

## Readme for Phase III

1. Read the readme file for (phase I ) to know how the chat app works and how it can be tested using two virtual machines.
2. Read the readme file for (phase II ) to know how the AES\_256\_CBC works and how exchanging of messages happen.
3. Bob is the server and Alice is the client
4. Alice\_id is her IP address that replaces the name “Alice” in the protocol.
5. Bob\_id is his IP address that replaces the name “Bob” in the protocol.
6. When Alice clicks connect to Bob the following will happen:
  - a. Alice will do the following:
    - i. Send initialization vector (IV) for AES cryptosystem (from ph II )
    - ii. Chooses her secret key randomly as specified (a)
    - iii. Computes her key ( $g^a \bmod m$ )
    - iv. Computes her response as specified (RA)
    - v. Sends her key and RA to Bob
  - b. Then Bob will do the following:
    - i. Chooses his secret key randomly as specified (b)
    - ii. Computes his key ( $g^b \bmod m$ )
    - iii. Computes the shared key using Alice’s key to be ( $g^{ab} \bmod m$ )
    - iv. Destroys b by equating it to zero
    - v. Computes H that is the hash of (Alice\_id, Bob\_id, RA, RB, Alice’s key, Bob’s key, the shared key)
    - vi. Computes SB that is the signing of the Bob\_id and H
    - vii. Sends his key, RB and SB to Alice
  - c. Then Alice will do the following:
    - i. Verifies SB using Bob’s public key ( $e_{\text{Bob}}$ ,  $N_{\text{Bob}}$ ) from the RSA
    - ii. Extract H that computed by Bob( $H_{\text{Bob}}$ ) from SB
    - iii. Computes the shared key using Bob’s key to be ( $g^{ab} \bmod m$ )
    - iv. Destroys a by equating it to zero
    - v. Computes SA that is the signing of the Alice\_id and H
    - vi. Computes H that is the hash of (Alice\_id, Bob\_id, RA, RB, Alice’s key, Bob’s key, the shared key)
    - vii. Now she compares H against  $H_{\text{Bob}}$ , if they equal she will proceeds to step 3 otherwise she will not authenticate Bob and she will terminate the session.
    - viii. If the comparison matches she will send  $E(\text{Alice\_id}, \text{SA}, k)$  encrypted by AES\_256\_CBC with k as the key.

- d. Then Bob will do the following:
- i. Decrypts  $E(\text{Alice\_id}, SA, k)$  and verifies SA using Alice's public key ( $e\_Alice, N\_Alice$ )
  - ii. Extract  $H\_Alice$  from SA
  - iii. Now he compares H against  $H\_Alice$ , if they equal he will proceed to step 4 otherwise he will not authenticate Alice and he will terminate the session.
  - iv. If the comparison matches then the chat program will start and they can exchange messages with AES\_256\_CBC cryptosystem.