

Lezione 1

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Foundations of Cybersecurity

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Prerequisites



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- Computer architectures
- Operating systems
- Computer networks
- Algorithms and data structures
- Complexity and probability theory
- Modular arithmetic

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Contents



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- Applied cryptography
 - Learn how crypto-primitives work
 - Learn what “secure” means
 - Learn how to use them correctly and reason on security
 - Relationship between cryptography and data security
- Programming secure applications
 - Buffer overflow and secure coding in C/C++
 - Web security
- Handson and challenges
- Case studies
 - How to build insecure systems with secure components

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Organization



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- Foundations of Cybersecurity is a course of the Master in Computer Engineering (CE)
 - 9 CFU, 90 hours
- FoC is shared with the Master in Artificial Intelligence and Data Engineering (AIDE)
- FoC is partially mutated by Applied Cryptography of the Master in Cybersecurity (CySec)
 - 9 CFU, 72 hours ($\Delta = -18$)

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- Survey on attendance segmentation

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Time table	Class	Topics	Total #hours
Mon 13:30 – 16:30	ALL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applied crypto • Open SSL programming 	72
Wed 10:30 – 13:30	ALL		
Thu 10:30 – 12:30	CE/AIDE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • C/C++ secure programming • Web security • Challenges 	18

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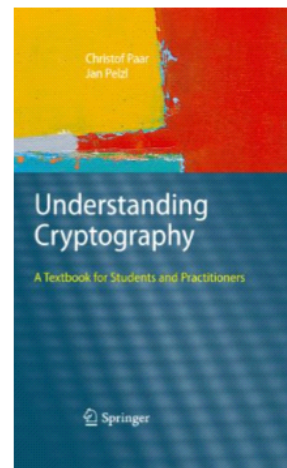
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Textbooks

– C.Paar, J.Pelzl.
Understanding
Cryptography –
Testbook for
Students and
Pratictioners.
Springer



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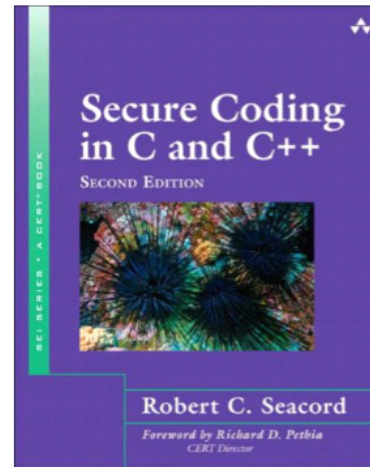
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Textbooks

- Robert C. Seacord.
Secure Coding in C
and C++ - second
edition. Addison-
Wesley



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Textbooks



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- Handouts
- Reader
 - Papers
 - Standards
 - ...
- Microsoft Team 880II 20/21 – Foundations of Cybersecurity
 - Generale/File

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Final Exam



- Project
 - 1-2 people per group
 - *Conditio sine qua non*
- Written-part
 - Closed-book, closed-notes
- Oral-part

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Communications



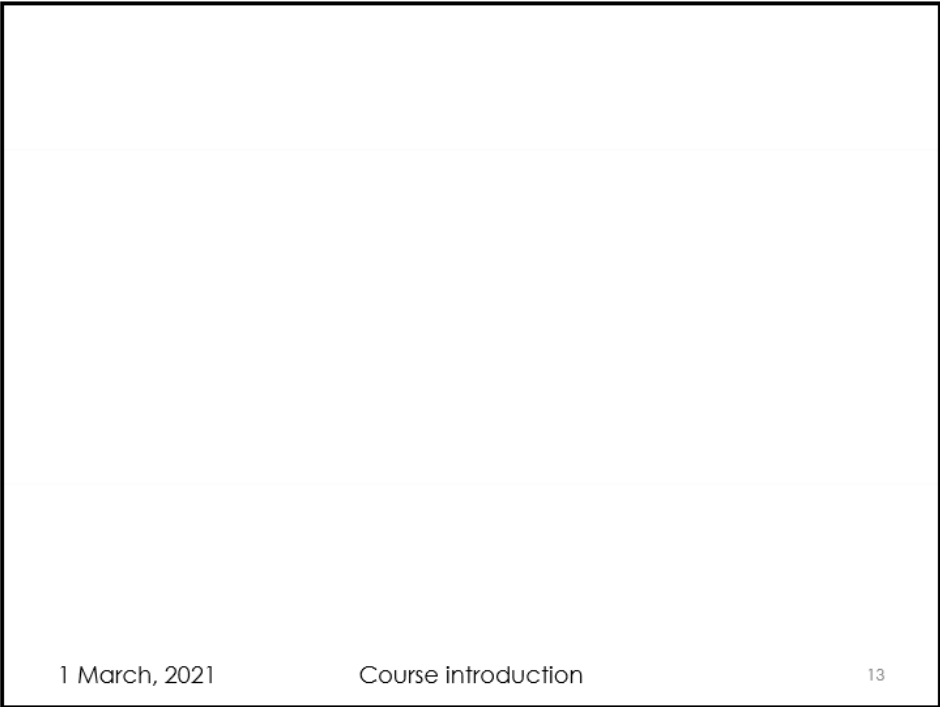
- Microsoft Team 880II 20/21 – Foundations of Cybersecurity
 - Generale/Post
- Microsoft Teams chat
- Email (filter safe)
 - Subject: [FoC] <the subject>

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