Data and Network Security

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Course Information

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Other Information

• Labs and Quiz's will be available on learn

Textbooks

- Cryptography and network security: principles and practice, William Stallings, 5th edition

- Computer security: principles and practice, William Stallings and Lawrie Brown, 3rd edition

2.1 Term 1 Plan

Week	Course			
starting date	week	Monday lecture	Thursday lecture	Lab
19/07/2021	1	L1: Course introduction	L2: Course overview	no lab
26/07/2021	2	L3: Discrete mathematics	L4: CrypTool (at home)	Lab 1: Introduction
02/08/2021	3	L5: Classical encryption part 1	L6: Classical encryption part 2	Lab 2: Discrete maths exercises
09/08/2021	4	L7: Block ciphers	L8: Block cipher modes	Lab 3: CrypTool part 1
16/08/2021	5	L9: Stream ciphers	L10: Number theory	Lab 4: CrypTool part 2
23/08/2021	6	L11: Hash functions and MACs	no lecture	Lab 5: Number theory exercises

2.2 Term 2 Plan

Week	Course			
starting date	week	Monday lecture	Thursday lecture	Lab
13/09/2021	7	L12: Public key crypto part 1	L13: Public key crypto part 2	Lab 6: Hash functions
				and MACs exercises
20/09/2021	8	L14: Digital signatures	L15: PKI and certificates	Lab 7: CrypTool part 3
27/09/2021	9	L16: Key establishment	L17: TLS part 1	Lab 8: PKI and certificates
04/10/2021	10	L18: TLS part 2	L19: IPSec and VPN	Lab 9: Digital signatures and
				key establishment exercises
11/10/2021	11	L20: Email security	L21: Malware and attacks	Lab 10: TLS
18/10/2021	12	L22: Recap lecture	no lecture	Lab 11: IPSec and email
				security exercises

Figure 1: Timetable

Assessment

1. Labs (10%):

- Labs are done individually but you are encouraged to discuss and share with your peers (you are allowed to see each other during labs).
- Attending one lab each week over the semester automatically gives you full mark: The tutor will assess your attendance.
- If you cannot attend one lab session, then a report (along with a justification of student absence) will be required and assessed:
 - The report needs to be submitted by one week after the missed session.
 - Example: if you miss Tuesday lab on Week X then you are asked to submit a report by Tuesday of Week X+1.
 - The report needs to be sent to *both* the lecturer and the tutor.

2. Weekly quizzes (20%):

- They can be found and done on LEARN.
- 9 quizzes in total.
- Each quiz contains 10 questions. Each question contains 4 choices such that only one choice is correct.
- 2 attempts per quiz, such that the highest grade is taken into account.
- A quiz is given on Friday of Week X, and should be done before Friday of Week X+1 (except for the one released just before the break):

3. Assignment (20%):

- Deadline: 17 September 2021.
- Small exercises on what has been covered so far.
- The assignment will be released on LEARN on 20 August 2021.
- Your report should be uploaded to LEARN.
- 4. Final exam (50%)
- 3-hours duration
- 25 multiple-choice questions
- 5 open questions, such that if additional information is needed to solve the problem then it will be provided.
- Covers all content from all lectures study definitions, mechanisms, processes
 - Not expected to remember the code of each standard (e.g. RFC1234)