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Subject: Security Alert: Highly Critical Update for RealPlayer
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Hello again CNRE,

RealNetworks has announced and patched 5 “highly critical” vulnerabilities in their RealPlayer product. If left unpatched and you visit a maliciously formed website you could lose control of your computer. I realize that this is not a very predominant player in our college but I do know that at least a few of you have it installed. **If you are a user of their product or even just have it installed then I highly recommend either uninstalling it or updating it as soon as possible.** It can be uninstalled from the “Add or Remove Programs” “Control Panel” applet in Windows XP or the “Programs and Features” “Control Panel” applet in Windows 7 or it can be updated by going to www.realplayer.com. I don’t have RealPlayer installed on any of my computers but if I remember right if you have it installed you should have a program group with “Real” in the name under the “Start” menu or you could look in the appropriate “Control Panel” applet listed previously to see if it’s listed. Thanks. Lon.

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