Record Nr. UNINA9910741170003321 Autore Maurushat Alana Titolo Disclosure of Security Vulnerabilities [[electronic resource]]: Legal and Ethical Issues / / by Alana Maurushat London:,: Springer London:,: Imprint: Springer,, 2013 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-4471-5004-X Edizione [1st ed. 2013.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (127 p.) Collana SpringerBriefs in Cybersecurity, , 2193-973X Disciplina 344.647 Soggetti Computers Law and legislation Mass media Law Legal Aspects of Computing IT Law, Media Law, Intellectual Property 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 Foreword -- Introduction -- Types of Disclosure -- Methods of Discovering Security Vulnerabilities -- Criminal Offences: Unauthorised Access, Modification or Interference Comprovisions -- Other Legal and Ethical Issues -- Conclusion -- Glossary of Terms -- Appendix: Comparative Tables. Sommario/riassunto Much debate has been given as to whether computer security is improved through the full disclosure of security vulnerabilities versus keeping the problems private and unspoken. Although there is still tension between those who feel strongly about the subject, a middle ground of responsible disclosure seems to have emerged. Unfortunately, just as we've moved into an era with more responsible disclosure, it would seem that a market has emerged for security vulnerabilities and zero day exploits. Disclosure of Security Vulnerabilities: Legal and Ethical Issues considers both the ethical and

legal issues involved with the disclosure of vulnerabilities and explores

the ways in which law might respond to these challenges.