

Minutes for the Cybersecurity Scholarship Program (CySP) Meeting

March 6th, 2019 at 3:30 PM in Stright 331

Attended By: Dr. Waleed Farag, Dr. Soundararajan Ezekiel, Dan Richmond, Rebecca George, and James Lutz.

1. Dan, Rebecca, and James all received their laptops. There were no issues after receiving them.
2. Dan, Rebecca, and James received their stipend. Dan saw an issue with his stipend return being lower than it should be. He will e-mail Dr. Farag regarding this.
3. All recipients were able to purchase books from the co-op store with their scholarship account. They noticed an issue on IUP EasyPay and will e-mail Dr. Farag about the issue.
4. Dr. Farag has been working with the department chair to secure funds for the BloomCON trip. Dan will gather information from the seven other students who are going, as well as hotel information for the trip, and send it to Dr. Farag.
5. When the students get back from BloomCON, Dr. Farag would like to create a news release with our experience and feedback regarding the conference.
6. There is a security conference, BSide, in Johnstown, PA. We discussed attending the conference and will announce it at the Cyber Security Club meeting.
7. Dr. Farag has sent an e-mail inquiring if there will be another hackathon held this semester or next semester. He is waiting to hear back and will let us know when he receives a response.
8. Each recipient will update their portfolio and send it to Dr. Farag.
9. James gave an update on his status. Everything is going well with his classes. James had a few concerns regarding his research that were clarified by Dr. Farag.
10. Rebecca gave an update on her status. Everything is going well with her classes and she had no issues or questions regarding her research.
11. Dan gave an update on his status. Everything is going well with his classes. Dan asked if research done for CySP is allowed to be used for classwork in COSC 480, Dr. Farag confirmed that it is allowed.

The meeting concluded at 4:05 PM.

Respectfully Submitted By: Dan Richmond and Dr. Waleed Farag