# **COURSE SYLLABUS**



COURSE TITLE: CSNT 210 Cybersecurity Analysis

**CLASS SECTION:** 

TERM: Fall

COURSE CREDITS: 3

DELIVERY METHOD(S): in person

Camosun College campuses are located on the traditional territories of the Ləkwəŋən and WSÁNEĆ peoples. We acknowledge their welcome and graciousness to the students who seek knowledge here.

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The COVID-19 pandemic has presented many challenges, and Camosun College is committed to helping you safely complete your education. Following guidelines from the Provincial Health Officer, WorkSafe BC, and the B.C. Government to ensure the health and wellbeing of students and employees, Camosun College is providing you with every possible protection to keep you safe. Our measures include COVID Training for students and employees, health checks, infection control protocols including sanitization of spaces, PPE and ensuring physical distancing. For details on these precautions please follow this

link: <a href="http://camosun.ca/covid19/faq/covid-faqs-students.html">http://camosun.ca/covid19/faq/covid-faqs-students.html</a>. However, if you're at all uncomfortable being on campus, please share your concerns with your Instructor. If needed, alternatives will be discussed.

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#### **INSTRUCTOR DETAILS**

NAME: Trevor Curtis

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OFFICE: CBA 122

**HOURS:** 

As your course instructor, I endeavour to provide an inclusive learning environment. However, if you experience barriers to learning in this course, do not hesitate to discuss them with me. Camosun College is committed to identifying and removing institutional and social barriers that prevent access and impede success.

#### CALENDAR DESCRIPTION

Restricted to students in Cybersecurity & Networking Technology

Students will gain skills required for protecting an organization against cybersecurity threats. Students will apply threat detection techniques and interpret cyberattack data in a lab environment. We will discuss the processes of identifying and addressing vulnerabilities, establishing preventative measures and responding to and recovering from incidents on IT systems.

PREREQUISITE(S): CSNT 111 CSNT 121

CO-REQUISITE(S): EXCLUSION(S):

# COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES / OBJECTIVES

- Explore Vulnerability Response, Handling, and Management
- Explore Threat Intelligence and Threat Hunting Concepts
- Explain Important System and Network Architecture Concepts
- Explore Process Improvement in Security Operations
- Implement Vulnerability Scanning Methods
- Perform Vulnerability Analysis
- Communicate Vulnerability Information
- Explain Incident Response Activities
- Demonstrate Incident Response Communication
- Apply Tools to Identify Malicious Activity
- Analyze Potentially Malicious Activity
- Explore Application Vulnerability Assessment
- Explore Scripting Tools and Analysis Concepts
- Explore Application Security and Attack Mitigation Best Practices

#### REQUIRED MATERIALS & RECOMMENDED PREPARATION / INFORMATION

No printed text required Access to Netacad, Skills for All, CompTIA Learn

## COURSE SCHEDULE, TOPICS, AND ASSOCIATED PREPARATION / ACTIVITY / EVALUATION

The following schedule and course components are subject to change with reasonable advance notice, as deemed appropriate by the instructor.

WEEK or DATE RANGE	ACTIVITY or TOPIC	OTHER NOTES
1	Lesson 1	
2	Lesson 2	
3	Lesson 3	

WEEK or DATE RANGE	ACTIVITY or TOPIC	OTHER NOTES
4	Lesson 4	
5	Lesson 5	
6	Lesson 6	
7	Lesson 7	
8	Lesson 8	
9	Lesson 9	
10	Lesson 10	
11	Lesson 11	
12	Lesson 12	
13	Lesson 13	
14	Lesson 14	
15	Final Exam	

Students registered with the Centre for Accessible Learning (CAL) who complete quizzes, tests, and exams with academic accommodations have booking procedures and deadlines with CAL where advanced noticed is required. Deadlines scan be reviewed on the <a href="CAL exams page">CAL exams page</a>. <a href="http://camosun.ca/services/accessible-learning/exams.html">http://camosun.ca/services/accessible-learning/exams.html</a>

## **EVALUATION OF LEARNING**

DESCRIPTION		WEIGHTING
Practice activities		20
Performance Based Questions		20
Labs		20
Final Exams		40
	TOTAL	100%

If you have a concern about a grade you have received for an evaluation, please come and see me as soon as possible. Refer to the <u>Grade Review and Appeals</u> policy for more information. <a href="http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-1-programming-and-instruction/e-1.14.pdf">http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-1-programming-and-instruction/e-1.14.pdf</a>

The following criteria must be met:

- Students must obtain a minimum weighted average of 60% in theory evaluations (tests, examinations etc.) in any course that is a pre-requisite for subsequent courses.
- Students must obtain a minimum weighted average of 60% in lab evaluations (lab performance, reports, etc.) in any course that is a pre-requisite for subsequent courses.
- Students must obtain a minimum of 50% on the final examination for a course in order to receive a passing grade.
- Failure to meet any one of these criteria will result in a student receiving a failing grade for
- the course.
- All assignments (laboratory work, reports, etc.) must be submitted prior to a student writing a final examination. ALL assignments must be submitted in order to qualify to write a final exam.
- Late assignments will be graded as zero. However, all assignment must be submitted.

#### COURSE GUIDELINES & EXPECTATIONS

- Attendance is expected for every class. Students who attend and participate do better than those that don't.
- A minimum of 50% (average) must be achieved in each of the theory and lab portions to pass the course. (60% for pre-requisites)
- \*\*Less than 50% of total in either section will result in a failure of the entire course.
- Attendance is required for all scheduled Exams. Exams start at the beginning of class with no extra time to account for lateness.
- Labs are due according to the schedule. Late labs receive a grade of zero. Some labs require instructor sign-off for a grade.
- It is student responsibility to complete Quizzes on time. No additional time will be provided.

## SCHOOL OR DEPARTMENTAL INFORMATION

School of Trades and Technology

Electronics and Computer Engineering department

#### STUDENT RESPONSIBILITY

Enrolment at Camosun assumes that the student will become a responsible member of the College community. As such, each student will display a positive work ethic, assist in the preservation of College property, and assume responsibility for their education by researching academic requirements and policies; demonstrating courtesy and respect toward others; and respecting expectations concerning attendance, assignments, deadlines, and appointments.

#### SUPPORTS AND SERVICES FOR STUDENTS

Camosun College offers a number of services to help you succeed in and out of the classroom. For a detailed overview of the supports and services visit <a href="http://camosun.ca/students/">http://camosun.ca/students/</a>.

Academic Advising	http://camosun.ca/advising
Accessible Learning	http://camosun.ca/accessible-learning
Counselling	http://camosun.ca/counselling
Career Services	http://camosun.ca/coop
Financial Aid and Awards	http://camosun.ca/financialaid
Help Centres (Math/English/Science)	http://camosun.ca/help-centres
Indigenous Student Support	http://camosun.ca/indigenous
International Student Support	http://camosun.ca/international/
Learning Skills	http://camosun.ca/learningskills
Library	http://camosun.ca/services/library/
Office of Student Support	http://camosun.ca/oss
Ombudsperson	http://camosun.ca/ombuds
Registration	http://camosun.ca/registration
Technology Support	http://camosun.ca/its
Writing Centre	http://camosun.ca/writing-centre

If you have a mental health concern, please contact Counselling to arrange an appointment as soon as possible. Counselling sessions are available at both campuses during business hours. If you need urgent support after-hours, please contact the Vancouver Island Crisis Line at 1-888-494-3888 or call 911.

#### COLLEGE-WIDE POLICIES, PROCEDURES, REQUIREMENTS, AND STANDARDS

#### Academic Accommodations for Students with Disabilities

The College is committed to providing appropriate and reasonable academic accommodations to students with disabilities (i.e. physical, depression, learning, etc). If you have a disability, the <a href="Centre for Accessible Learning">Centre for Accessible Learning</a> (CAL) can help you document your needs, and where disability-related barriers to access in your courses exist, create an accommodation plan. By making a plan through CAL, you can ensure you have the appropriate academic accommodations you need without disclosing your diagnosis or condition to course instructors. Please visit the CAL website for contacts and to learn how to get started:

http://camosun.ca/services/accessible-learning/

#### Academic Integrity

Please visit <a href="http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-1-programming-and-instruction/e-1.13.pdf">http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-1-programming-and-instruction/e-1.13.pdf</a> for policy regarding academic expectations and details for addressing and resolving matters of academic misconduct.

## **Academic Progress**

Please visit <a href="http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-1-programming-and-instruction/e-1.1.pdf">http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-1-programming-and-instruction/e-1.1.pdf</a> for further details on how Camosun College monitors students' academic progress and what steps can be taken if a student is at risk of not meeting the College's academic progress standards.

# Course Withdrawals Policy

Please visit <a href="http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-2-student-services-and-support/e-2.2.pdf">http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-2-student-services-and-support/e-2.2.pdf</a> for further details about course withdrawals. For deadline for fees, course drop dates, and tuition refund, please visit <a href="http://camosun.ca/learn/fees/#deadlines">http://camosun.ca/learn/fees/#deadlines</a>.

## **Grading Policy**

Please visit <a href="http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-1-programming-and-instruction/e-1.5.pdf">http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-1-programming-and-instruction/e-1.5.pdf</a> for further details about grading.

## **Grade Review and Appeals**

Please visit <a href="http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-1-programming-and-instruction/e-1.14.pdf">http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-1-programming-and-instruction/e-1.14.pdf</a> for policy relating to requests for review and appeal of grades.

## Mandatory Attendance for First Class Meeting of Each Course

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(<a href="http://camosun.ca/learn/calendar/current/procedures.html">http://camosun.ca/learn/calendar/current/procedures.html</a>) and the Grading Policy at <a href="http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-1-programming-and-instruction/e-1.5.pdf">http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-1-programming-and-instruction/e-1.5.pdf</a>.

## Medical / Compassionate Withdrawals

Students who are incapacitated and unable to complete or succeed in their studies by virtue of serious and demonstrated exceptional circumstances may be eligible for a medical/compassionate withdrawal. Please visit <a href="http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-2-student-services-and-support/e-2.8.pdf">http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-2-student-services-and-support/e-2.8.pdf</a> to learn more about the process involved in a medical/compassionate withdrawal.

#### Sexual Violence and Misconduct

Camosun is committed to creating a campus culture of safety, respect, and consent. Camosun's Office of Student Support is responsible for offering support to students impacted by sexual violence. Regardless of when or where the sexual violence or misconduct occurred, students can access support at Camosun. The Office of Student Support will make sure students have a safe and private place to talk and will help them understand what supports are available and their options for next steps. The Office of Student Support respects a student's right to choose what is right for them. For more information see Camosun's Sexualized

Violence and Misconduct Policy: http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-2-student-services-and-support/e-2.9.pdf and camosun.ca/sexual-violence. To contact the Office of Student Support: oss@camosun.ca or by phone: 250-370-3046 or 250-3703841

## Student Misconduct (Non-Academic)

Camosun College is committed to building the academic competency of all students, seeks to empower students to become agents of their own learning, and promotes academic belonging for everyone. Camosun also expects that all students to conduct themselves in a manner that contributes to a positive, supportive, and safe learning environment. Please review Camosun College's Student Misconduct Policy at <a href="http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-2-student-services-and-support/e-2.5.pdf">http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-2-student-services-and-support/e-2.5.pdf</a> to understand the College's expectations of academic integrity and student behavioural conduct.

**Changes to this syllabus:** Every effort has been made to ensure that information in this syllabus is accurate at the time of publication. The College reserves the right to change courses if it becomes necessary so that course content remains relevant. In such cases, the instructor will give the students clear and timely notice of the changes.