HOSTOS COMMUNITY COLLEGE **DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS** AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

**CST 260: CYBERSECURITY PROJECT** 

**Credit Hours: 1.0** 

Lab Hours: 2.0

Pre/Co-requisite: CST 240 Introduction to Cybersecurity

**Description:** 

The Cybersecurity project focuses on fundamental concepts necessary to reinforce students'

understanding of cybersecurity. Through the construction of projects, students will learn how

networks work and how to secure them and identify the individual or organization who performs

the malicious activities and their tools. Students will be also to detect, prevent, and respond

to vulnerabilities and threats. Students will also learn the techniques for troubleshooting their

projects.

**Required Text:** 

M. Whitman and H. Mattord, Principles of Information Security, 7<sup>th</sup> Ed.,

ISBN-10: 035750643X

ISBN-13: 978-0357506431

**Learning Objectives:** 

1. Students will collaborate and contribute to a team project and will reflect on personal

leadership and teamwork skills.

2. Students will identify and apply concepts of cyber and network services and related

systems and technologies.

3. Students will implement appropriate techniques to manage and maintain secure data

storage.

4. Students will apply the principles of network and system administration.

5. Students will recognize system vulnerabilities and associated risks to ensure system

security.

## **COURSE OUTLINE**

Week Topics

Project overview and selection 1 Project selection and discussion 2

Show work progress 3 ~ 8

9 ~ 10

Troubleshooting of non-working projects
Finalize the term paper
Project Presentations 11 ~ 12 13,14 & 15