

# **Cybersecurity Foundations**

### Duration: 5 Days Course Code: 9701

#### Overview:

When you consider just a few of the consequences of a security breach - your proprietary information completely accessible, hefty fines for security lapses, news headlines about your company's security breach, it becomes obvious: An in-depth and thorough understanding of cyber security fundamentals and best practices is absolutely necessary.

In this cybersecurity course, you will gain a global perspective of the challenges of designing a secure system, touching on all the cyber roles needed to provide a cohesive security solution. Through lecture, labs, and breakout discussion groups, you will learn about current threat trends across the Internet and their impact on organizational security. You will review standard cybersecurity terminology and compliance requirements, examine sample exploits, and gain hands-on experience mitigating controls. In a contained lab environment, you will work with live viruses, including botnets, worms, and Trojans.

In addition to technical cybersecurity components, you will learn and explore the non-technical aspects of cybersecurity necessary to mitigate risk and lessen exposure, including risk management, threat determination, disaster recovery, security policy management, and business continuity planning. This course provides an excellent foundation for those proceeding to CISSP, CEH, CISA, or CISM training.

#### **Target Audience:**

Cybersecurity professionals, including security analysts, intel analysts, policy analysts, security operations personnel, network administrators, system integrators, VARS, and security consultants

#### **Objectives:**

- Current cyber threats and cybersecurity site references
- Government-mandated directives and compliance requirements
- Cyber roles required to successfully design secure systems
- The attack cycle perpetrated by malicious hackers
- Enterprise policy requirements
- Best strategies for securing the enterprise with layered defenses
- How security zones and detailed logging augment information assurance
- Forensic challenges and incident response planning
- Risk management process
- Goals achievable with auditing, scanning, and testing systems
- Industry recommendations for maintaining secure access control
- Standards-based cryptographic solutions for securing communications

#### Prerequisites:

### Content:

- 1. The Cyber Battlefield
- Critical Business Security
- Worldwide Internet Growth
- Security Fundamentals
- Security Goals
- Terminology Threats and Exposures
- Exploits and Exposures
- Hackers and Crackers
- Attack Methods
- Social Engineering
- Common Attack Vectors
- Traffic Analysis
- Responding to Threats and Attacks
- Documents and Procedures to Manage Risk
- Vulnerability Scanners
- Penetration Testing
- The OSSTMM
- NIST
- Risks of Penetration Testing

2. The Structure of the Internet and TCP/IP

- CNCI
- Initiatives
- Legal Compliance Standards
- Acts
- Federal Agency Compliance
- Commercial Regulatory Compliance
- Internet Leadership IANA
- Regional Internet Registry
- Protocols and RFCs
- TCP/IP Model
- Network Access Layer
- Internet Layer
- Host-to-Host Layer
- Process Layer
- Domain Name Service
- 3. Vulnerability Assessment and Tools
- Vulnerabilities and Exploits
- Vulnerability Assessment Tools
- Application-Level Scanners
- System-Level Scanners
- System-Level Testing Tools
- Open Source System-Level Scanner Tools
- Commercial System-Level Scanner Tools
- Advanced Attack Techniques and Tools
- Commercial Exploit Tools
- Free Exploit Tool: Metasploit
- Free Exploit Tool: BeEF
- Fuzz Testing
- Preventing Exploits and Attacks
- Patch Management
- Common Vulnerabilities and Exposures
- Alerts and Software
- Tools
- Vulnerability Research
- Common Security Sites
- Patch Management
- Tools

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### SysKey Encryption

- LAN Manager Password Encryption Windows LAN Manager and NTLM Hashes

12. Authentication and Cryptographic

Cryptosystems Password Authentication

Symmetric Key Encryption Asymmetric

Encryption Digital Signatures PKI

Kerberos Cryptographic Benefits

13. Firewalls and Edge Devices

General Security Integration

Other Security Considerations

Special Services and Protocols

Software Development Security

Intrusion Detection and Prevention

Placement of IDS Monitors and Sensors

Certification and Accreditation

Configuration Management

Business-to-Business Communications

Needs for Services

Screened Subnets

Exceptions to Policy

Common Criteria

Defense in Depth

Events Correlation

Monitoring

Encryption

Differences

Policy Management

Behavioral Signatures

Incorrect Configuration

14. Forensic Analysis

Incident Handling

Considerations

Evidence

Logging

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Response Procedures

Log Analysis Tools

IDS and IPS Weaknesses

Security Incident Response Time and Reaction Sensitivity

Incident Handling Issues and

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Network Device Logging

Host Monitoring and Logging

Host-Based and Network-Based

Security Zones

Trusted Zones Devices

Solutions

Authentication

Hash Functions

Components

Models

Policies

Lifecvcle

Services

Filterina

Routers

Firewalls

DMZ Hosts

Distribution

Authentication Issues

- Linux Password Encryption
- SAM Database Insecurities
- Password Extraction Cracking
- Password Cracking Techniques
- Password Cracking Tools
- LCP
- John the Ripper
- Cain and Abel
- Password Cracking Countermeasures
- Covering Tracks
- Principle of Exchange
- Clearing the Logs
- Hiding Tools, Files, and Programs
- NTFS Alternate Data Streaming
- Information Hiding: Methods
- Steganography
- Steganography Detection
- Rootkits
- Countermeasures: Rootkits
- 7. Cyber Attacks: Backdoors and Trojans
- Malware
- Trojans
- Trojan Infection Mechanisms
- Well-Known Trojans
- Distribution Methods Wrappers
- Trojan Autostart Methods
- Covert Communications
- Stealth Technique: Avoiding Detection
- Backdoor Countermeasures
- Malware Countermeasure
- Anti-Spyware Software
- Malware Countermeasure Practices
- 8. Cyber Assessment and Risk Management
- Risk Management Steps
- Determining ALE
- CRAMM Process
- Risk Management Lifecycle

Quantitative Risk Assessment

Threat Determination Process

Protected Assets

Risk Assessment

Vulnerability Categories

Business Assets vs. Risk

Benefits of Risk Management

9. Security Policy Management

CIA Triad

Lifecycle

Steps

Policy

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Assessment

Security Policy

- 4. Cyber Awareness
- Social Engineering
- Social Engineering Goals
- What Makes Social Engineering Possible
- Targets
- Attacks
- Phishing
- Phishing via Email
- Online Attacks
- Statistical Data
- Sources of Security Breaches
- Preventing Social Engineering
- Cyber Awareness: Policies and Procedures
- Security Policy Topics
- Social Media
- Social Networking Sites
- 5. Cyber Attacks: Footprinting and Scanning
- Footprinting
- Gathering Information
- Unearthing Initial Information
- Internet Archive
- People Search
- Locations and Mapping
- Job Boards
- Financial Information
- Google and Search Operators
- Identifying the Target Network and Its Range
- WHOIS Utility
- DNS Online Search Tools
- Traceroute
- Footprinting Countermeasures
- Detecting Live Systems
- Bypassing Authentication
- War Dialing
- Wardriving
- ICMP: Ping
- Port Scanning
- Performing TCP and UDP Scans
- Port Numbers
- TCP Flags
- TCP ThreeWay Handshake
- Port Scanning Techniques
- TCP Full Connect Port Scan
- TCP HalfOpen (SYN) Scanning
- Nmap HalfOpen Scan
- UDP Port Scan
- Nmap Scan Types and Switches
- Port Scanning Tools
- OS Fingerprinting
- Active Stack Fingerprinting
- Passive Fingerprinting
- Proxies and Anonymizers
- Scanning Countermeasures
- 6. Cyber Attacks: Breaking and Entering
- Password Attacks
- Privilege Escalation
- Maintaining Access

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Windows Authentication

- Importance
- Legal Issues
- Example
- Policy References
- Policies, Guides, Standards, Procedures, and Controls

Active Ports

Continuity

DRP Goals

Disaster Types

Creating a DRP

DRP Contents

DRP Priorities

High Availability

DRP Testing

BCP Steps

Cyber Forces

Mongering?

Cyber Terrorism

Recovery Strategies

16. Cyber Evolution

Cyber Defense in Depth

Education and Training

Dependency Walker

15. Disaster Recovery and Business

Disaster Recovery Plan (DRP)

DRP Design Requirements

Data Collection Documentation

Business Continuity Planning

Cyber Security: Crime, War, or Fear

Cyber Future 7 Compliance Initiatives

Log Maintenance

- Security Policy Coverage Matrix
- Example: Internet Security Coverage Matrix
- Granular View of a Security Matrix
  Basic Policies
- 10. Securing Hosts and Servers
- Types of Hosts
- General Configuration Guidelines
- Clean Systems
- Unnecessary Services
- Warning Banners
- Limiting Access
- Configuring and Logging
- Security Patches
- Security Baselines
- Traffic Filtering Monitoring
- DoS Vulnerabilities
- Server Hardening
- Web Server Hardening
- Mail Server Hardening
  FTP Server Hardening
- DNS Server Hardening
- Other Servers
- Workstation Considerations
- Network Appliances
- Wireless Access Hardening
- VLAN Security
- Software Attacks
- 11. Securing Communications
- Applying Cryptography to OSI Model
- Tunnels
- Securing Services
- Email
- FTP and Telnet
- SSL and TLS
- Gateway-to-Gateway VPN
- Host-to-Gateway VPN

Wireless Security

IP Security

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Wireless Access Communication

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