

Reference group meeting 23/11-23

Attendees: Tjerand, Espen, Diderik, Nimer, Simen, Jonathan

Topics that we discussed at the meeting:

- Lectures
 - A lot of interaction was a great incentive for attending lectures
 - Really cool and relevant guest lectures, could be announced more broadly next year (only Vadim's talk was announced this time)
 - Continue referring to chapters, blog posts, papers etc to read up
 - Continue keeping the content updated by including recent works

- Exercises class/lab
 - Do the first CW exercise with everyone in the exercise class
 - Might need two TAs next year in case more students sign up

- Exercises
 - Extend the deadline to midnight December 10th? Yes.
 - Make the RSA fault injecting a bonus problem?
 - Have two deadlines for exercises instead of one
 - The first two CH exercises are the hardest ones
 - How to make Sage work on all machines: CoCalc (notebook)
 - Give a tutorial on the crypto library used for CryptoHack
 - Unplug CW between labs (disconnecting doesn't work well)
 - Remark when to use nano vs level 1 kit for CW exercises
 - Promote the Discord for the CryptoHack problems
 - Adjust the ECDSA lecture to be more aligned with the CH problem