

## Section 3 Introduction

Welcome to section 3 of the course! This section is titled *'Basic Digital Protection'*, and it's the first part of our Digital Protection series, the following section will be part 2: *'Advanced Digital Protection.'*

These next 2 sections are aimed at teaching you how to improve the way you use your devices, so that there is both an improvement in *security, and privacy*. At this point, you should have completed section 2 to get yourself a pretty clean slate and a manageable digital footprint. We have done all of this to protect your Pi^2, or PII, aka *Personally Identifiable Information*. The techniques we will discuss in section 3 will make sure that your digital life stays that way, and it doesn't once again become cluttered with your data roaming everywhere without you having control. We are going to accomplish this by discussing *how to stay updated, setup proper password management, two-factor authentication, browser setup, browser hardening and habits, browser uniqueness, VPNs, Proxies, malware protection, secure file deletion, secure storage and encryption, and safe communication methods*. Yes, this is a huge section packed with information so I'd encourage you to take notes to help you follow along. Premium viewers have access to the checklist, which will make things easier to manage on your end.

Since every lesson you watch will give you more and more control of your data, my hope is you'll begin to feel ownership of it for the first time in your life. That is all I have to say, thank you for watching the course, and I'll see you in the next lesson: *'Stay Updated.'*