

Network Security
Permission Form Example
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This is an example of the elements of permission form a network tester must have approved/signed before beginning any tests.

Name: *This is the spot for your name.*

Test to be performed: *What test are you planning to perform? Are you capturing packets? Are you testing firewall ports? What is your plan? How will you insure systems outside your testing scope are not impacted by your testing?*

Scope of the test to be performed: *What machines/systems will be tested? You must list the entire IP subnet range involved in the test. In some cases, you will need to list both IPv4 and IPv6 ranges. You may also list the systems by name to be tested. You absolutely may not test anything that you do not list.*

Location: *Identify the physical location of the testing. Campus locations only need the building and room number information. Off campus locations need an address.*

Date/Time of testing: *When will you test and for how long? You may not have a test any longer than 3 hours for Mr. Preuss.*

Your contact information during the test: *If something goes wrong during the test, how do we contact you? You need at least one contact method for the labs, in practice you will need at least two methods on different bands.*

Signature/Authorization: *You must have authorization before beginning the test. If you don't, you risk the lab section not being accepted, being fired, or going to jail.*