



**COURSE OUTLINE**

**DIVISION: Workforce Development**

**COURSE: CSC 1201 Managing Information Security**

Date: August 28, 2018

Credit Hours: 3

Prerequisite(s): Co-requisite: CSN 1225

Delivery Method:  **Lecture**                    **2 Contact Hours (1 contact = 1 credit hour)**  
 **Seminar**                    **0 Contact Hours (1 contact = 1 credit hour)**  
 **Lab**                                **2 Contact Hours (2-3 contact = 1 credit hour)**  
 **Clinical**                    **0 Contact Hours (3 contact = 1 credit hour)**  
 **Online**  
 **Blended**

Offered:  **Fall**     **Spring**     **Summer**

IAI Equivalent –**Only for Transfer Courses**-go to <http://www.itransfer.org>.

**CATALOG DESCRIPTION:**

Organizations must be able to apply effective strategies to secure their networks and keep personnel and customers data safe and secure. This course introduces the topic of cybersecurity and how it has evolved throughout history. This course covers the key principles and practices of information security. The course discusses topics such as access control, risk management, application security including anti-virus and cryptography. The course covers network security, physical security and social engineering.

## GENERAL EDUCATION GOALS ADDRESSED

*[See last page for Course Competency/Assessment Methods Matrix.]*

### Upon completion of the course, the student will be able:

*[Choose up to three goals that will be formally assessed in this course.]*

- To apply analytical and problem solving skills to personal, social, and professional issues and situations.
- To communicate successfully, both orally and in writing, to a variety of audiences.
- To construct a critical awareness of and appreciate diversity.
- To understand and use technology effectively and to understand its impact on the individual and society.
- To develop interpersonal capacity.
- To recognize what it means to act ethically and responsibly as an individual and as a member of society.
- To recognize what it means to develop and maintain a healthy lifestyle in terms of mind, body, and spirit.
- To connect learning to life.

### EXPECTED LEARNING OUTCOMES AND RELATED COMPETENCIES:

*[Outcomes related to course specific goals. See last page for more information.]*

#### Upon completion of the course, the student will be able to:

1. Discuss the key principles and practices of Information Security
  - a. Understand access controls
  - b. Explain the pillars of security and security concepts
  - c. Understand the role of an Information Systems Management strategy
2. Identify application security strategies
  - a. Understand protection methodologies within application security
3. Understand network security
  - a. Discuss firewalls, VPNS and cloud computing
4. Understand physical security and protection methods
  - a. Discuss physical and technical controls
5. Understand Social Engineering
6. Explain current cybersecurity threats and the future of cybersecurity

### MAPPING LEARNING OUTCOMES TO GENERAL EDUCATION GOALS

*[For each of the goals selected above, indicate which outcomes align with the goal.]*

Goals	Outcomes
First Goal	
To understand and use technology effectively and to understand its impact on the individual and society.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Understand Social Engineering.</li> <li>2. Explain current cybersecurity threats and the future of cybersecurity.</li> </ol>

Second Goal	
To connect learning to life.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Discuss the key principles and practices of Information Security <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Understand access controls</li> <li>b. Explain the pillars of security and security concepts</li> <li>c. Understand the role of an Information Systems Management strategy</li> </ol> </li> <li>2. Identify application security strategies <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Understand protection methodologies within application security</li> </ol> </li> <li>3. Understand network security <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Discuss firewalls, VPNS and cloud computing</li> </ol> </li> <li>4. Understand physical security and protection methods <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Discuss physical and technical controls</li> </ol> </li> </ol>

**COURSE TOPICS AND CONTENT REQUIREMENTS:**

History of Cybersecurity  
Information Security Management  
Access Control  
Administrative, Application, Network and Physical Security  
Social Engineering

**INSTRUCTIONAL METHODS:**

- Lecture
- Lab

**INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS:**

The InfoSec Handbook (Rao and Nayak, 2014) PDF Format  
<https://nvlpubs.nist.gov/nistpubs/legacy/sp/nistspecialpublication800-100.pdf>  
<https://nvlpubs.nist.gov/nistpubs/SpecialPublications/NIST.SP.800-12r1.pdf>

**STUDENT REQUIREMENTS AND METHODS OF EVALUATION:**

A= 90-100  
B= 80-89  
C= 70-79  
D= 60-69  
F= 0-59

**OTHER REFERENCES**



