

Course Name	Security Risk Analysis and Management		تحليل وإدارة المخاطر الأمنية			
Course Information	Course Code	Course No.	Credit Hour	Prerequisite(s)		
	0912635	IS 635	3 (3-0-6)	0912614		
Course Track	<input type="checkbox"/> Program Core <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Electives					
Course Description						
Risk management processes assesses the overall security condition of organizations, analyses the collected data and plan to select appropriate security controls to implement it. The objective of this course is to enable students to understand the details of risk management and develop a basic risk management program for security of organization’s information assets. The course will discuss in detail the phases of risk management lifecycle, the details of risk management process including risks and their components, risk assessment and risk mitigation, different risk assessment frameworks like COBIT, ISO/IEC standards, NIST framework etc., risk profiling, risk treatment strategies and risk monitoring. Security policies help to define the ways to implement the planned security in the form of written documents like security procedures, guidelines and recommendations. The course will also focus on understanding different types of security policies including general security policy, issue specific policy and systems policy. At the end, the course will focus on planning and building a risk management program in detail.						
Course Outcomes						
After the completion of this course, the student will be able to:						
1. Describe the importance and evolution of risk management for organization’s information security. [A]						
2. Explain the phases of risk management life cycle including risk assessment, risk mitigation and validation. [A]						
3. Evaluate organization’s information assets and identify risks for them. [B]						
4. Analyze the identified risks to decide about their mitigation. [C]						
5. Decide and Plan risk management program and security policies for organization. [C, D]						
Assessment Policy	Assignments	10%	Quiz	10%	Project	15%
	Midterm	25%	Final	40%	Others	-
Textbook	Freund, J., & Jones, J, “ <i>Measuring and managing information risk: A FAIR Approach</i> ”, 1 st Edition, Butterworth-Heinemann, 2015. ISBN-13: 9780127999326					
References	1. Evan Wheeler, “ <i>Security Risk Management: Building an Information Security Risk Management Program from the Ground Up</i> ”, 1 st Edition, Syngress, 2011. ISBN-13: 978-1597496155 2. Thomas R. Peltier, “ <i>Information security risk analysis</i> ”, 3 rd Edition, Auerbach Publications, 2010. ISBN-13: 978-1439839560					