Course Readings

Monday July 4

Lecture 1: Course Overview

Center for the Study of Language and Information (US). Center for the Study of Language and Information and Winograd, T., 1992. *Computers, ethics, and social responsibility*.

Lecture 2: What is information security?

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Bishop, M., 2005. Introduction to computer security. Chapter 1

Tuesday July 5

Lecture 1: Software reliability and computer-related risks

Brooks, F.P., 1975. No silver bullet. Software state-of-the-art, pp.14-29. Available from: http://worrydream.com/refs/Brooks-NoSilverBullet.pdf

Optional: Nancy Leveson. An Investigation of the Therac-25 Accidents. Available from: http://sunnyday.mit.edu/papers/therac.pdf

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Lecture 2: Philosophical Ethics

Immanuel Kant. 1785. Grounding for the Metaphysics of Morals (excerpts). TRANSITION FROM THE COMMON RATIONAL KNOWLEDGE OF MORALITY TO THE PHILOSOPHICAL.

John Stuart Mill. 1863. Utilitarianism (excerpts). Chapters 1 and 2.

Wednesday, July 6

Lecture 1: Computing Ethics

Moor, J.H., 1985. What is computer ethics?. Metaphilosophy, 16(4), pp.266-275. Available from:

https://www.researchgate.net/profile/James_Moor/publication/227591551_What_is_computer_ethics/links/54b1c2ff0cf28ebe92e19025.pdf

Lecture 2: Intellectual Property

Davis, R., Samuelson, P., Kapor, M. and Reichman, J., 1996. A new view of intellectual property and software. *Communications of the ACM*, *39*(3), pp.21-30. Available from: http://people.csail.mit.edu/davis/cacm96.pdf

What Are Patents, Trademarks, Servicemarks, and Copyrights? Available from: http://www.uspto.gov/patents/resources/general info concerning patents.pdf

Copyright basics. Available from: http://www.copyright.gov/circs/circ01.pdf

Thursday, July 7

Lecture 1: Computing and Economics

Hardin, G., 2009. The Tragedy of the Commons*. Journal of Natural Resources Policy Research, 1(3), pp.243-253. Available from: http://are.berkeley.edu/~cmantinori/prclass/Hardin.pdf

William, A., Mayadas, F. and Vardi, M.Y., 2006. Globalization and offshoring of software: A report of the ACM job migration task force. Retrieved December, 12, p.2006. Executive Summary only. Available from: http://oldwww.acm.org/globalizationreport/

Lecture 2: Hacking

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http://vxheaven.org/lib/pdf/Stalking%20the%20Wilv%20Hacker.pdf

Optional: Thompson, K., 1984. Reflections on trusting trust. Communications of the ACM, 27(8), pp.761-763. Available from:

https://www.cs.colorado.edu/~jrblack/class/csci6268/s14/p761-thompson.pdf

Monday July 11

Lecture 1: Policy: Data Breach

Dark, M., 2010. Data Breach Disclosure: A Policy Analysis. Information Assurance and Security Ethics in Complex Systems: Interdisciplinary Perspectives: Interdisciplinary Perspectives. Available from:

http://citeseerx.ist.psu.edu/viewdoc/download?doi=10.1.1.176.7577&rep=rep1&type=pdf

Lecture 2: Monopoly Power

U.S. V. MICROSOFT: COURT'S FINDINGS OF FACT. Available from: https://www.justice.gov/sites/default/files/atr/legacy/2006/04/11/msjudge.pdf

Microsoft. Competition in the Software Industry. Available from: https://cs.stanford.edu/people/eroberts/cs181/projects/microsoft-vs-doj/microcase/msmirror.html

John Cassidy. The Force of an Idea. New Yorker 12 Jan 1998. Available from: https://www.dhushara.com/book/multinet/gates/gates.htm

Tuesday, July 12

Lecture 2: Internet History and Culture

John Perry Barlow. A Declaration of the Independence of Cyberspace. Available from: https://www.eff.org/cyberspace-independence

Paulina Borsook. Cyberselfish. Mother Jones. July/August 1996. Available from: http://www.motherjones.com/politics/1996/07/cyberselfish

Winner, L., 1997. Cyberlibertarian myths and the prospects for community. ACM Sigcas Computers and Society, 27(3), pp.14-19.

Wednesday, July 13

Lecture 1: Free Speech and the Internet

Handout on the Nuremberg Files

Lecture 2: Privacy

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http://groups.csail.mit.edu/mac/classes/6.805/articles/privacy/Privacy brand warr2.html

Thursday July 14

Lecture 1: Digital Divides

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Lecture 2: Hactivism

Orin Kerr. The Criminal Charges Against Aaron Swartz (Part 1: The Law). January 14, 2013 2:50 am in Computer Crime Law, Computer Fraud and Abuse Act. Available from: http://www.volokh.com/2013/01/14/aaron-swartz-charges/

Orin Kerr. The Criminal Charges Against Aaron Swartz (Part 2: Prosecutorial Discretion) January 16, 2013 11:34 pm in Computer Crime Law, Computer Fraud and Abuse Act. Available from: http://www.volokh.com/2013/01/16/the-criminal-charges-against-aaron-swartz-part-2-prosecutorial-discretion/

James Boyle. The Prosecution of Aaron Swartz: A Reply to Orin Kerr . Available from: http://www.huffingtonpost.com/james-boyle/prosecution-aaron-swartz_b_2508242.html

Optional: REQUIEM FOR A DREAM. Available from: http://www.newyorker.com/reporting/2013/03/11/130311fa_fact_macfarquhar?currentPa ge=all