply and Technology Recovery
 - o Recovery and Restauration (p.945–953)
 - Testing and Revising the Plan (p.953–959)

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L04: Computer Security

- Harris: Ch.4. Security Architecture and Design
 - Computer Security (p.297–299)
 - System Architecture (p.300–303)
 - Computer Architecture
 - The Central Processing Unit (p.304–309)
 - Buffer Overflows (p.332–337)
 - CPU Architecture (p.342–346)
 - Virtual Machines (p.355–357)
 - System Security Architecture (p.357–365)
- Harris: Ch.7. Cryptography
 - o TPM Trusted Platform Module (p.843-844)

L05: Cryptography

- Harris: Ch.7. Cryptography
 - Cryptography Definitions and Concepts (p.765–777)
 - Types of Ciphers (p.777–780)
 - Methods of Encryption (p.781–799)
 - Types of Symmetric Systems (p.800–809)
 - Types of Asymmetric Systems (p.812–829)
 - Message Integrity (p.820–832)

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L06: Key Management and PKI

- Harris: Ch.7. Cryptography
 - Public-Key Infrastructure (p.833–840)
 - Key Management (p.840–843)

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L07: Digital Forensics

- Harris: Ch.9. Legal, Regulations, Investigations and Compliance
 - o Investigations (p.1032–1061)

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L08: User Authentication

- Harris: Ch.3. Access Control
 - o Identification, Authentication, Authorization and Accountability
 - Identification and authentication (p.160–173)
 - Password management (p.174–202)
 - Threats to Access Control (p.268–276)

L09: Identity Management and Access Conotrol

- Harris: Ch.7.Access Control
 - o Identification, Authentication, Authorization and Accountability
 - Authorization (p.203–218)
 - o Access Control Models (p.219–227)
 - Access Control Techniques and Technologies (p.227–232)

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L10: Communications Security

- Harris: Ch.6. Telecommunications and Network Security
 - Open Systems Interconnection Reference Model (p.517–534)
 - o TCP/IP Model (p.534–548)
- Harris: Ch.7. Cryptography
 - Internet Security (p.853–864)

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L11: Network Perimeter Security

- Harris: Ch.6. Telecommunications and Network Security
 - Networking Devices
 - Firewalls (p.628–653)
 - Proxy Servers (p.653–655)
 - Honeypot (p.655–656)
 - Unified Threat Management (p.656–657)
 - Wireless Tecnologies
 - WLAN Components (p.716–723)
 - Wireless Standards (p.723–728)
 - War Driving for WLANs (p.728–729)
- Harris: Ch.3. Access Control
 - o Access Control Monitoring (p.255-268)

L12: Development and Application Security

- Harris: Ch.10. Software Development Security
 - o Software's Importance (p.1081–1082)
 - Where do we place security? (p.1082–1087)
 - System Development Lifecycle (p.1087–1095)
 - Software Development Lifecycle (p.1095–1108)
 - Secure Software Development Best Practice (p.1108–1111)
 - o Web Security (p.1157-1168)
 - o Malicious Software (p.1197–1214)
- Harris: Ch.11. Security Operations
 - The Role of the Operations Department (p.1233–1234)
 - Administrative Management (p.1235–1240)
 - Network and Resource Availability (p.1263–1277)
 - Vulnerability Testing (p.1295–1306)

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L13: Operations Security

- Harris: Ch.11. Security Operations
 - Details to be added