Call for Papers: Privacy and Security Issues in Social Networks
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We invite you to consider submitting your essays to the special section titled Privacy and Security Issues in Social Networks on any of the following topics:

* Abuse/fraud/misbehavior detection and malware analysis in social networks
* Access control and identity management
* Actors as system and policy administrators
* Awareness of privacy and security issues
* Consequences of the use of real personal information in social networks
* Cybercrime and the use of online social networks
* Data protection inside and across communities
* Delegation and secure collaboration
* Ethics of data collection and social networks
* Screening new hires using social networks: a socio-ethical dilemma
* Global and border-crossing privacy and security management regulations
* Identity versus privacy, security, ethics, culture, civil liberty and anonymity issues
* Legal and regulatory issues related to social networks and social media
* Location-based status updates in social networks
* Management of trust and privacy: reputation, rating and reviews
* Mitigating the privacy risks of social networks
* Modeling trust and reputation in social networks
* Privacy and disclosure in a social networking community
* Privacy and security challenges and mechanisms
* Privacy and security issues in spatio-temporal social networks
* Risk assessment and management
* Secure social-network application development and methodologies
* Secure tagging, bookmarking and annotations
* Social engineering and online social networks
* Social networks and collaborative filtering as a mechanism for social sorting
* Social networks and the online privacy paradox
* Social network phishing
* Trust and reputation management and encouragement
* Ubiquitous social networks: opportunities and challenges for privacy-aware user modelling
* Usability driven security mechanisms

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  2. Glossary
  3. Definition of the Subject
  4. Introduction
  4. Key Points
5. Historical Background
6. Foundations or Main Body (core part of the essay which will include various sections)
7. Illustrative Example(s)
8. Key Applications
9. Future Directions
10. Cross-references
11. Acknowledgments
12. Bibliography or Recommended Reading

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