

MIS 5170

Operating System Security

Week 8

Windows Logging

Tonight's Plan

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- ❑ Questions from Last Week
- ❑ Review on-line posts
- ❑ In The News
- ❑ Logging
- ❑ Assignment 3 Due Mar 24th
- ❑ Next Week
- ❑ Quiz
- ❑ Spring Break

Questions From Last Week

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- ❑ Any Questions from last week?
- ❑ Test 1; review from Blackboard results – Week 7.

Column **Test 1 (Test)** < >

COLUMN DETAILS

Column	Test 1 (Test)
Points Possible	250
Description	

STATISTICS		STATUS DISTRIBUTION		GRADE DISTRIBUTION	
Count	19	Null	0	Greater than 100	0
Minimum Value	190.00	In Progress	0	90 - 100	14
Maximum Value	250.00	Needs Grading	0	80 - 89	4
Range	60.00	Exempt	0	70 - 79	1
Average	231.58			60 - 69	0
Median	230.00			50 - 59	0
Standard Deviation	14.60			40 - 49	0
Variance	213.30			30 - 39	0
				20 - 29	0
				10 - 19	0
				0 - 9	0
				Less than 0	0

Questions From Last Week (cont)

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- Any additional questions?

Review on-line posts

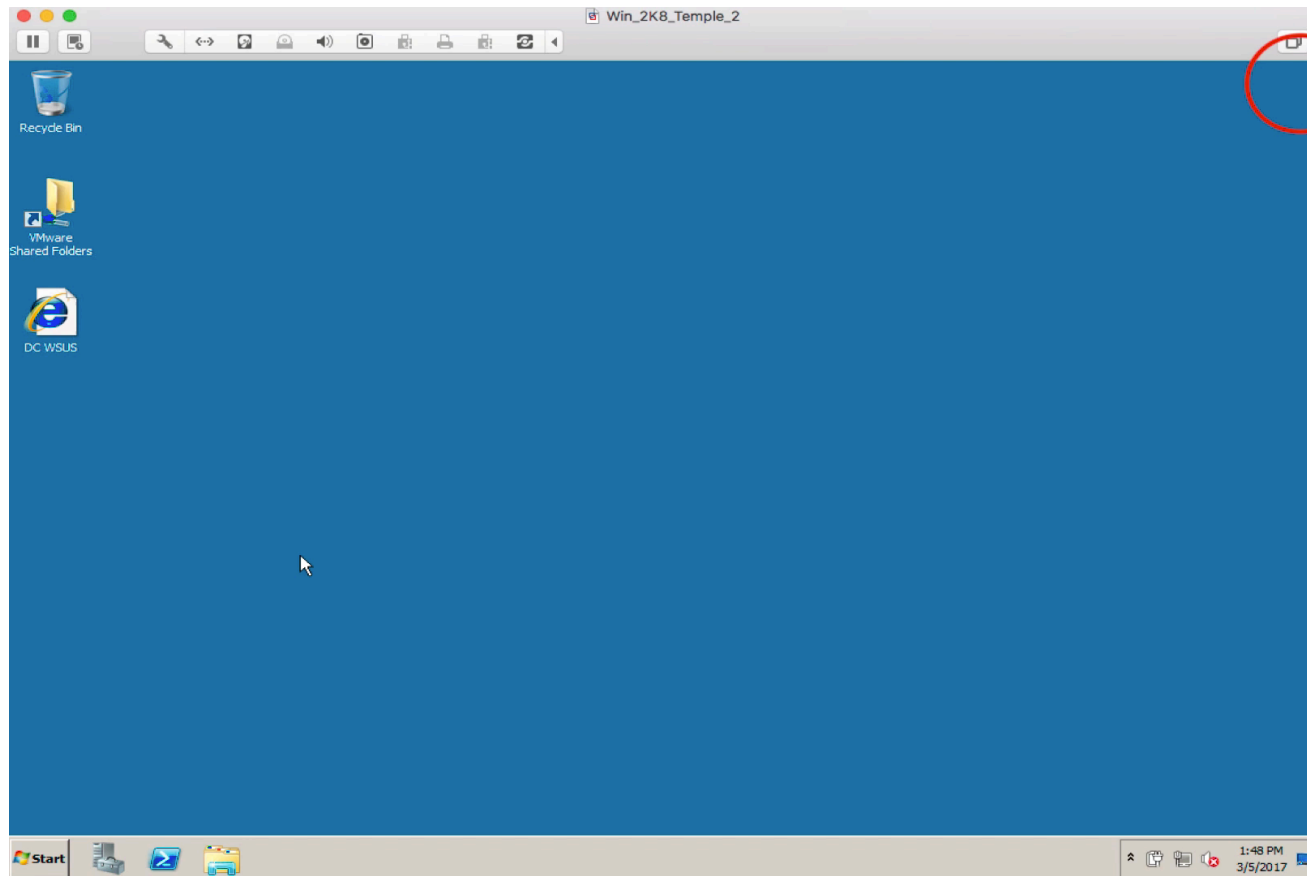
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- Review on-line videos
 - ▣ Install Telnet services on Windows Server
 - ▣ Install Telnet client on Windows Desktop
 - ▣ Enable FW logging on Windows Server
 - ▣ Enable firewall rule for telnet on Windows Server
 - ▣ Trace telnet traffic to Windows Server
 - ▣ Create IPSec Rule
 - ▣ Verify IPSec Rule

Review on-line posts (cont)

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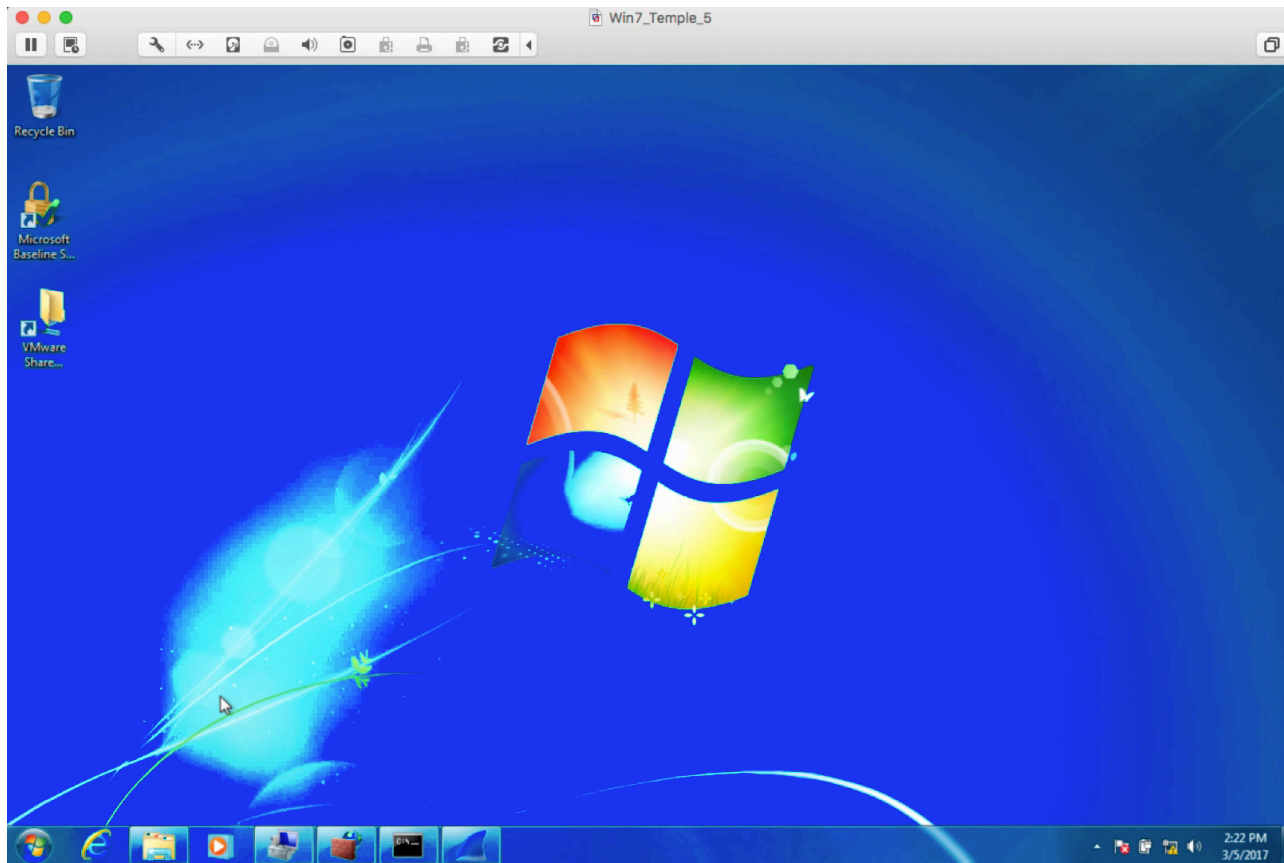
- ❑ Install Telnet services on Windows Server



Review on-line posts (cont)

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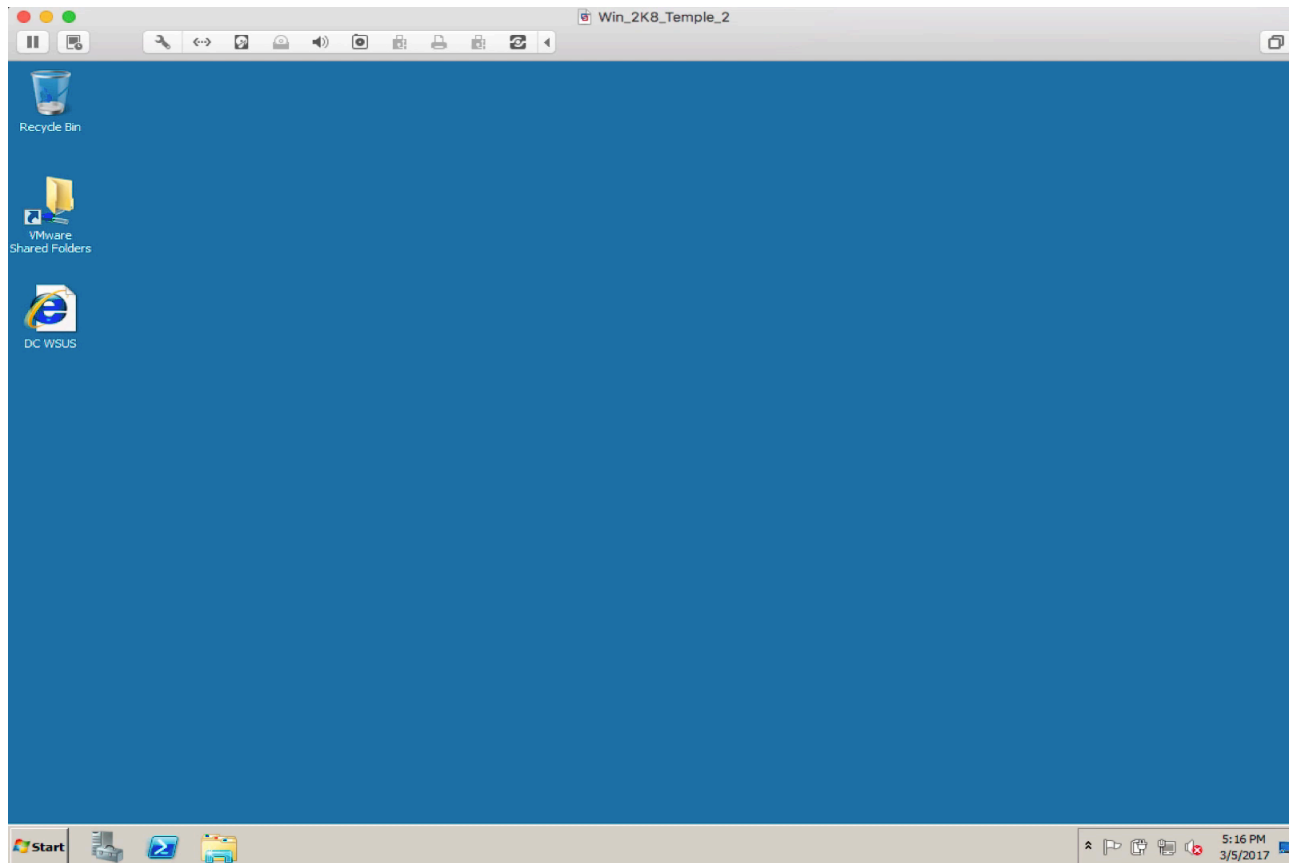
- Install Telnet client on Windows Desktop



Review on-line posts (cont)

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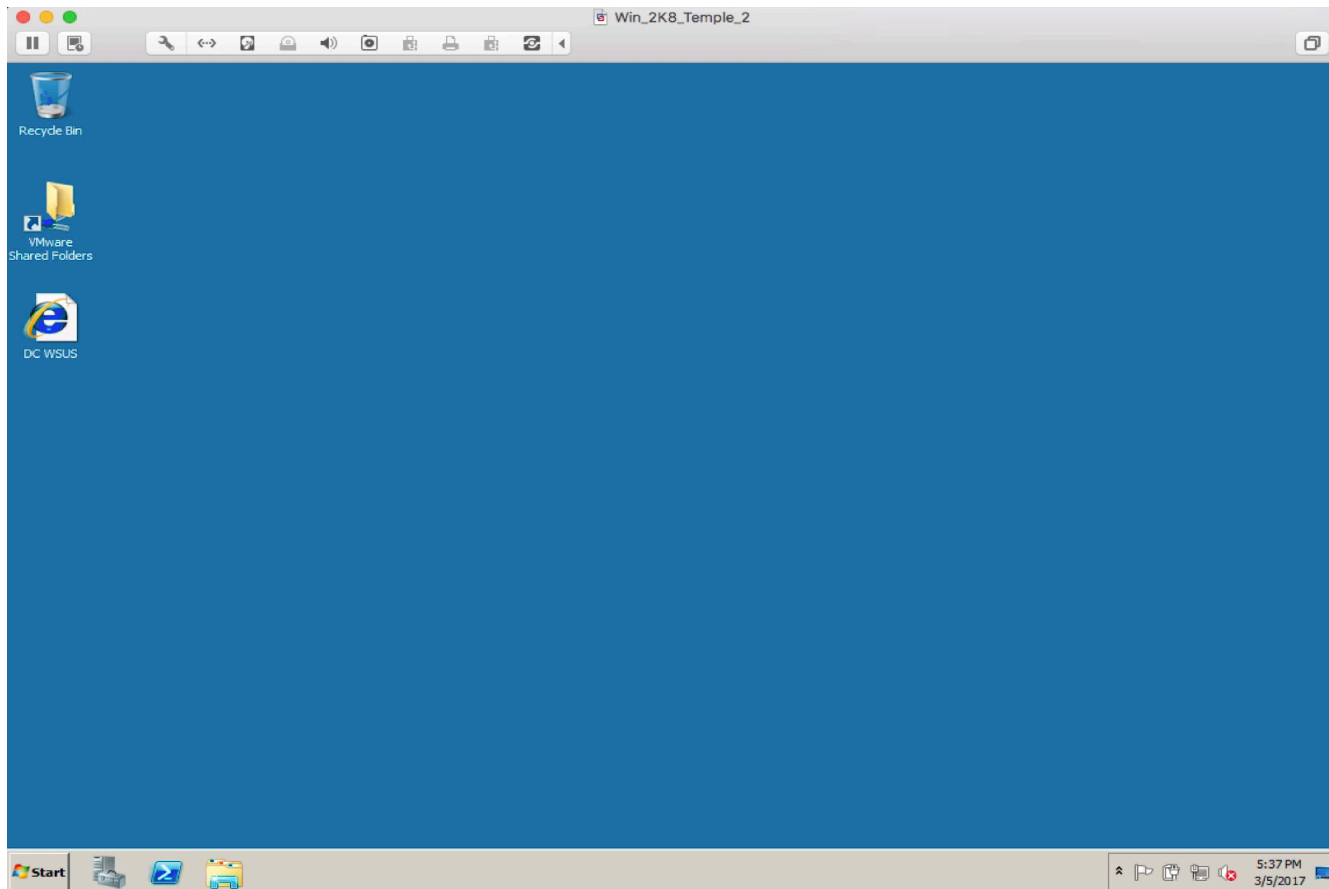
- ❑ Enable FW logging on Windows Server



Review on-line posts (cont)

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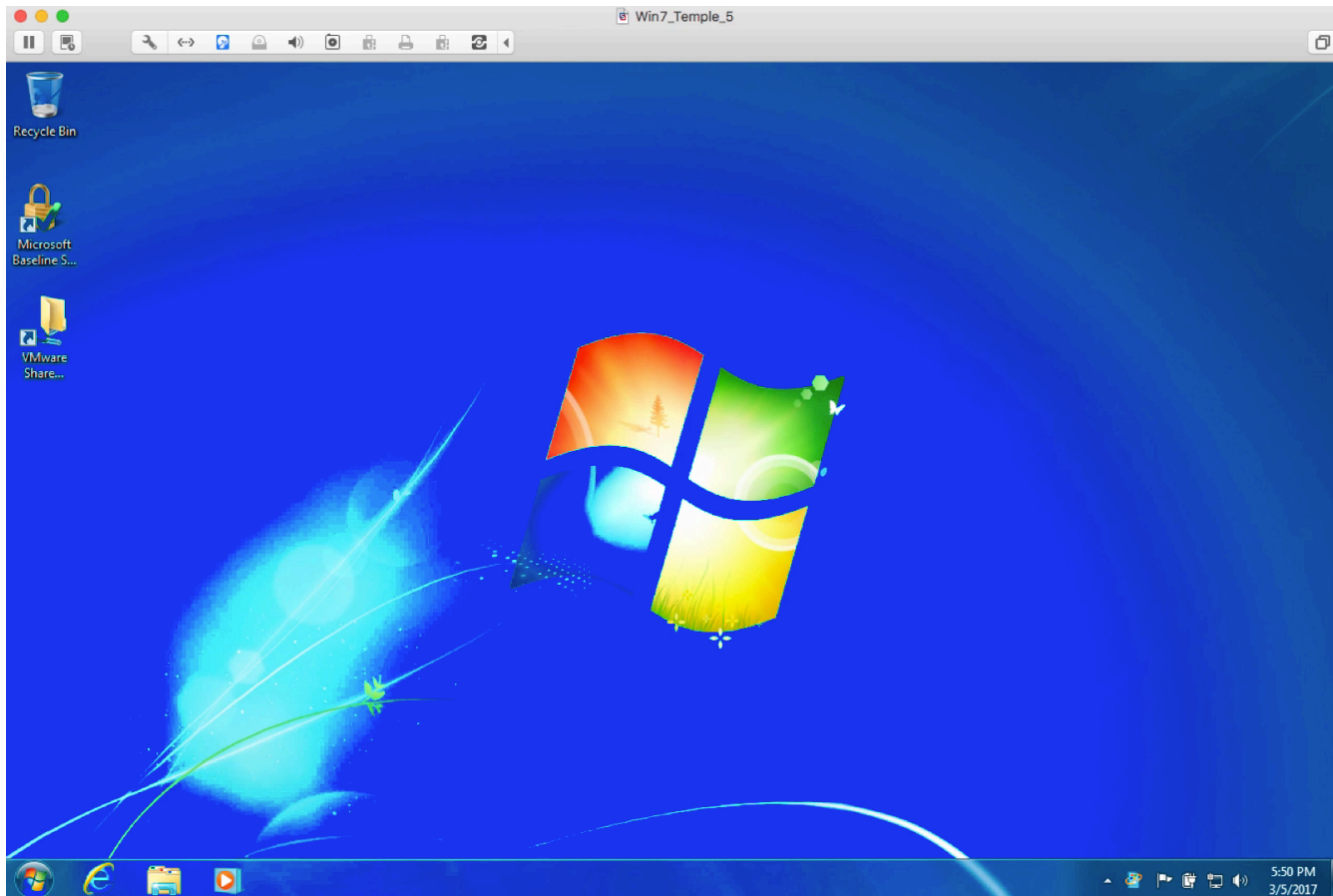
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Review on-line posts (cont)

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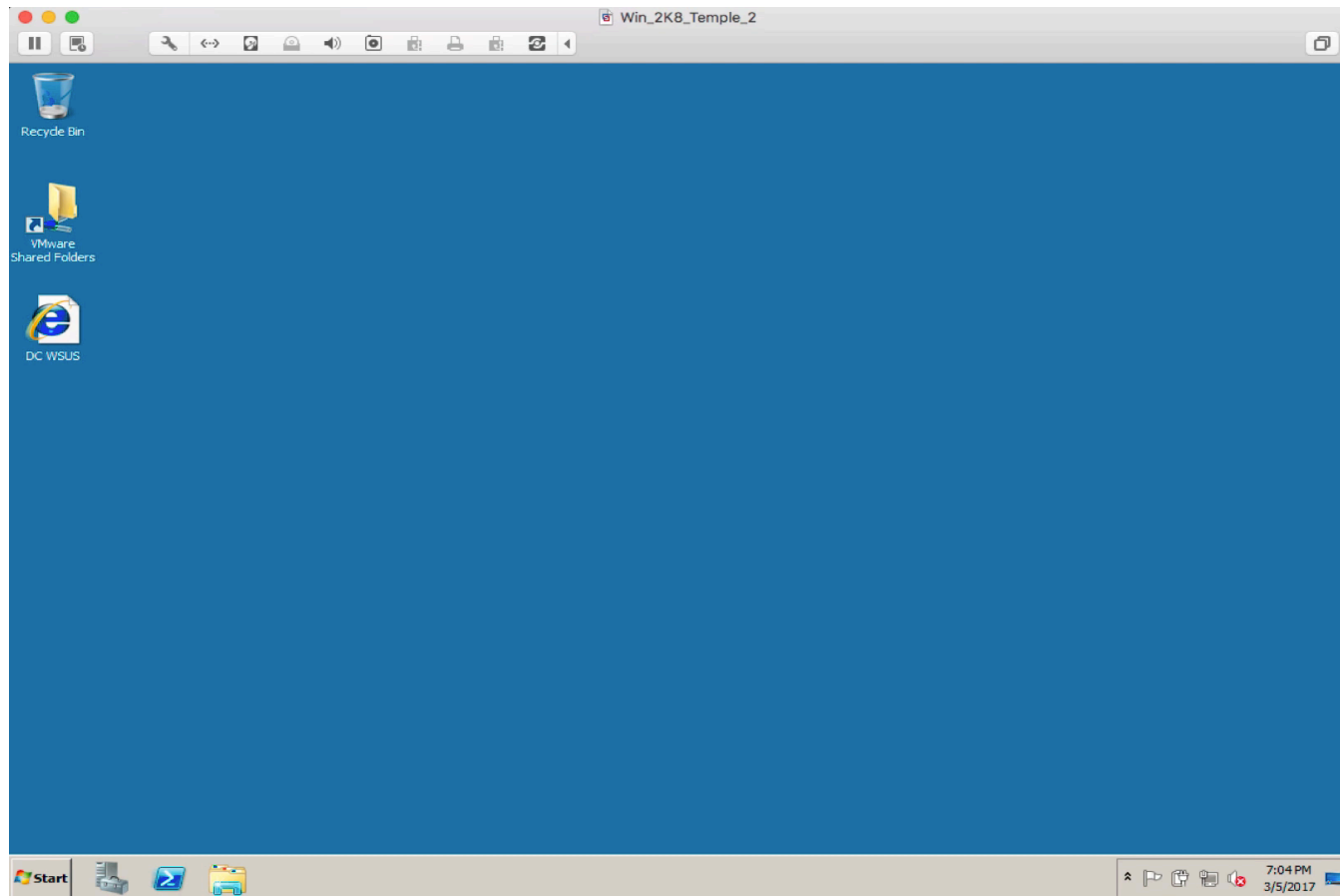
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Review on-line posts (cont)

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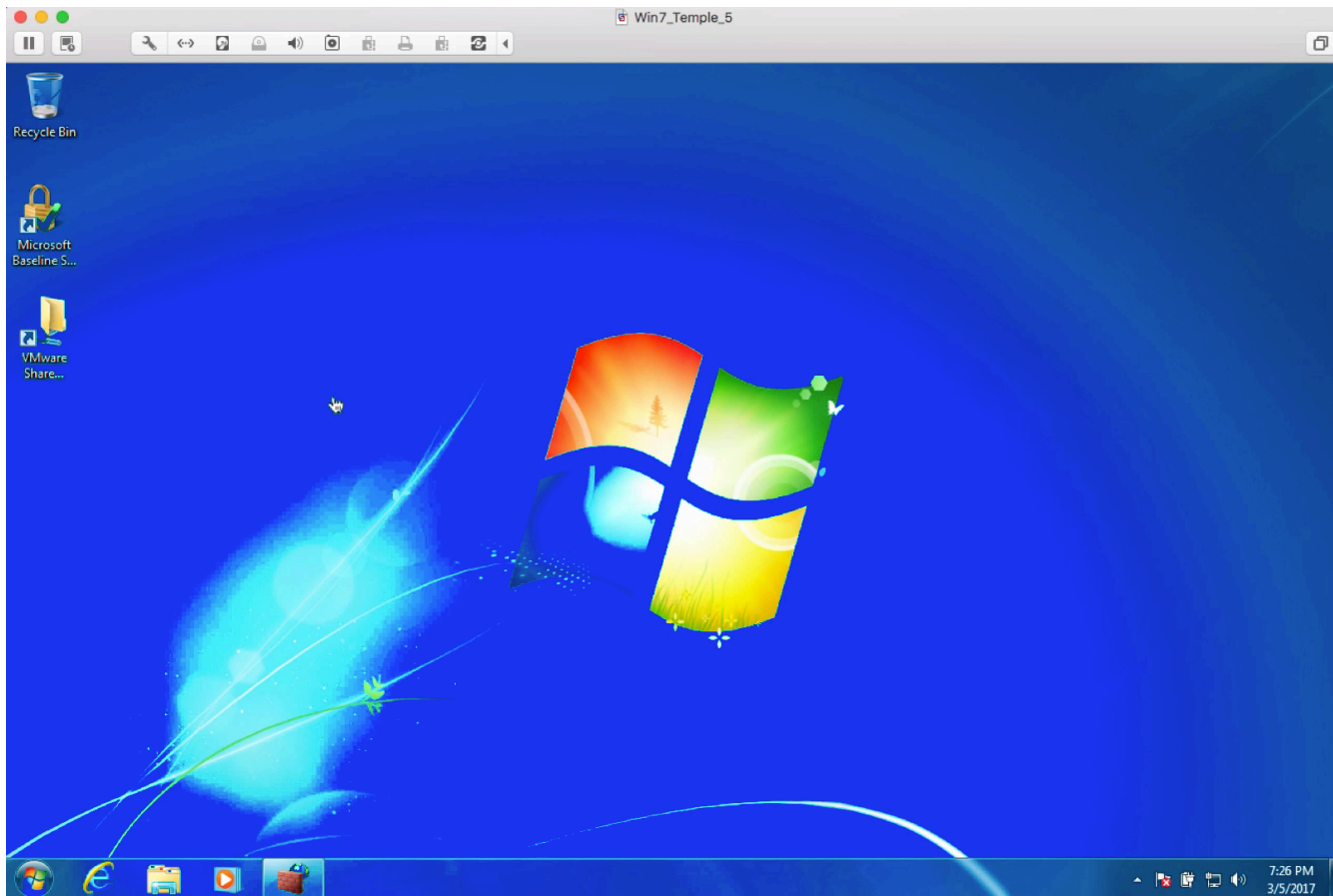
□ Create IPSec Rule



Review on-line posts (cont)

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□ Verify IPSec Rule



In the News

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- Payments Giant Verifone Investigating Breach
 - Verifone's network breach.
 - <https://krebsonsecurity.com/2017/03/payments-giant-verifone-investigating-breach/>



To All Verifone Staff and Contractors:

We are currently investigating an IT control matter in the Verifone environment. As a precaution, we are taking two immediate steps to improve our controls:

1. **Passwords: All employee passwords need to be changed in the next 24 hours.** See Guidance Below. Please make every effort to change your password today. If you do not do so, you will receive a password change notification and will be forced to do so.
2. **Desktop / Laptop Privileges: We will be applying limitations to End User capabilities on desktops / laptops.** These limitations will take away End User's ability to load any additional software onto the device. If you require additional software to be loaded, you will need to contact the IT Service Desk. <https://verifone.force.com/portal/s/IT/>

In the News (cont)

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Password Policy and Guidance

All passwords must:

1. Be at least 12 characters in length
2. Be original and not have been used by you previously;
3. Contain ALL of the following character groups:
 - a. English uppercase characters **A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z**
 - b. English lowercase characters **a b c d e f g h i j k l m n o p q r s t u v w x y z**
 - c. Numerals **0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9**
 - d. Non-alphanumeric characters `` ~ ! @ # $ % ^ & * () _ + - = { } | [] \ : ; " ' < > ? , . /`

Password Guidelines:

- ❑ Ransomware for Dummies: Anyone Can Do It
 - ❑ Fastest growing cybercrime; encrypt your computer and demand payment to get it back.
 - <https://krebsonsecurity.com/2017/03/ransomware-for-dummies-anyone-can-do-it/>

In the News (cont)

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- Pennsylvania Democratic state senators hit with ransomware attack
 - <http://www.techspot.com/news/68391-pennsylvania-democratic-state-senators-hit-ransomware-attack.html>

In the News (cont)

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- ❑ Questions or items anyone has found of interest?

Logging

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- ❑ What is logging?
- ❑ Why is it important?
- ❑ How can it help us secure our operating systems?
- ❑ How do we enable logging on Windows?
- ❑ What do we do with it once it is enabled?

Logging (cont)

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- What is logging?
 - ▣ Logging is 'enabling' in an operating system the function of writing activities to a file or logging facility.
 - In Windows that facility is the 'Event Viewer'
 - They are stored in files under %windir%\system32\winevt\Logs
 - In the format of either .evt or .evtx
 - .evt prior to Windows 2008 & Windows 7
 - You need 'Event Viewer' to read them

Logging (cont)

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- ❑ Why is it important?
 - ❑ Without logs you will not be able to see what is in your environment
 - ❑ Remember you will be attacked and someone will get in
 - Without logs you will not be able to see that attack and foot hold
 - ❑ Prevention is what we all want, but detection is an important part securing our operating systems
 - ❑ Also logging gives us the data on what additional things we need to 'lock down' in our operating systems

Logging (cont)

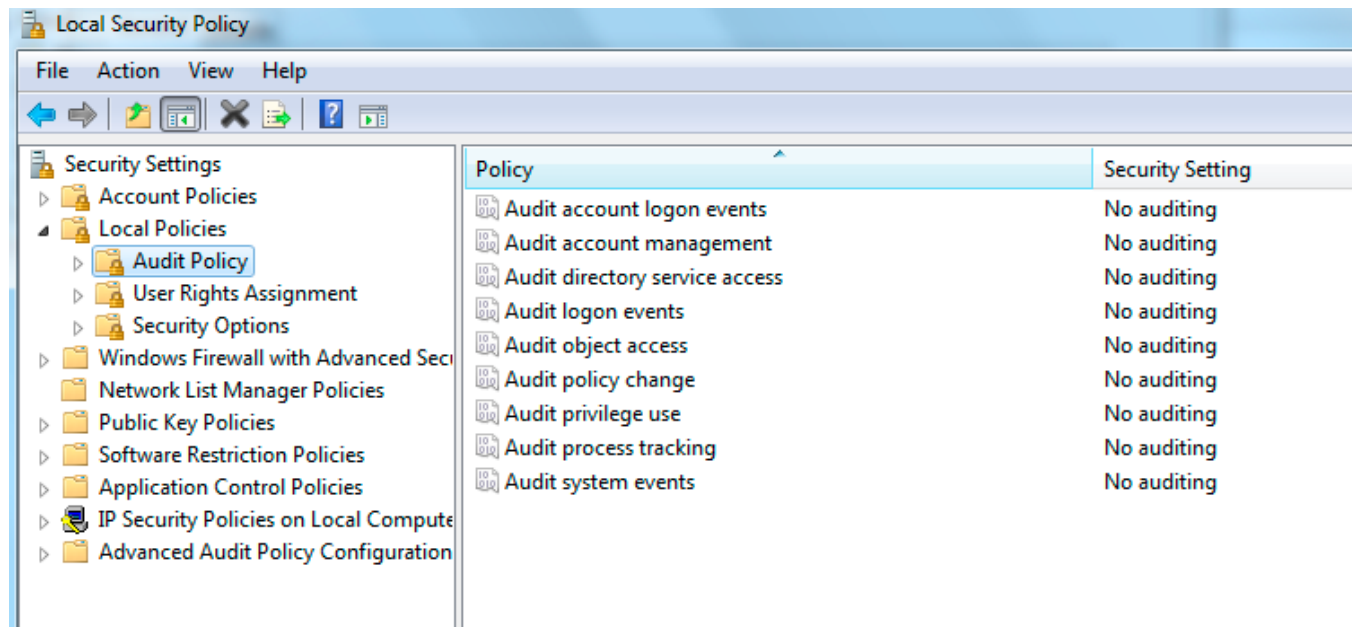
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- How can it help us secure our operating systems?
 - ▣ As the last slide stated:
 - Tells us what items users and process are using to get in
 - Watch the trends and work on the 80%
 - Remove the ways process or users are getting in that are not needed or wanted
 - ▣ Tells us what is going right
 - Failures are those things we have locked down correctly
 - Failures are those things we might not want locked down
 - Remember our Denies in the firewall logs

Logging (cont)

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- ❑ How do we enable logging on Windows?
 - ❑ Local Security Policy
 - ❑ Windows Group Policy



Logging (cont)

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- What do we do with it once it is enabled?
 - ▣ Get it off the box!!!
 - ▣ The main reason you enable logging is to find out if something is going wrong
 - If you don't have the logs because someone deleted them after they got onto your corporate computer. To quote "Does a tree falling in the forest make a sound, if there is no one there to hear it fall?"

Logging (cont)

- ❑ What do we do with it once it is enabled?
- ❑ Get it off the box!!!

■ SNARE:

The screenshot shows the SNARE for Windows Open Source web interface. The browser address bar shows 'localhost:6161/eventlog'. The page title is 'SNARE for Windows Open Source'. On the left, there is a sidebar with navigation links: Latest Events, Network Configuration, Remote Control Configuration, Objectives Configuration, HeartBeat and Agent Log, View Audit Service Status, and Apply the Latest Audit Configuration. Below these are links for Local Users, Domain Users, Local Group Members, Domain Group Members, and Registry Data. The main content area is titled 'Current Events' and contains a table with the following data:

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Thu Mar 09 16:10:10 2017	tem07.TDomain.com	19	7036 (None)	System Service Control Manager	N/A	N/A	Information	The HomeGroup Listener service entered the running state.
Thu Mar 09 16:10:10 2017	tem07.TDomain.com	18	7036 (None)	System Service Control Manager	N/A	N/A	Information	The HomeGroup Provider service entered the running state.
Thu Mar 09 16:10:09 2017	tem07.TDomain.com	17	129 (None)	System Microsoft-Windows-Time-Service	NT AUTHORITY\LOCAL SERVICE	N/A	Warning	NtpClient was unable to set a domain peer to use as a time source because of discovery error. NtpClient will try again in 3473457 minutes and double the reattempt interval thereafter. The error was: The entry is not found. (0x800706E1)
Thu Mar 09 16:09:54 2017	tem07.TDomain.com	16	7036 (None)	System Service Control Manager	N/A	N/A	Information	The TCP/IP NetBIOS Helper service entered the running state.
Thu Mar 09 16:09:52 2017	tem07.TDomain.com	15	4616 (Security State Change)	Security Microsoft-Windows-Security-Auditing	TDOMAIN\TEMI07\$	N/A	Success Audit	The system time was changed. Subject: Security ID: S-1-5-18 Account Name: TEMI07\$ Account Domain: TDOMAIN Logon ID: 0x3e7 Process Information: Process ID: 0x3fc Name: C:\Program Files\VMware\VMware Tools\vmtoolsd.exe Previous Time: 720177-7037-70912:43:20.390715100Z New Time: 720177-7037-70912:09:52.87400000Z This event is generated when the system time is changed. It is normal for the Windows Time Service, which runs with System privilege, to change the system time on a regular basis. Other system time changes may be indicative of attempts to tamper with the computer.
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Logging (cont)

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 - ❑ Get it off the box!!!

The screenshot shows the Splunk Search & Reporting interface. The search bar contains the query: `source="udp:514" index="remote" sourcetype="generic_single_line"`. The search results show 4 events. The selected event is:

i	Time	Event
>	3/9/17 7:41:16.000 AM	tem107.TDomain.com MSWinEventLog 1 System 7 Thu Mar 09 07:41:16 2017 7036 Service Control Manager N/A N/A Information tem107.TDomain.com The Multimedia Class Scheduler service entered the stopped state. 6 host = TEMI07 ; source = udp:514 ; sourcetype = generic_single_line
>	3/9/17 7:36:37.000 AM	tem107.TDomain.com MSWinEventLog 1 System 6 Thu Mar 09 07:36:37 2017 7045 Service Control Manager TDOMAIN\Administrator N/A Information tem107.TDomain.com None A service was installed in the system. Service Name: Mozilla Maintenance Se rvice Service File Name: "C:\Program Files (x86)\Mozilla Maintenance Service\maintenanceservice.exe" Service Type: user mode service Service Start Type: demand start Service Account: LocalSystem 5 host = TEMI07 ; source = udp:514 ; sourcetype = generic_single_line
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Logging (cont)

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 - ❑ Get it off the box!!!
 - ❑ <https://www.gartner.com/document/3406817>

Figure 1. Magic Quadrant for Security Information and Event Management



Logging (cont)

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- Demo

Logging (cont)

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- ❑ Questions?

Assignment 3 Overview

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- ❑ Requirements – Same teams members as before.
 - ❑ A report of the CIS baseline built into a GPO
 - Note: there is a report feature for a GPO to where the setting that have been applied can be exported into a report file; that is the report I'm referring to here.
 - Applied to the same DC Windows 7 pair we have been working from assignment 2.
 - ❑ A video from the team as how this improves our security with faces and voices.
 - ❑ Expand upon the GPO that was created in assignment 2 from 20 settings to what the team feels sufficient to secure Windows 7.
 - ❑ This assignment builds to what is presented to the Pen-Testing class for Assignment 4, so the 4th grade is how well the team does in it's selections from the baseline in assignment 3.
- ❑ Due Date: March 24th 11:59pm
 - ❑ Late assignments have a 10% penalty per week.

Assignment 3 Overview (cont)

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- Questions?

Next Week

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- ❑ Spring Break
- ❑ Questions from previous week
- ❑ Unix/Linux basics
 - ❑ Scripting
 - ❑ Appropriate permissions
 - ❑ Limit services
 - ❑ Shares
- ❑ Assignment 3 (Due Mar 24th)

Quiz

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- We can start the Quiz