

Poster Abstracts

Simulating Cryptologic History

Teaching the history of cryptology depends on access to extant devices, not just their documentation and interpretation. Yet the devices that show major steps in the history of cryptology are rare. Replicas, emulators, and simulations are pivotal for the history of cryptology.

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The first volume of the Venetian ciphers written by Agostino Amadi

The secret manuscript of Agostino Amadi contains hundreds of cipher methods and examples. The total manuscript in ten volumes is translated from old Italian into English and published for the first time since 1588. Some examples from the first volume are presented here.

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