

CPSC 4166 Intrusion Detection and Prevention

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Course Description:

The capstone course delivers the tenets of intrusion detection and prevention, specifically focus on stepping-stone intrusion detection and prevention. Intrusion Detection focuses on the methods to detect attempts (attacks or intrusions) to compromise the confidentiality, integrity or availability of an information system. And intrusion prevention focuses on the techniques to block such intrusions. It includes host-based intrusion detection, network-based intrusion detection, network traffic sniffing tools, stepping-stone intrusion detection, packet round-trip time, detection performance management, hackers' evasion techniques, and attacks via TOR.

Textbook:

No required textbook, but some research papers.

Learning objectives:

1. To understand the basic intrusion and prevention techniques
2. To identify intrusion detection systems and their signatures
3. To understand different stepping-stone intrusion approaches
4. To make an intelligent choice to defend a computer/network system
5. To become intrusion detection/prevention or security analysts
6. To be able to develop a tool to detect/prevent stepping-stone intrusion
7. To be familiar with at least one intrusion detection tool, such as Snort

Learning outcome:

1. Students will, upon completion of this course, have a broad understanding and knowledge skills in network security and stepping-stone intrusion.
 - a. Students will have a conceptual understanding and practical experience in intrusion;
 - b. Students will have a strong foundation about network traffic representation;
 - c. Students will have a strong understanding of TCP/IP protocols;
 - d. Students will have a conceptual and fundamental understanding of computer network, information assurance, and system security;
 - e. Students will have a certain understanding in design, analysis and complexity evaluation of stepping-stone intrusion detection system;
 - f. Students will have practical experience in matching TCP/IP packets and protecting computer system and preventing stepping-stone attacks.
2. Students will have courses that focus on in depth understanding of selected areas of network security, intrusion detection and prevention.
3. Students will be able to communicate effectively both orally and in written reports.

4. Students will have the knowledge and skills to pursue careers in industry and/or higher education degree programs.
5. Students will be able to integrate their knowledge and skills into evolving technologies in computer network security, and stepping-stone intrusion detection and prevention.

Major Topics:

1. Fundamentals in intrusion detection and prevention
2. Host-based intrusion detection
3. Network-based intrusion detection
4. Network traffic sniffing
5. Network traffic manipulation
6. Stepping-stone intrusion
7. Stepping-stone intrusion detection
8. Stepping-stone intrusion prevention
9. Packet round-trip time
10. Detection performance measurement

Course Methods

1. Student will study the topics independently under instructor’s supervision.
2. Laboratory experiences will be part of the course.
3. Students will be expected to complete hands-on exercises and a series of programming assignments.

Student Responsibilities

1. Study each topic via PPT provided.
2. Complete all reading assignments and all homework assignments.
3. Ask the instructor questions.
4. Send the instructor e–mail with both comments and questions.
5. Make class presentation

Instructor Responsibilities

1. Supervise student to learn the course material.
2. Assign appropriate homework that illustrates the concepts of the course, and grade and return the homework in a timely manner with adequate explanation.
3. Give tests over the material and grade and return the tests in a timely manner
4. Provide a website that supports the course.
5. Provide at least four hours of office time primarily designated for assistance of students in this class, at times expected to be convenient for the students. It is expected that the instructor be available to the students during these hours.
6. Reply promptly (within one business day) to all student e–mail communications.

COURSE EVALUATION

GRADED LEARNING ACTIVITIES	Percentage	Points
Chapter Test		40
Hands-on labs		30
Project		30

TOTAL		100
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Percentage Range	Final Grade
90-100%	A
80-89%	B
70-79%	C
60-69%	D
59% and below	F

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- [Avoiding Plagiarism?](#)
- [Avoiding Plagiarism](#)
- [Avoiding Plagiarism - MASTERING THE ART OF SCHOLARSHIP](#)

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possible. Course requirements will not be waived but reasonable accommodations may be provided as appropriate.

Week	Topic	Student Activity	Lab/Project
1 (1/23)	Class Overview		
1 (1/25)	Lecture 1: Introduction (slide 1-23)		
2 (1/30)	Lecture 1: Introduction (slide: 24-43)		
2 (2/1)	Lecture 1: Introduction (slide: 44-59)		
3 (2/6)	Lecture 2: Host Intrusion Detection (slide: 1-23)	Test 1	
3 (2/8)	Lecture 2: Host Intrusion Detection (slide: 24-45)		
4 (2/13)	Lecture 3: Network Intrusion Detection (slide: 1-18)	Test 2	
4 (2/15)	Lecture 3: Network Intrusion Detection (slide: 19-36)		
5 (2/20)	Lecture 3: Network Intrusion Detection (slide: 37-53)		Lab 1
5 (2/22)	Lecture 4: Network Traffic Sniffing (slide: 1-21)	Test 3	
6 (2/27)	Lecture 4: Network Traffic Sniffing (slide: 22-49)		Lab 2
6 (3/1)	Lecture 4: Network Traffic Sniffing (slide: 50-70)		
7 (3/6)	Lecture 5: Stepping-stone Intrusion Detection (slide: 1-20)	Test 4	Lab 3
7 (3/8)	Lecture 5: Stepping-stone Intrusion Detection (slide: 21-40)		
8 (3/13)	Lecture 5: Stepping-stone Intrusion Detection (slide: 41-69)		
8 (3/15)	Lecture 5: Stepping-stone Intrusion Detection (slide: 70-89)	Test 5	Lab 4
9 (3/19-25)	Spring Break (No Class)		Project starts
10 (3/27)	Lecture 6: Packet Round-Trip time (slide: 1-25)		
10 (3/29)	Lecture 6: Packet Round-Trip time (slide: 26-52)		
11 (4/3)	Lecture 7: Performance Measurement (slide: 1-16)	Test 6	Lab 5
11 (4/5)	Lecture 7: Performance Measurement		

	(slide: 17-32)		
12 (4/10)	Lecture 8: Hacker's Evasion Techniques (slide: 1-19)	Test 7	Lab 6
12 (4/12)	Lecture 8: Hacker's Evasion Techniques (slide: 20-39)		
13 (4/17)	Lecture 8: Hacker's Evasion Techniques (slide: 40-59)		
13 (4/19)	Lecture 9: Attacks via TOR (slide: 1-18)	Test 8	Project Ends
14 (4/24)	Final Project Presentation	Test 9	
14 (4/26)	Final Project Presentation		
15 (5/1)	Final Project Presentation		
15 (5/3)	Final Project Presentation		
16 (5/7- 12)	Reading Day (5/7) Final Exam Time (5/10)		