

SCHOOL OF COMPUTING & INFORMATICS

Course Title : **OPERATING SYSTEMS**

Course Code : CCC 2123

LAB EXERCISE (WEEK 9)

Instructions:

Using the Command Line Interface (CLI) for Linux that we have learned and used so far, please execute the following tasks:

Task 1: System Information:

• Display the system's hostname.

(kali⊛kali)-[~] \$ hostname kali

Retrieve and present information about the kernel version.

(kali⊛kali)-[~] \$ hostnamectl Static hostname: kali

Icon name: computer-vm

Chassis: vm

Machine ID: a99fbd769ee94071b869ae5e6aba8f05 Boot ID: 41c845acf19f472eae6719a7b2d07736

Virtualization: vmware

Operating System: Kali GNU/Linux Rolling

Kernel: Linux 6.6.9-686-pae

Architecture: x86

Hardware Vendor: VMware, Inc.

Hardware Model: VMware Virtual Platform

Firmware Version: 6.00

Firmware Date: Thu 2020-11-12 Firmware Age: 3y 6month 1w 3d

Task 2: Process Management:

• List all currently running processes.

```
-(kali⊛kali)-[~]
 -$ ps -е
PID TTY
             TIME CMD
 1?
        00:00:02 systemd
 2?
        00:00:00 kthreadd
        00:00:00 pool_workqueue release
 3?
 4?
        00:00:00 kworker/R-rcu g
 5?
        00:00:00 kworker/R-rcu p
 6?
        00:00:00 kworker/R-slub
 7?
        00:00:00 kworker/R-netns
        00:00:00 kworker/0:0-cgroup destroy
 8?
 9?
        00:00:00 kworker/0:0H-events highpri
11?
        00:00:00 kworker/u8:0-floppy
        00:00:00 kworker/R-mm pe
12?
13?
         00:00:00 rcu tasks kthread
```

- Find and display information about the process associated with the terminal.
- Terminate a specific process using the appropriate command.

```
(kali@kali)-[~]
$ kill 913
kill: kill 913 failed: operation not permitted

(kali@kali)-[~]
$ kill 1638
```

Check whether the process has been terminated.

```
1580 ?
          00:00:00 gvfs-goa-volume
1586?
           00:00:00 gvfs-afc-volume
1598?
           00:00:00 gvfs-mtp-volume
           00:00:00 gvfs-gphoto2-vo
1603?
1626?
           00:00:00 avfsd-trash
1639?
           00:00:00 obexd
1714?
           00:00:13 gterminal
1733 pts/0 00:00:04 zsh
6631?
           00:00:00 kworker/3:0
```

Task 3: System Resource Usage:

Utilise a command to show the current system load.

```
(kali%kali)-[~]

$\text{uptime}$
21:06:25 up 25 min, 1 user, load average: 0.22, 0.15, 0.11}
```

Identify the top processes consuming CPU and memory resources.

