

CSE 484 In-Class Worksheet #1 – Spring 2018

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Q1. What comes to mind when you think of computer security and privacy?

Q2: What do you think are the biggest challenges to securing computer systems?

Q3a. Pick a system – it might be social (like rules of etiquette), economic (your bank’s website), electronic (the lock on a car), physical (the lock on a door), governmental (a voting machine), bureaucratic (the process for getting a passport). Describe your system briefly (1-3 sentences):

Q3b: Write down 2-3 assumptions that the designers / implementers of the systems in Q3a likely made that, if proven to be untrue, might cause the system to fail in interesting ways. Namely, write down each assumption, and then write down how the system might fail if that assumption is proven to be untrue

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Q4: Are there any topics you’d really like to see covered this quarter, time permitting?

Q5: Is there anything else you’d like me to know, or any questions you have for me?