Record Nr. UNINA9910298970303321 Autore Petritsch Helmut Titolo Break-Glass: Handling Exceptional Situations in Access Control / / by Helmut Petritsch Wiesbaden:,: Springer Fachmedien Wiesbaden:,: Imprint: Springer Pubbl/distr/stampa Vieweg, , 2014 **ISBN** 3-658-07365-9 Edizione [1st ed. 2014.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (224 p.) 004 Disciplina 004.6 005.1 006 Soggetti Software engineering Artificial intelligence Computer organization Software Engineering/Programming and Operating Systems Artificial Intelligence Computer Systems Organization and Communication Networks Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references. Nota di contenuto Introduction -- Background -- A Generic Break-Glass Model -- Policy Denition: Pre-Access -- User Information: At-Access -- Analysis: Post-Access -- Implementation -- Related Work -- Evaluation --Discussion and Conclusion. Sommario/riassunto Helmut Petritsch describes the first holistic approach to Break-Glass which covers the whole life-cycle: from access control modeling (preaccess), to logging the security-relevant system state during Break-Glass accesses (at-access), and the automated analysis of Break-Glass accesses (post-access). Break-Glass allows users to override security

restrictions in exceptional situations. While several Break-Glass models specific to given access control models have already been discussed in

research (e.g., extending RBAC with Break-Glass), the author introduces a generic Break-Glass model. The presented model is generic both in the sense that it allows to model existing Break-Glass

approaches and that it is independent of the underlying access control model. Contents Generic Break-Glass model and Break-Glass lifecycle Policy definition: pre-access User information, recording the system state: at-access Analysis: post-access Target Groups Researchers and students in the field of computer science and access control, as well as scholars applying the concept of emergency access, e.g., in medical care Application developers with demanding requirements regarding the access control system, e.g., using XACML; application architects for systems implementing emergency access About the Author Helmut Petritsch is currently working as developer of enterprise software at a German multinational company.