## Syllabus CSI4480/5480-Information Security Practice (4 Credits) Winter 2018

Meeting Day and Time: Tuesdays and Thursdays 1:00PM – 2:47 PM Lecture Classroom and Computer Lab: EC554

Course	This <i>course</i> surveys the concepts and methods of security policies, models and								
Description	mechanisms for secrecy, integrity, availability, and authentication. Topics covered								
-	include security policies: access control: introduction to cryptography: footprinting.								
	scanning and enumeration: common system vulnerabilities and countermeasures: and								
	System remediation and hardening.								
Prerequisites	CSI 2470 and major standing in CS/II								
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Textbooks	1. Michael E. Whitman   Herbert J. Mattord   Andrew Green, Hands-on								
	Information Security Lab Manual, 4th Edition, 2014. Publisher: Course								
	Technology, Cengage Learning. (e-copy is acceptable)								
	Fourth Edition								
	LAB MANUAL								
	Michael Whitman Herbert Mattord and Andrew Rean								
	2. Michael T. Simpson, Nicholas Antill Hands on Ethical Hacking and Network								
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	HANDS-ON ETHICAL HACKING AND NETWORK DEFENSE
	3. Randy J Boyle, Raymond R. Panko Corporate Computer Security (4th Edition) , Pearson, 2015 (3 <sup>rd</sup> edition is also acceptable and one may find it online)
	CORPORATE OURTILEDITION Randall J. Boyle   Raymond R. Panko
Reference Books	Patrick Engebretson, <i>The Basics of Hacking and Penetration Testing, Second Edition</i> ; Publisher: Syngress, 2013
	David Kim and Michael G. Solomon, <i>Fundamentals of Information Systems Security</i> , 2014. Publisher: Jones & Bartlett learning.
	Michael Gregg, <i>Cert Guide of Certified Ethical Hacker (CEH)</i> . Publisher: Pearson IT certification.
	John R. Vacca, <i>Computer and Information Security Handbook</i> , Morgan Kaufmann, 2013.
	William Stallings, Lawrie Brown, Computer Security, Principles and Practice, 3rd Edition, Pearson.

Course							
Objectives	1. Define the key concepts in information security, e.g., confidentiality,						
	integrity, authentication and availability						
	2. Explain cryptographic concepts, e.g., encryption, decryption, and key;						
	5. Gain nands-on experience on information security;						
	4. Conduct footprinting, scanning, and enumeration; 5. Identify and validate common system vulnerabilities:						
	6 Practice system remediation and hardening:						
	7 Interpret intrusion detection:						
	8 Describe access control and firewalls:						
	9. Construct security policies						
Course	A session specific website is located at <b>https://moodle.oakland.edu/moodle</b> . Use your						
Website	OU email account name and password to login to the system. This website will include						
	notes, schedules, labs, assignments, etc. for this class. Assignments and practice labs						
	should be submitted using the Moodle. Please check this site often for updates.						
	Also use the forums of moodle page for sharing interesting reading material, new						
	security breaches and new developments in area of cybersecurity.						
Evaluation	Your final grade will be evaluated based on the following components and weights						
	<ul> <li><u>Labs and Homework:</u> 50%, 500 points</li> </ul>						
	• <u><i>Midterm Exam:</i></u> 15%, 150 points						
	• <u>Final Exam:</u> 20%, 200 points						
	<ul> <li><u>Presentation/Project:</u> 15%, 150 points</li> </ul>						
	• <i>Extra Credit: Class Participation, completion of optional parts in labs</i>						
	and lab 13 (listed below), and active learning: 10%, 100 points						
	Labs and Assignments (50%)						
	Lab assignments come from the lab manual and are performed on the lab equipment.						
	understanding of the lab material Generally homework assignments require students						
	to write short essays summarizing reading from the textbook. Homework is due one						
	week from the day it is assigned. Unless specified explicitly, students are expected to						
	finish each assignment <b>independently</b> . For a question that allows collaboration, the						
	level of collaboration will be specified in the question description. The submission of						
	your homework will be due to Moodle and the required form of submission (e.g.						
	code or report) will be given along with the homework itself. Late submission will						
	not be graded.						
	Lab sessions and accompanying assignments are due throughout the term. Details and						
	due dates are announced in class. Each of these lab assignments is weighted equally.						
	No lab make-up sessions are available, and late assignments will not be accepted! If						
	you are unable to arrive at the lab on time on the day of the lab session and must then						
	perform the lab work on your own, you are responsible for turning in the lab						
	assignment on time. You may turn the assignment in early. Assignments are submitted						
	via Moodle unless specified otherwise.						
	Exams (35%, 350 points)						
	<u>Midterm Exam</u> : The midterm exam (15%) covers basic concepts, ethics, information						
	assets, unreats, common attacks and defenses. It also confirms understandings of						
	software covered in the early labs.						

<ul> <li><u>Final Exam:</u> The final exam (20%) covers all other course material, homework, lab assignments plus selected material from student presentations. <u>There will be no</u> <u>make-up examinations.</u></li> <li>Group Project/Presentation (15%, 150 points)</li> <li>Each group (with 4 or 6 students) will prepare and deliver a 5-10 minute presentation of a security-related software utility. Presentations will be graded on applicability, brevity and clarity, in the following areas:</li> <li>Part 1 – Statement of problem</li> <li>Part 2 – Statement of how to solve the problem</li> <li>Part 3 – Diagram (or demonstration) of how utility solves the problem</li> </ul>
Part 4 – References, website, or where to go for more detailed information Each group will choose a topic of project before <b>February 03 (11:55 pm)</b> . Students choose their own presentation date on a first come, first served basis. Groups may present on any class day, providing no more than three groups present on any given class day. Confirm software choice and presentation date with instructor by email.

Grading criteria	Points Earned	Grade
	975-1000	4.0
	950-974	3.9
	925-949	3.8
	900-924	3.7
	875-899	3.6
	850-874	3.5
	825-849	3.4
	800-824	3.3
	775-799	3.2
	750-774	3.1
	725-749	3.0
	700-724	2.9
	675-699	2.8
	650-674	2.7
	625-649	2.6
	600-624	2.5
	500-599	2.0-2.4
	Less than 500	0.0
Important	Class begins: 1/3	
Dates	Mid-term exam: 02/27	
	Final Exam: Tuesday April 24, Noon-3:00 PM	

Tentative	Week1: Introduction, Logistics Preparation & Installation of Operating Systems (
Topics,	objective 3)
Schedule	Week 2: Footprinting, Web Reconnaissance and social Engineering (Objective 3 and 4)
(with mapping	Week 3: TCP overview, Port Scanning, TCP and UDP Scanning Techniques (Objective 3
of course	and 4)
objectives):	Week 4: Enumeration (Objective 3 and 4)
	Week 5: OS Fingerprinting and Vulnerability identification, Vulnerability Scanners-
	Nessus and MBSA (Objective 3 and 5)
	Week 6: Penetration Testing using Metasploit (Objective 3 and 5)
	Week 7: System Hardening; Host Hardening and Remediation (Objective 3 and 6)
	Week 8: Introduction to application and web security (Objective 3 and 5)
	Week 09: Access Control using Firewalls, and Network defense (Objective 3,8 and 9)
	Week 10 &11: Security Policies and its Implementation in Firewalls (Objective 3,8
	and 9) Week 12: Network based Intrusion Detection and Prevention (Objective 3 and
	9)
	Week 13: Cryptography and Network Security (objective 1 and objective 2)

Attendance	In order to achieve the best outcomes, every student is <b>required</b> in principle to attend every
	meeting of the class. Attendance will be taken in randomly selected classes. To account for
	unexpected situations that are out of the control of the student, each student is allowed with
	at most $\underline{4}$ unexcused missing lectures.
	Beyond that 4-lecture limit, a student who cannot attend a lecture must send the instructor
	an email notification at least 4 hours before the class to explain the reason why he/she
	cannot attend the class. Beyond the 4-lecture limit, each unexcused missing lecture will
	receive a 0.1 penalty in the student's final GPA (4.0 scale). Late arrival and side talking
	during the meeting are strongly discouraged.
Course Expectations	In order to be successful in this course a student must:
	1) Regularly follow all the lectures. Notes and examples given during lecture will be
	most helpful for completing the homework assignments.
	2) Turn in homework and lab assignments on time and follow the submission guidelines.
	Each assignment is building upon previous ones. Missing one assignment will make it
	difficult to complete the following ones.
	3) Spend extra care to make your assignments readable, concise, and complete.
	4) It is very important to review the lab for 30 minutes before coming to class. Labs will
	be posted 24 hours in advance. This will help you to complete the labs on time during
	class. You are highly encouraged to complete theoretical part of labs before coming to
	<u>class.</u>
Academic Integrity	Students are expected to comply with the Academic Conduct Policy of the Oakland
	University. Suspected breaches of academic honesty will be taken before the Academic
	Conduct Committee. Academic misconduct includes—but not limited to—cheating in
	quizzes and exams, unauthorized collaborations in assignments, and plagiarizing the work
	of others. Students found guilty of academic misconduct in this course will receive a grade
	<b><u>0.0</u></b> for the course in addition to any penalties imposed by the conduct committee. Please
	refer to the undergraduate catalog and on-line Academic Conduct Regulations at
	http://www.oakland.edu/handbook/ for details.

White Hat Agreement	Because of the nature of this course (security), students in this course are expected to familiarize themselves with the ethics and laws peculiar to information security. Read and understand the White Hat Agreement posted under this course on Moodle. Submit to your instructor a copy of this agreement bearing your signature before using university equipment for lab work for this course.
Disability Statement	Any student with a documented disability needing academic adjustments is requested to notify the instructor as early in the semester as possible, and must do so before the midterm exam. Verification from OU Disabled Student Support Services is required. All discussions will remain confidential.

Component		Program Outcome												
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Lectures	$\checkmark$				$\checkmark$				$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$			$\checkmark$	
Lab 0: Installations, logistic preparation, white hat agreement	$\checkmark$				$\checkmark$									
Lab 01: Performing network reconnaissance using Command Line, interpreting different output of commands.									<u>√</u>	✓				
<u>Lab 02:</u> Interpreting web information for recon analysis, Performing reconnaissance using online and locally deployed tools (Domain Dossier, Whols, Internic, OWASP ZAP)		$\mathbf{i}$							✓	✓			✓	
Lab 03: Performing Scanning, enumeration and fingerprinting using different tools (APS, Nmap)		<u> </u>							<u>~</u>	$\checkmark$			~	
Lab 04: Perform system benchmarking, registry and log configurations and interpretation on Windows and Linux		$\checkmark$							<u>~</u>	<u>~</u>				
Lab 05: Perform research and analysis of System vulnerabilities, Vulnerability Identification using Advanced tools such as Nessus		$\checkmark$							✓	~			$\checkmark$	
<u>Lab 06:</u> Perform Vulnerability Validation using state-of-the-art tools such as Metasploit		<u>√</u>							<u>~</u>	✓			✓	
Lab 07: Perform Log Auditing and System Hardening on Windows and Linux Machines.									<u>√</u>	✓			$\checkmark$	
Lab 08: System and Services Hardening on Linux Machines (Apache, DNS, Postfix)		$\mathbf{i}$							<u>~</u>	<u>~</u>			<u> </u>	
Lab 09: XSS and SQL injection using OWASP WebGoat														
Lab 10: File and Disk Encryption, File permission manipulation on Linux Systems									<u>~</u>	~				
<u>Lab 11a:</u> Maintaining System Firewalls using iptables (software firewalls). <u>Lab 11b</u> Hardware firewall: Administering CISCO switch configurations that mimic real-world scenarios, and manipulate the configuration to									<u> </u>	<u> </u>			<u>√</u>	

## **ABET Outcome Mapping**

achieve better security									
Lab 12: Deploy and maintain intrusion detection mechanisms using fundamental tools such as SNORT					<u> </u>	✓		$\checkmark$	
Lab 13 Extra Credit Lab : File Integrity Authentication and Validation on Windows Machines for host intrusion detection & to understand Network Security concepts					$\checkmark$	<u>√</u>			
Midterm Exam	<u> </u>				$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$		$\checkmark$	
<u>Final Exam</u>	<u> </u>				$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$		$\checkmark$	
Course Project	$\checkmark$				$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$		$\checkmark$	
Extra Credit Work					$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$		$\checkmark$	

<b>ABET Program C</b>	Outcomes
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а	An ability to apply knowledge of computing and mathematics appropriate to the discipline.
b	An ability to analyze a problem, and identify and define the computing requirements appropriate to its solution.
с	An ability to design, implement and evaluate a computer-based system, process, component, or program to meet desired needs.
d	An ability to function effectively on teams to accomplish a common goal.
е	An understanding of professional, ethical, legal, security, and social issues and responsibilities.
f	An ability to communicate effectively with a range of audiences.
g	An ability to analyze the local and global impact of computing on individuals, organizations and society.
h	Recognition of the need for, and an ability to engage in, continuing professional development.
i	An ability to use current techniques, skills, and tools necessary for computing practice.
j	An ability to use and apply current technical concepts and practices in the core information technologies.
k	An ability to identify and analyze user needs and take them into account in the selection, creation, evaluation and administration of computer-based systems.
Ι	An ability to effectively integrate IT-based solutions into the user environment.
m	An understanding of best practices and standards and their application.
n	An ability to assist in the creation of an effective project plan.

Date	Activities
1-lan-18	Discussion: Syllabus and semester plan, Team formation
4-Jan-18	for project plus labs
9-Jan-18	Lab0 and Lecture
11-Jan-18	Lab1 & Lecture
16-Jan-18	Lecture
18-Jan-18	Lab2 & Lecture
23-Jan-18	Lecture
25-Jan-18	Lab3 & Lecture
30-Jan-18	Lecture
1-Feb-18	Lab4 & Lecture (FEB 03 is deadline of Project proposal)
6-Feb-18	Lecture
8-Feb-18	Lab5 & Lecture
13-Feb-18	Lecture
15-Feb-18	Lab6 & Lecture
20-Feb-18	Winter recess
22-Feb-18	Winter recess
27-Feb-18	Mid-term exam
1-Mar-18	Lecture
6-Mar-18	Lab7 & Lecture
8-Mar-18	Lecture
13-Mar-18	Lab8 & Lecture
15-Mar-18	Lecture
20-Mar-18	Lab9 & Lecture
22-Mar-18	Lecture
27-Mar-18	Lab10 & Lecture
28-Mar-18	Project Submission, 11:55pm
29-Mar-18	Lecture
3-Apr-18	Lab11 & Lecture
5-Apr-18	Lecture, Project Presentations
10-Apr-18	Lab12 & Lecture
12-Apr-18	Lecture, Project Presentations
17-Apr-18	Project Presentations
19-Apr-18	Study day
24-Apr-18	Final exam

## Tentative Schedule\*

Note: Lecture topics and project assignments are subject to continuous change at the discretion of the instructor. For deadline of lab submission, see the dates on Moodle.