

COURSE DETAIL

NUMBER THEORY AND CRYPTOGRAPHY

Country

Australia

Host Institution

University of Sydney

Program(s)

University of Sydney

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Mathematics

UCEAP Course Number

107

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

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UCEAP Transcript Title

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UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

Cryptography is the branch of mathematics that provides the techniques for confidential exchange of information sent via possibly insecure channels. This course introduces the tools that are needed to understand the mathematics underlying the most commonly used modern public key cryptosystems. Topics include the Euclidean Algorithm, Fermat's Little Theorem, the Chinese Remainder Theorem, Möbius Inversion, the RSA Cryptosystem, the Elgamal Cryptosystem, and the Diffie-Hellman Protocol.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

MATH2088

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Host Institution Course Details

<http://www.maths.usyd.edu.au/u/UG/IM/units.html#MATH2068>

Host Institution Campus

sydney

Host Institution Faculty**Host Institution Degree****Host Institution Department**

Mathematics

Course Last Reviewed

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