Tárgyleírás

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Az oktatás célja angolul / Aim of the subject:

Knowledge

• They have comprehensive and up-to-date knowledge and understanding of the general theories, contexts, facts, and the related concepts of IT, particularly – depending on their chosen specialization – in the areas of program design, synthesis and verification, logical programming, programming languages, computing models, computer architectures, operating systems, computer networks, distributed systems, database management systems, information theory, code theory, and cryptography.

• They have comprehensive and up-to-date knowledge of the principles, methods, and procedures for designing, developing, operating, and controlling IT processes, particularly – depending on their chosen specialization – in the areas of program design methods; design, construction and management of complex software systems and databases in modern database management systems; service-oriented program design; the design, construction and management of information systems; the design and development of tools and services for the internet; the design, development and management of database systems; the design, construction and management of distributed systems, cryptography, data security and data protection.

Abilities

• They are able to apply their mathematical, computer science and informatics skills in a novel way in order to solve tasks in IT research and development.

• They are able to formalize complex IT tasks, to identify and study their theoretical and practical background and then to solve them.

• They are able to perform design, development, operation, and management tasks when operating complex software systems, database management systems, corporate information systems, decision support systems, and expert systems.

• Under professional guidance, they are able to carry out scientific research on their own, and to prepare for further studies at postgraduate level.

Attitude:

- They follow professional and technological developments in their IT field.
- They are committed to critical feedback and evaluation based on self-examination.

• They are committed to lifelong learning, and are open to acquiring new IT competencies.

• They accept and make their co-workers apply the ethical principles of work and organizational culture as well as those of IT scientific research.

• They share their knowledge and consider it important to disseminate professional IT results.

• They consider it important to propagate and realise environmentally conscious behaviour and social responsibility, and they promote them with the help of information technology.

• They are committed to having quality requirements met and to analysing them with IT tools.

• They are open to proactive collaboration with IT and other professionals.

Autonomy, responsibility:

• They take responsibility for their professional decisions made in their IT-related activities.

• They undertake to meet deadlines and to have deadlines met.

• They bear responsibility for their own work as well as for the work of their colleagues they work together with in a project.

• Regarding mission critical IT systems, they can be entrusted with developing and operational responsibilities that are in accordance with their professional competencies.

Az oktatás tartalma angolul / Major topics:

The course covers various topics beyond traditional cryptography and the necessary theoretical background. The following concepts are introduced: perfect and computational security, hardness assumptions, provable security. The following cryptographic primitives are covered

- secure multiparty computation
- oblivious transfer
- elliptic curve cryptography

- Yao's garbled circuit
- secret sharing
- generalized signature schemes

The practical assignments help the students to develop a deeper understanding of the advanced cryptographic building blocks and understand their limitations. Various topics of the most relevant cryptographic problems and solutions can be covered in form of project work.

A számonkérés és értékelés rendszere angolul / Requirements and evaluation:

Practical grade

Irodalom / Literature:

- Jonathan Katz, Yehuda Lindell: Introduction to Modern Cryptography. Chapman & Hall/Crc Cryptography and Network Security Series, 2007. ISBN: 1584885513
- Bruce Schneier: Applied Cryptography Protocols, Algorithms, and Source Code in C, ISBN 978-1-119-09672-6

Various further parts from the literature.