Ceng 471 - Cryptography

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Tentative Agenda

Week	CENG471 Cryptography (Tuesday, 13:30-16:15)
1 (01/10)	Course Introduction -
	Introduction to Cryptography: Basic Concepts of Cryptography and an overview
2 (08/10)	Classical Cryptosystems: Shift Ciphers, Affine Ciphers, The Vigenere Ciphers
3 (15/10)	Symmetrical Cryptosystems: DES
4 (22/10)	Symmetrical Cryptosystems: AES
5 (05/11)	Midterm 1
6 (12/11)	Number-Theoretic Reference Problems
7 (19/11)	Asymmetrical Cryptosystems
	Public Key Parameters and RSA, Discrete Logarithms – ElGamal, DHKE etc.
8 (26/11)	Hash Functions and Data Integrity, Digital Signatures
9 (03/12)	Elliptic Curve Cryptography
10 (10/12)	Key Distribution and Management, PKI, X.509
11 (17/12)	Midterm 2
12 (24/12)	Modern Cryptosystems
	Homomorphic Cryptosystems Part 1
13 (31/12)	Untrusted environments and secure operations
14 (07/01)	BlockChain and BitCoin
15 (?)	Final Exam

Books:

- 1) Introduction to Modern Cryptography, Mihir Bellare, Phillip Rogaway, 2005.
- 2) Handbook of Applied Cryptography, A.Menezes, P.van orschot, S.Vanstone, 1996.
- 3) An Introduction to Mathematical Cryptography, Jeffrey Hoffstein, Jill Pipher, Joseph H. Silverman, 2008.
- 4) (from ebrary) Basics of Contemporary Cryptography for IT Practitioners, Ryabko, B. Fionov, Andrey, 2005.
- 5) (from ebrary) Innovative Cryptography 2nd Ed., M. Alex, M. Nick, 2007
- 6) (from ebrary) User's Guide to Cryptography and Standards, D. Alex, M.Chris, 2004.

Grades

Assignments: 25%

Midterms: 50%

Final: 25%