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SERC Talks: "How Can We Model Cyber Attacks and Systems to Characterize Resilience of Critical Infrastructure Systems?"

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Secure Cyber Resilient Engineering In the Era of Competition

Engineering Cyber-Resilient Weapon System Workforce Development



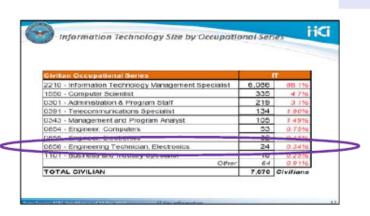
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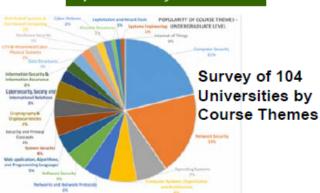
- The evolving and complex nature of the challenges presented by critical systems operating in contested cyberspace environments requires unique skills beyond those addressed by information technology security education.
- DoD must develop the ability to engineer and assess the combined safety, security, and resilience in current and future systems in the presence of determined cyber adversaries.

Workshop 6 (Jul 31– Aug 2 2018)
State of the Engineering Workforce; Cybersecurity Engineering

Goal: Identify skill sets and curriculum needs for our current and future engineering workforce

- Understand engineering education gaps related to cybersecurity
- Develop Need's for today's engineering workforce
- Develop Need's for tomorrow's engineering workforce



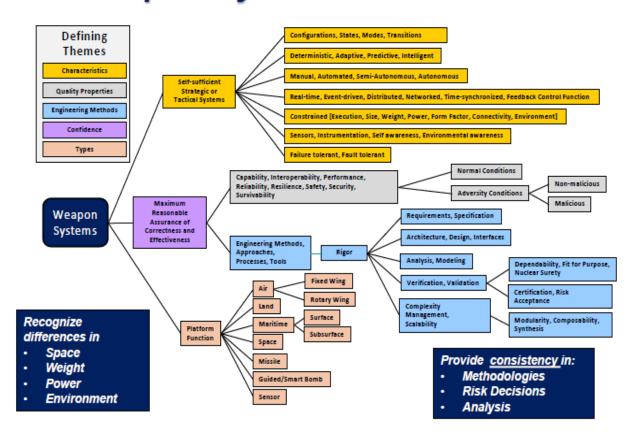


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Secure Cyber Resilient Engineering Considerations

Weapon Systems Characteristics





Secure Cyber Resilient Engineering Approach to Requirements Derivation



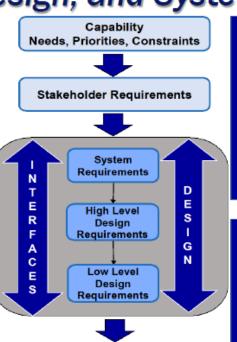
Requirements Derivation, System Design, and Systems Analysis

Capability needs, loss concerns, acceptance

- Mission
- System
- Regulatory, statutory, certification, policy
- Assurance

System architecture, design, interfaces, interconnections

- Exposure, hazards, vulnerabilities
- Critical functions
 - Mission
 - System
 - Security
 - Safety



Loss scenarios

- Causal factors
 - Attack, subversion
 - Error, fault, failure
 - Abuse, misuse
- Conditions
 - Exposure, hazard, vulnerability
- Adversarial threat informed
 - Threat data-dependent
- Threat data-independent

System function, interfaces, data, interconnections

- Functional, data, control flow interactions
- Interactions not anticipated by the system requirements
- Exposure, hazards, vulnerabilities

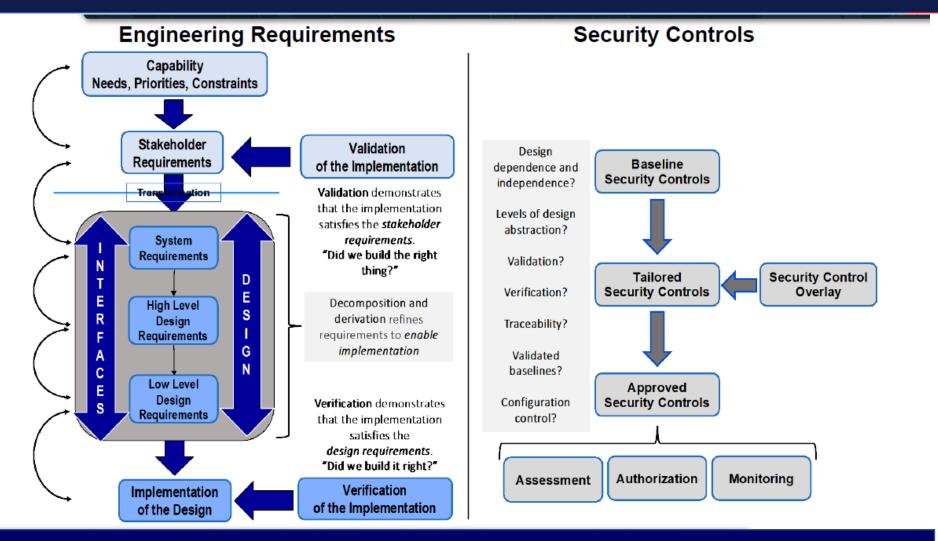
Applied with rigor necessary to achieve the targeted level of confidence

Implementation

of the Design



Secure Cyber Resilient Engineering Security Considerations





QUESTIONS AND DISCUSSION



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