

Information Security Fundamentals

Duration: 1 day

- **Introduction to Information Security**

- Definition and Objectives of Information Security
- Importance of Information Protection in Organizations
- Key Terms and Concepts

- **The CIA Triad – Core Principles**

- **Confidentiality:** Purpose and Implementation Examples
- **Integrity:** Data Consistency, Detection Mechanisms
- **Availability:** Concepts of Uptime and Reliability
- Interdependencies and Balance Among the Principles

- **Understanding the Threat Landscape**

- Threat vs Risk vs Vulnerability
- Classification of Threats (Internal, External, Accidental, Intentional)
- Common Threat Actors and Their Characteristics
- Typical Threat Vectors (e.g., Phishing, Malware, Network Intrusion)

- **Types of Vulnerabilities**

- Technical Vulnerabilities: Software Bugs, Misconfigurations
- Human Vulnerabilities: Social Engineering, Unintentional Errors
- Organizational and Process Weaknesses

- **Basic Risk Concepts in Information Security**

- Core Definitions and Formula: $\text{Risk} = \text{Threat} \times \text{Vulnerability} \times \text{Impact}$
- Identification and Categorization of Risks
- Examples of Risk Scenarios in IT Environments

- **Security Control Categories**

- Preventive, Detective, and Corrective Controls
- Technical Controls: Access Control, Encryption, Firewalls
- Administrative and Physical Controls
- Role of Policies and Security Awareness

- **Overview of Security Standards and Frameworks**

- Purpose and Benefits of Security Standards
- Introduction to ISO/IEC 27001 and NIST Cybersecurity Framework (Conceptual)
- Alignment of Controls with Organizational Needs

- **MITRE ATT&CK Framework**
 - Introduction to the MITRE ATT&CK Framework
 - Understanding TTPs (Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures)
 - Using MITRE for proper alert handling and incident response
- **Best Practices for Secure Data Handling**
 - Encryption, Data Masking, and Secure Storage Practices
 - Secure Data Sharing and Disposal
- **Mobile Security**
 - Securing Mobile Devices and Apps
 - Mobile Device Management (MDM) Policies
- **Basic Cyber Hygiene Practices**
 - Purpose and Benefits of Security Standards
 - Regular Software Updates and Patch Management
 - Strong Authentication and Password Management
 - Monitoring and Incident Reporting
- **Review and Summary**
 - Recap of Key Concepts
 - Clarifications and Final Q&A