

IT Security at 360 degrees

Course Program

1. Introduction to information security
 - a) Technical and management security
 - b) Politics, roles, responsibility and risks
 - c) Security and trust
 - d) threats, vulnerabilities and countermeasures
2. Viruses
 - a) Programs
 - b) GUI
 - c) File types
 - d) viruses and penetration techniques
 - e) principal defences for personal computer user
 - f) Types of attack code: virus, worm etc.
 - g) anti-virus
3. Cryptography
 - a) confidentiality, authenticity, integrity
 - b) principles and ingredients
 - c) Caesar and One-Time-Pad cipher
 - d) Kerchoff's principle
 - e) types of algorithms
 - f) symmetrical algorithms
 - g) a-symmetrical algorithms (RSA)
 - h) hash algorithms
 - i) MAC e H-MAC
 - j) use of the cryptographic algorithms
4. Authentication and access control
 - a) identification, authentication, authorization

- b) password, keys, biometry
- c) network authentication

5. Public key infrastructures (PKI)

- a) Certification Authority and Registration Authority
- b) LDAP e X.500
- c) Web of trust

6. Network security

- a) Firewall and perimeter defence
- b) firewall architectures
- c) Proxy and Application Layer Gateway
- d) Intrusion Detection System and Intrusion Prevention System
- e) local and wide area networks
- f) wireless
- g) principal network attacks

7. Data and resources disponibility

- a) disponibility and resilience
- b) business continuity and disaster recovery
- c) hardware infrastructures and system management
- d) duplication, backup and data preservation