Programming Society:

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The Committee 2018 - 2019



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What do I get for my £3?

- Minimum society fee is £1, £3 opens up options to do something meaningful
- Society events
 - o Food -> Probably pizza (at said events)
 - o Prizes*
- To purchase society hoodies / 'zoodies' More on that later
- To keep coming along to society...
- We are also open to suggestions!

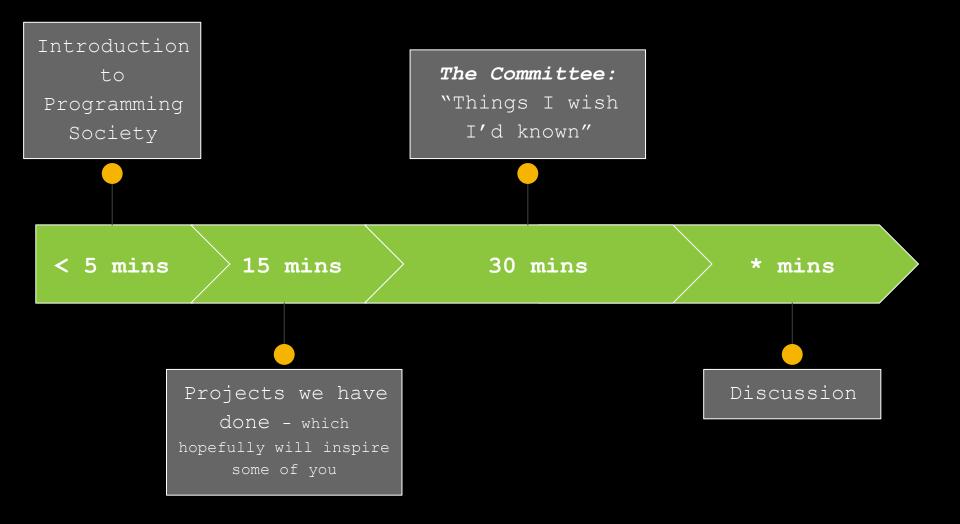
Hoodies / Zipped Hoodies Est Cost

£18.50 blank, ~£21 with custom back text for zipped £16.00 blank, ~£18.50 with custom back text for pullover In talks to reduce prices by a further 20% (~£17/~15)









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Data Structures and Algorithms - 2nd:

Shortest path finding algorithms
Multithreaded CPU password cracker, using a dictionary attack.

Bodiabaduge 'Gayan' Senaka Jayasekera - Treasurer

Deception System - 4th - Hons:

An ongoing project in which fake vulnerabilities are used to stall potential attackers, also involves masking OS signatures using packets specially crafted with the scapy library; linux made to appear as a windows system.

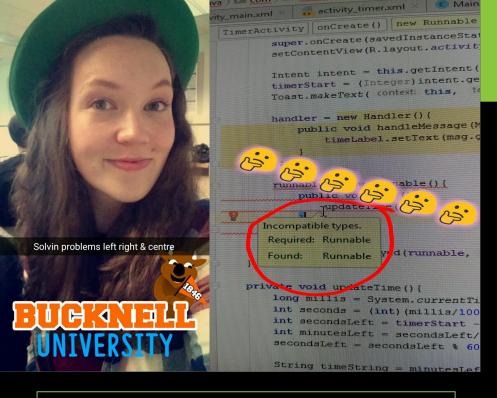
Exploit Development - 3rd:

Scripts to work out the required values to exploit an mps player.

Simple irc botnet.

Android Development - 3rd:

Built a game with a connection back to a server to perform malicious activities.



4th year : ?

Ask me again in ~ 2 months, haha

Jessica Sammon - Secretary

3rd year : kitchen keeper android app

App linked to remote databases for you to keep track of what you've already bought (don't talk to me about android)

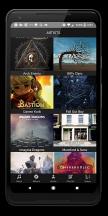
2nd year : data mining with R

Program that does sentiment analysis against tweets from 3 biggest cities per state to get most happy & sad states in the US

2nd year: team programming competitions

Mainly hackerrank style questions

• Code:PSU, Bucknell, Penn College









Highly Efficient Parallel Packet Processing for Fibre Network Intrusion Detection Systems - 4th Year - Hons

Signature based NIDS with as many CUDA optimisations as I can complete; packet pre-filtering, buffered loading, GPUdirect (GPU speaks directly to NIC), persistent kernels, and all that fun stuff! CUDA/C/C++

Private until submission

Andrew Calder - President

USB Skeleton Key - 3rd Year - Group Project

A RPi Zero W based modular USB Penetration Testing tool, written in Python 3.

https://github.com/AR-Calder/usbskeletonkey

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-GGDomc0sIQ

Kanta - 3rd Year - Android Dev

A music player app that utilized a number of Android 8.0 features, written in Java.

https://github.com/AR-Calder/Kanta

https://photos.app.goo.gl/qjV4bKiGrdCduqxcA

PassRecovery - 2nd Year - Data Structures & Algo

A MD5 multithreaded brute force password cracker, written in C++.

https://github.com/AR-Calder/PassRecovery

Sorry for lack of good readme

Week 0:

Things I wish I'd known aps

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Things I wish I'd known: !PROGRAMMING

1 Humility
- Gayan

There is someone better

- Don't compare yourself
- Ask questions (Google first)

Don't be cocky

• Be nice

2 Get involved!
- Jessica

Don't just focus on uni work

- Societies
- Sports teams
- Student representation
- Volunteering/work
- Etc etc! :)

3 | Spend time wisely - Andrew

Knowledge > Performance*

Stack Overflow is often not your friend

Take breaks - This applies to all!

Things I wish I'd known: PROGRAMMING

1 Input Validation
- Andrew

More of an issue with C++
Python method are...
Interesting

2 Exception Handling - Gayan

Try and Catch blocks:

Try block

- 'Attempts' code
- Throws exception

Catch block

- Catches exception
- Error



Input Validation Demo

See Gayans Demo

Exception Handling Demo

```
#include <iostream>
int divide numbers (int a, int b)
    return a/b;
int main()
    int a, b;
    std::cout << "Number one: ":
    std::cin >> a:
    std::cout << "Number two: ":
    std::cin >> b:
    std::cout << divide numbers(a, b);</pre>
```

```
#include <iostream>
int divide numbers(int a. int b)
        if(b==0)
            //throw an exception
            throw 1:
        return a/b:
    catch(int err code)
        std::cout << "ERROR CODE " << err code;</pre>
        return err code;
    int a, b;
    std::cin >> a;
    std::cout << "Number two: ";</pre>
    std::cin >> b;
    std::cout << divide numbers(a, b) << std::endl;</pre>
    return 0;
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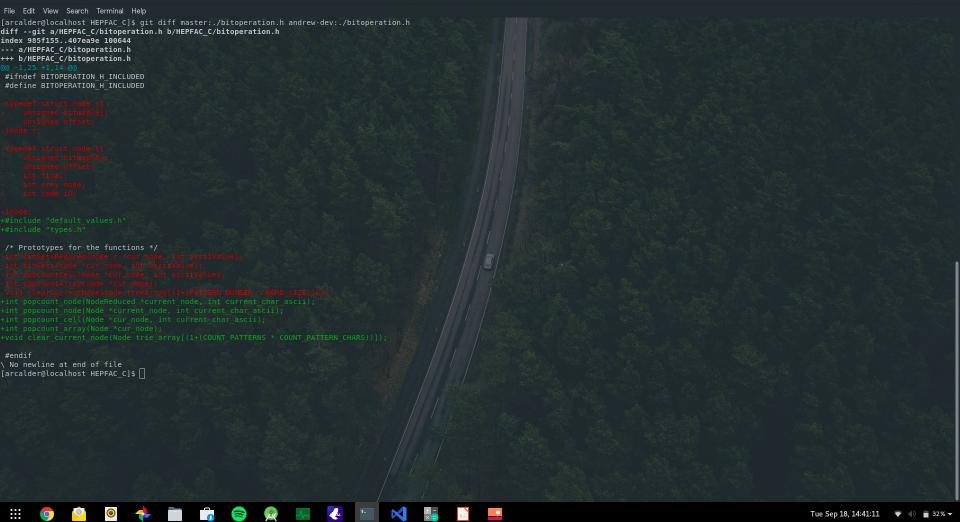
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    std::cin >> b;
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        std::cout << divide numbers(a, b);
       catch(int& err code)
        std::cout << "ERROR CODE " << err code;
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Version Control -

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#include <iostream>
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                                                                                         10 + ReductionPattern * get reduction pattern(){
                                                                                        14 + Wrapper * reduce trie2(Pattern basic patterns[], Node trie[], int last nodes[]){
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                                                                                                int current node index = node count - 1;
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                                                                                                int node count = basic patterns[COUNT PATTERNS -1].last related node id;
       int current trie reduced id = node count - 1;
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                                                                                                // Repurpose last nodes and point to end
       // & copy basic patterns to reduction pattern type.
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       ReductionPattern patterns[COUNT PATTERNS];
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       for (int p = 0; p < COUNT PATTERNS; p++){
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Version Control - Enable Colours!





Version Control

Things I probably should do...

1 Pseudo Code

- Helps break down the problem.
- Helps structure code into smaller parts.
- Helps avoid rewrite of entire program.

2 Comments

- Helps to explain hard code to you and reader.
- When coming back to code means it is easier to work on.

3 Practices

- Practise makes perfect.
- The more you code the faster you get.

Had absolutely no idea what I was on about?

NEXT WEEK:

GIT / Version Control Workshop

Either bring along an existing project, or use our provided sample!

Talks, workshops and meeting suggestions wanted!

Thanks for listening!

See you next week