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COMP 435:



Computer Security Concepts

Lecture 8: Security in Practice & Learning from Real-World Incidents



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<https://tinyurl.com/comp435-fa26>

Logistics Update



- First Written Assignment
 - One part of worksheet due Thursday (9/3) at 11:59 (70% of grade)
 - Second part due in class (30%)

Small Group Discussion! 😊



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- We will get into groups of 4 in a moment. Close your laptops 😊
 - Each group member should take **5 minutes** to first briefly **present the key details of their security event**
 - Name the event, the key stakeholders, give an overview of what happened
 - Spend the **next 5 minutes discussing!** Groupmates, **ask questions.**
 - It is ok if you don't know all the answers! Be kind. None of us are experts in all areas of security. That is why it's hard!
 - At the end, you all will do a **brief group reflection** / compare and contrast.
 - On your own, before turn-in deadline (5pm), answer the last two questions.

Plan for Class Today



- 10 mins Discussion of Event #1
- 10 mins Discussion of Event #2
- 10 mins Discussion of Event #3
- 10 mins Discussion of Event #4
- Whatever time remains: Reflections + Wrap-up
- **tinyurl.com/435-vms**

Guiding Question 😊

What can real-world security events teach us about threats, adversaries, risk?