

Course Competencies Template - Form 112

GENERAL INFORMATION		
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Course Prefix/Number: CTS2310	Course Title: Designing, Implementing, Managing Network Security	
Number of Credits: 4		
Degree Type	□ B.A. □ B.S. □ B.A.S □ A.A. □ A.S. □ A.A.S. □ C.C.C. □ A.T.C. □ V.C.C	
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☐ New Course Competency ☐ Revised Course Competency		
Course to be designated as a General Education course (part of the 36 hours of A.A. Gen. Ed. coursework): 🗌 Yes 👚 No		
The above course links to the following Learning Outcomes:		
 ☐ Communication ☐ Numbers / Data ☒ Critical thinking ☐ Information Literacy ☐ Cultural / Global Perspective 	 Social Responsibility Ethical Issues Computer / Technology Usage Aesthetic / Creative Activities Environmental Responsibility 	
Course Description (limit to 50 words or less, <u>must</u> correspond with course description on Form 102): This is a performance-based course designed upon the job-related tasks a professional must perform using features in the Windows operating system environment. The objectives will also assist individuals to prepare for specific certification exams. The course is delivered through a combination of lectures, demonstrations, discussions, online assignments, and scenario-based projects. This course may be repeated up to three (3) times with a different version of the software when there have been substantial or significant version changes. Prerequisite: CTS2303. Laboratory fee. (3 hr. lecture; 2 hr. lab)		
Prerequisite(s): CTS2303	Corequisite(s):	

Course Competencies: (for further instruction/guidelines go to: http://www.mdc.edu/asa/curriculum.asp)

Competency 1: The student will demonstrate an understanding of the ability to analyze business and technical requirements for designing security by:

- 1. Analyzing existing policies and procedures, sensitivity of data, cost, legal requirements, end-user impact, interoperability, scalability and risk.
- 2. Designing a framework for security design and implementation, including prevention, detection, isolation, and recovery.
- 3. Analyzing technical constraints when designing security.

Competency 2: The student will demonstrate an understanding of the ethical use of computers and networks in the design, implementation, and managing of networks by:

- 1. Formulating how to implement an acceptable use policy.
- 2. Designing methods to safeguard and prevent the infringement of intellectual property rights.
- 3. Planning network infrastructure to preserve privacy.
- 4. Describing measures to prevent the illegal uses of computer.

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Competency 3: The student will demonstrate an understanding of current best practices and tools for creating the logical design for network infrastructure security by:

- 1. Designing a public key infrastructure (PKI) using Certificate Services.
- 2. Designing a logical authentication strategy.
- 3. Designing security for network management using current best practices and tools to manage the risk of network management.
- 4. Designing a security update infrastructure.

Competency 4: The student will demonstrate an understanding of current best practices and tools for creating the physical design for network and client infrastructure security by:

- 1. Designing security for perimeter, transmission, and name resolution services.
- 2. Designing authentication and transmission security for public and private wireless LANS.
- 3. Designing security for Internet Information Services (IIS) including user authentication, minimizing attack surfaces, monitoring, and content management.
- 4. Designing security for communication between networks using VPN (Virtual Private Network).
- 5. Designing security for extranet communications.
- 6. Defining role-based server baseline security templates and plans to manage change to these templates.
- 7. Designing a client authentication strategy, including account and password security requirements.
- 8. Designing a security strategy for client remote access, including remote access policies and authentication and auditing using RADIUS.
- 9. Designing a strategy for securing client computers, including hardening the operating system (OS) and restricting user access to OS feature.

Competency 5: The student will demonstrate an understanding of current best practices and tools for designing an access control strategy for data by:

- 1. Designing an access control strategy for directory services, including strategies for delegation, auditing, groups and permission structures.
- 2. Designing an access control strategy for files and folders, including strategies for encryption, permissions, backup and recovery and auditing requirements.
- 3. Designing an access control strategy for the registry, including permissions and auditing requirements.

Competency 6: The student will demonstrate an understanding of current best practices and tools for implementing and managing and troubleshooting security policies by:

- 1. Planning security templates based on computer role.
- 2. Configuring, deploying, and troubleshooting security templates.

Competency 7: The student will demonstrate an understanding of current best practices and tools for implementing, managing and troubleshooting Patch Management by:

- 1. Planning the deployment of service packs and hot fixes, including application compatibility testing, planning batch deployments and creating a rollback strategy.
- 2. Assessing the current status of service packs and hot fixes.
- 3. Deploying service packs and hot fixes on new and existing servers and client computers.

Competency 8: The student will demonstrate an understanding of current best practices and tools for implementing, managing and troubleshooting network communications security by:

1. Planning IP Security (IPSec) deployment.

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- 2. Configuring IPSec policies to secure communication between networks and hosts, including special considerations for server roles.
- 3. Deploying, managing, and troubleshooting IPSec policies.
- 4. Planning and implementing security for wireless networks, including encryption and authentication methods, policies and software for wireless client support.
- 5. Deploying, managing, and configuring Secure Sockets Layer (SSL) certificates for network transmission security.
- 6. Configuring security for remote access users, including authentication methods, VPN protocols, and standardizing client configuration for remote access.

Competency 9: The student will demonstrate an understanding of current best practices and tools for planning, configuring and troubleshooting authentication, authorization, and Public Key Infrastructure by:

- 1. Planning and configuring authentication.
- 2. Planning group structure.
- 3. Planning and configuring authorization through access control lists and user rights assignment.
- 4. Planning requirements for digital signatures.
- 5. Installing, managing, and configuring certificate services, including installation and management of certificate authorities (CAs), template configuration, revocation lists, archival and recovery of keys, backup and restoration of CAs.

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