

Securing and Encrypting Network Traffic to z/OS Communications Server with Policy Agent



Workshop McLean, VA (USA)

April 18 – April 21, 2017 (No Fee)

Title	<p><i>Securing and Encrypting Network Traffic to z/OS Communications Server with Policy Agent (No Fee)</i> (A Hands-on Workshop from the z/OS Communications Server Team of IBM Washington Systems Center – WSC)</p>	
Duration	4 days (Tuesday – Friday 4PM):	9:00 AM – 5:30 PM (Day 1) 9:00 AM – 5:30 PM (Day 2) 9:00 AM – 5:30 PM (Day 3) 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM (Day 4)
Dates & Locations	<p>April 18 – April 21, 2017 – McLean, Virginia <i>IBM Corporation</i> 8401 Greensboro Drive, Suite 120 McLean VA 22102 Please note that parking cost is \$10 per day. ENROLLMENT OPEN</p>	
Class Size	18 only – PLEASE COMMIT TO ATTENDING THE FULL CLASS. General Internet Connectivity Cannot Be Guaranteed.	
Objectives	This workshop is designed to give the technical implementer student <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) An introduction to z/OS Communications Server Security Solutions; 2) Experience in designing and building X.509 digital certificates to provide security for TLS and IPSec; 3) Experience in creating AT-TLS, IPSec, and IDS Policies with z/OS Configuration Assistant and installing the policies to protect network traffic to and from z/OS; 4) Experience in implementing Syslog Daemon, Policy Agent, and Traffic Regulation Management Daemon on z/OS and in managing security policies on z/OS. 5) Insight into the differences among various security technologies, including OpenSSH, IPSec, TLS, and IDS 	
Audience	Intermediate to Advanced Technical Customers and who need hands-on experience in building and implementing security policies on z/OS Communications Server.	
Prerequisites	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Experience in managing and editing file structures on z/OS • Intermediate to Advanced experience in implementing TCP/IP - in z/OS Communications Server or other platforms 	

Topics Intermediate to Advanced	<p>LECTURES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Security Architectures in IT • Overview of Security in z/OS Communications Server • Implementation of Policy Agent and Security Policies • Security Keys and Encryption • X.509 Digital Security Certificates • Overview of TLS/AT-TLS • Overview of IPSec • Overview of Intrusion Detection Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LABS for z/OS V2R2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Implementing SYSLOG Daemon in z/OS • Implementing Policy Agent in z/OS CS • Implementing TRMD • Configuring an AT-TLS Policy for FTP Client and Server on z/OS with z/OS Configuration Assistant in z/OSMF • Analyzing and Creating X.509 Digital Security Certificates • Configuring IPSec Policy for Connections from z/OS to z/OS • Configuring an IDS Policy to Protect z/OS • NOTE: No Kerberos or OpenSSH exercises offered.
Handouts	Lectures in softcopy. Lab booklets in hard copy.
Course Fee	<i>No workshop fee</i>
Expenses	All travel, hotel and living expenses are to be paid by the attendee.
Request for Nomination	<p>Enrollment is <u>By Invitation Only</u> through <u>Linda Harrison</u> (lharriso@us.ibm.com). Only IBM Marketing Representatives and Client Technical Support Representatives are allowed to enroll their invited customers in this workshop if the customer is able to attend the FULL workshop (until 4PM of final day).</p> <p><u>This is a STANDBY course and, as such, all students are initially placed in a PENDED status until notified by the instructor.</u></p>
Nomination and Confirmation Procedures	<p><i>Please ask the appropriate IBM Rep to request your enrollment in this class by sending an email with the Subject line of “z/OS Networking Security” by March 17th (Friday), 5PM EDT to Class Administrator and Sponsor Linda Harrison (lharriso@us.ibm.com).</i></p> <p><i>Qualified students will be removed from PENDED status and receive a follow-up note that confirms their enrollment by March 20, 2017 end of business.</i></p> <p><i>DO NOT BOOK TRAVEL UNTIL YOU ARE CONFIRMED. If class is not full, later nominations can be accepted.</i></p>
Additional Information	<p>Instructors: Linda Harrison of the z/OS Network and Security Team in Gaithersburg, Maryland.</p> <p>Please direct questions about hosting this workshop in your geography to Linda Harrison at: lharriso@us.ibm.com</p>
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