BAIS3110 Security Research Paper

Due: Thursday, April 24th, 2014
Weighting: 10%

Research a security topic and write a paper presenting the topic.

The topic will be security based.

The topic will be unique for the class, please reserve it with your Instructor on a first come first serve basis. The estimated effort should be about 6 hours. Thursday's class will be reserved for working on the paper, with other blocks being reserved as appropriate later in the term. Please choose your topic and reserve it with your instructor before leaving class on Tuesday, March 4th, 2014.

There are no formal requirements as to the length of the paper but the topic should be covered thoroughly.

If the topic involves software a demonstration program or code fragment will be required.

The main focus of the paper is how the topic will improve security in future systems that you develop.

There is room for creativity.

This is not a Google, cut and paste exercise. You are reminded that your instructor can Google the subject and the text in your paper just as well as you can.

Cite references and format your document according to the MLA (Modern Language Association) style.

Your paper will be graded on the following three criteria:
- Complexity/Technical level
- Quality of explanation
- Uniqueness