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“The Evolution of Ransomware”

Abstract: Ransomware attacks continue to be a major threat to organizations and have become more sophisticated in how they’re executed. Financially motivated criminals are constantly improving tactics to increase profitability. The ever-evolving threat landscape has made it more important than ever to safeguard data from those who wish to access it with malicious intent. Understanding the history and evolution of ransomware is key to taking proactive security measures. This presentation will explore the past, present, and future of the popular malware.

Amanda Jackson is an early career Cybersecurity Engineer at CSC. She holds a MS in Cybersecurity, a MA in Urban Studies, and a BA in Criminology. Prior to transitioning to the cybersecurity industry, Amanda investigated crimes against children and worked on initiatives to reduce youth gun violence in Philadelphia. Her areas of interest include, Vulnerability Management, Incident Response, and Digital Forensics.

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