

Welcome to ISSS!

Information & Systems Security Society

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What is ISSS?

We're **the** cybersecurity student org at UTCS!

We teach you how to hack, safely and legally

We host Capture the Flag competitions (more on that later), give talks about security topics, and get you connected to our sponsors in the cybersecurity industry

We believe that EVERYONE belongs in cybersecurity, no matter your major, year, experience level, etc. Security affects everyone, so everyone should feel welcome in the field.

Who are we?

Presidents - Alex Bellon, Ethan Houston

Director of Engineering - Nathan Huckleberry

Engineering - Garrett Gu, Joshua Wong, Daniel Jahren, Bruno Fazzani, Alice Reuter, Matthew Pabst, Soham Roy

Corporate - Pooja Chivukula

Logistics - Lauren Jernigan

Membership

If you're attending this event, you're a member of ISSS!

We don't collect dues, have required meetings, or require any applications. All you have to do is show up!

Our events don't require you to have attended previous ones to understand what's going on, and we try to make everything as beginner-friendly as possible.

If you want to make it more official though, you can fill out our sign up form at **iss.io/join**.

Events

We have 3 main events that happen week-to-week

- Tech Talks
- Beginner Talks
- CTFs

Tech Talks

One of our officers will give an hour(-ish) long talk about a security topic of their choosing!

These talks don't rely on each other, so it's ok if you miss one

Past topics include: Personal Security, The Dark Web, Tor, etc.

These take place every Wednesday from 6-7PM CDT on Zoom

Beginner Talks

One of our officers will give an entry-level, no-assumptions talk about different fields in cybersecurity.

These talks mostly don't rely on each other, except for a handful that had to be split into 2 parts (so the Networking 2 talk relies on understanding the Networking 1 talk, but not on the Cryptography talk)

These take place every other Thursday from 6-7PM CDT on Zoom

CTFs

The main event! CTFs are online competitions where competitors solve security-related puzzles in order to gain points and try to win.

The challenges topics range from cryptography to binary exploitation to web security, and everything in between.

These take place every other Friday from 6-8PM CDT on Discord

Upcoming Events

CTF #1: IntroCTF

Friday Sep 4, 6-8PM CDT, Discord (iss.io/discord)

Talk #1: The Dark Web

Wednesday Sep 9, 6-7PM CDT, Zoom (iss.io/zoom)

Beginner Talk #1: What is a CTF?

Thursday Sep 10, 6-7PM CDT, Zoom (iss.io/zoom)

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Facebook: issss.io/fb

Discord: issss.io/discord

Twitter: issss.io/twitter (@UTISSS)

Other Upcoming Kickoffs!

9/1 7PM - ACM (Assoc. for Computing Machinery)

9/2 6PM - Q++ (LGBTQ+ Org)

9/8 7PM - HACS (Hispanic Assoc. Of Computer Scientists)

9/9 6PM - CS Roadshow (Outreach/Demo Org)

9/11 6PM - UTPC (UT Programming Contest)

Now, time for a challenge!

Open up kickoff.issss.io to try it out!

Officers will stay in Zoom and Discord to help :)