



Gustav Dahl, MSc in Engineering: The Internet and Privacy in a Connected World

How we communicate and transfer information has changed significantly since the dawn of the Internet age. Most people are familiar with how to share information on the Internet through e.g. e-mail, Facebook etc.. However, what is not clear and transparent are the new dangers and concerns that the technology has engendered.

Amongst other topics, this lecture will present how a number of countries have managed to hijack sensitive information. In specific, we will discuss and review Google's surveillance of Firefox users.

Gustav Dahl will answer such questions as:

- How can your data be transferred to China without your knowledge?
- Are you aware which countries your data traversed?
- Why do privacy matter if you believe that you have nothing to hide?

An introduction to personal data protection on the internet will be presented at the end of the lecture.

All information will be presented in a comprehensible way. Hence, people from all background will have no problems understanding the dilemmas and concerns.

The lecture will be presented by Gustav Dahl who holds a Master of Science in Engineering degree from The Technical University of Denmark.

Gustav Dahl has been doing research about Privacy and Technology and is the co-author of an award winning project about Wikileaks. (First Price)

N.B.: The lecture will be held in English

Date: Wednesday the 14th of October 2015 at 18:30.

Location: Svenska kyrkan (Swedish Church's establishment), Kurvenstrasse 1, 8006 Zürich.

Registration: to Anna Kammenhuber no later than Monday the 12th of October 2015: anna.kammenhuber@bluewin.ch or tel: 044 383 53 12. N.B.: The number of participants is limited to 30.

After the lecture it will be possible to have something to eat at a restaurant in close vicinity (at your own expense). Kindly inform if you wish to participate at the restaurant when you register! Guests are as usual welcome to join and pay a fee of CHF 10 to Skandac.

Looking forward to see you! Anna Kammenhuber

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