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COMP412: Computer Security Course Introduction

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Module Descriptions

- This module explains the theoretical foundations, and current state, of modern cryptographic algorithms and trusted computers used to provide various computer security services.
- Cryptographic encryption algorithms, including DES, RSA, and Diffie-Hellman, are discussed.
- Additional topics are classical ciphers, modern private key block ciphers, public key ciphers, authentication and integrity, key management and modern application systems.



Module Outline (1/2)

- Introduction to Cryptography
 - Services, Mechanisms and Attacks
 - Network Security Models
 - Classical Ciphers
- Modern Block Ciphers
 - SDES, DES, Double DES and Triple DES
- Public Key Cryptography Algorithms
 - Modulo Arithmetic and related theorems
 - Public Key Theorem
 - RSA and its security
 - Diffie-Hellman Key Exchange



Module Outline (2/2)

- Authentication (Ch. 11-13)
 - Hash Functions
 - Message Authentication Code
 - Digital Signature
- Key Management (Ch. 14)
 - X.509 Certificate
 - Secure Socket Layer
- Network Security Applications (Ch. 18- 20)
 - Pretty Good Privacy
 - Wireless Security
 - IP Security



Grading System (1/2)

- **Popup Quiz 5 %**
 - (Almost) every session will have a quiz.
 - Based on the previous session.

- **Take-home assignments 20 %**
 - 2 Literature (research) review.

- **Test (Mid-term exam) 25 %**

- **Exams (Final)..... 50 %**



Grading System (2/2)

- **Popup Quiz**
 - Couple of questions that students have learnt on the last session.
- **Take-home assignments**
 - 2 Research papers – Literature review (freely selected)
 - 10 % per each assignment
 - The forms will be provided.
- **2 Exams**
 - Mid term exam (test) – 25 %
 - Final exam – 50 %
 - Following the MPU regulations.



Student Conduct

● Facebook Pages:

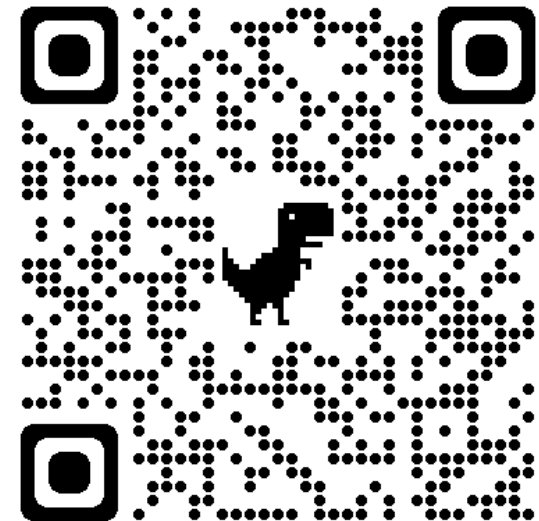
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Student Conduct (2/2)

- Canvas:

- Sec-1 (411): <https://canvas.mpu.edu.mo/courses/1449>

- Sec-2 (412): <https://canvas.mpu.edu.mo/courses/1320>

Section-1 (411)



Section-2 (412)



