

## Tentative Syllabus

This syllabus is *tentative* and will undoubtedly continue to change as the quarter progresses. If there is a topic you're interested in but not shown, please let me know; I may well change things to cover it. All readings are from the text unless otherwise indicated.

- Week 1:**      **Dates:** Sep 21, Sep 23  
**Lec 1–2**      **Topics:** Introduction, principles of secure design, threats and policies  
                 **Reading:** *text*, §1, 14; papers [Sm12,MA19]
- Week 2:**      **Dates:** Sep 26, Sep 28, Sep 30  
**Lec 3–5**      **Topics:** Basic policy models: Bell-LaPadula, Biba, Clark-Wilson  
                 **Reading:** *text*, §5.1–5.2.2, 5.3, 6.2, 6.4; paper [Sa93]
- Week 3:**      **Dates:** Oct 3, Oct 5, Oct 7  
**Lec 6–8**      **Topics:** Symmetric and public key cryptography  
                 **Reading:** *text*, §10  
                 **Due:** Oct 5: homework 1; Oct 7: project selection
- Week 4:**      **Dates:** Oct 10, Oct 12, Oct 14  
**Lec 9–11**      **Topics:** Protocols, authentication  
                 **Reading:** *text*, §11.1, 12.1, 12.4, 12.5, 13; papers [Ke93]
- Week 5:**      **Dates:** Oct 17, Oct 19, Oct 21  
**Lec 12–14**      **Topics:** Access control mechanisms, confinement problem, reference monitor  
                 **Reading:** *text*, §16.1–16.3, 18.1–18.2, 20.1.2.2; papers [HS16]  
                 **Due:** Oct 21: homework 2
- Week 6:**      **Dates:** Oct 24, Oct 26, Oct 28  
**Lec 15–17**      **Topics:** Confinement problem, vulnerabilities  
                 **Reading:** *text*, §18.2, 24.3–24.4; papers [La73,Li75]
- Week 7:**      **Dates:** Oct 31, Nov 2, Nov 4  
**Lec 18–20**      **Topics:** Penetration testing, malware  
                 **Reading:** *text*, §24.1–24.2, 23.1–23.6.1; papers [B+07]  
                 **Due:** Nov 4: progress report
- Week 8:**      **Dates:** Nov 7, Nov 9, Nov 11    **[Nov 11 is Veterans Day (a university holiday)]**  
**Lec 20–21**      **Topics:** Elections and e-voting, malware  
                 **Reading:** *text*, §23.6.2–23.7, 23.9, 26.1–26.3, 28.1, 28.3; papers [Bi00,O+17]  
                 **Due:** Nov 9: homework 3
- Week 9:**      **Dates:** Nov 14, Nov 16, Nov 18  
**Lec 22–24**      **Topics:** Network security, firewalls, intrusion detection, entropy, information flow  
                 **Reading:** *text*, §23.9.7, C, 17.1, 17.3–17.6; papers [B+07, De87]
- Week 10:**      **Dates:** Nov 21, Nov 23, Nov 25    **[Nov 25 is Thanksgiving (a university holiday)]**  
**Lec 25–26**      **Topics:** Information flow, identity  
                 **Reading:** §15  
                 **Due:** Nov 23: homework 4
- Week 11:**      **Dates:** Nov 28, Nov 30, Dec 2    **[Dec 2 is the last class]**  
**Lec 27–29**      **Topics:** Identity, anonymity, onion routing  
                 **Reading:** §15  
                 **Due:** Dec 2: homework 5
- Dec 8:**      **Due:** Completed project due at 3:00pm

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