**ITP 325 - Homework 04a – Doxing**

**Deadline:**

1 minute before the next class.

**Submission:**

1. Answer the questions at the end of this file, and name the document hw04a.docx
2. Download the instructor’s GPG key from the following location:

<https://sites.google.com/a/usc.edu/chiso/files>

GPG encrypt both files with the instructor’s **and** your own GPG key.

1. Place the encrypted document into the repo and push to changes GitHub

**Procedure:**

At the end of this assignment you have some links and references. Please use or any other method to dox the following targets:

* Marshall Professor
* Marshall Staff
* Marshall Administrator

**Question:**

After you have research into it please answer the following questions:

1. What were you able to pick up from the targets?
   1. Phone numbers, names, family members
2. Were you able to find accurate information about yourself? Why or why not do you think the information is accurate?
   1. Yes I was. I think the information is accurate because of public court records and social media.
3. Read the following link:  
     
   <https://pay.reddit.com/r/technology/comments/j1mit/how_to_remove_yourself_from_all_background_check/>

Before you do this, please think about your actions. Try to remove yourself from one of those search engines. Do you run into any problems? Why or why not do you think removing yourself is a good idea.  
a. Yes I couldn’t do it.

1. How important do you think your online image is? What advice would you give someone to protect his or her online image?
2. Your online image is very important because it is public and very accessible. Anyone can see it and so it is important to maintain a clean image. Advice: Do not have an online image, but if you need to, do not engage in social media at all.

**Sites:**

* <http://www.zabasearch.com/>
  + No Success with Whitepages? Try this.
* <http://www.zoominfo.com/>
  + professional career and employment.
* <http://wink.com/>
  + Another people search
* <http://www.freeality.com>
  + name, city, and state.
* <http://www.infospace.com/>
  + companies by name, category, or city.
* <http://www.isearch.com>
  + Phone Books
* <http://www.whitepages.com/find_neighbors>
  + Need to confirm dox?calling neighbors and asking for the target. They tell you how you can reach them.
* <http://www.411.com/>
  + source for free people and business searches in the US and Canada.
* <http://infobel.com>
  + links to almost every phonebook in the world. - Social Networks Facebook,MySpace,YouTube,Blogs, Whois ect.
* <http://www.pipl.com/>
  + Searches quite a few different places
* <http://com.lullar.com/>
  + A profile searcher for Networking sites.
* <http://www.checkusernames.com/>
  + Check to see if a username has been used on over 9000 websites.
* <http://www.ip2location.com/>
* <http://www.paterva.com/web5/>
  + It provides excellent results when e-mail addresses and full names are used.
* <http://www.archive.org/index.php>
  + Find deleted webpages.
* <http://www.emailchange.com/>
  + have somebody's old email, find current ones.
* <http://www.nedsite.nl/search/people.htm#top>
  + Search email by name, phone, fax, college, ancestors, etc.
* <http://www.selfseo.com/find_ip_address_of_a_website.php>
  + Find the ip of a protected site
* <http://regex.info/exif.cgi>
  + EXIF searcher.