

# Cyber-SHIP: Developing Next Generation Maritime Cyber Research Capabilities

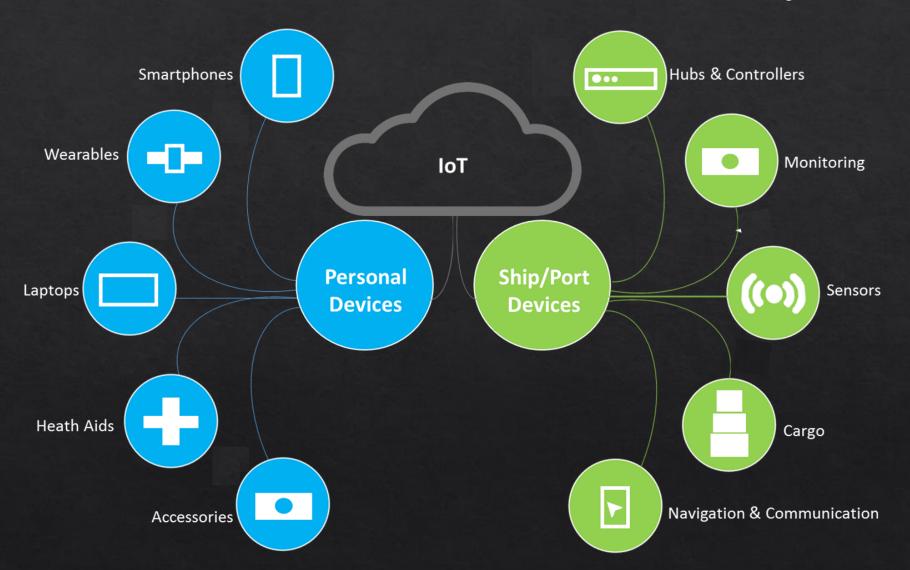
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# More Devices and Connectivity





## Maritime-Cyber Research Challenges

- Risk assessment/management of maritime cyber threats (cyber, and cyber-physical)
- ♦ Find/fix vulnerabilities from hardware, software, and human-computer interactions
- Work with stakeholders to improve resiliency and cyber-safety of individual systems
- Analyse the cybersecurity of a collection of bridge systems (System-of-Systems), connected in real world configurations
- ♦ Discover maritime-cyber threats that can be used to educate future mariners and Navies
- Determine future cyber threats to assets, economy, human lives, and environment.

### Next generation research capabilities are needed.

# Simulation vs Emulation Vs Live systems







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	Simulation	Emulation	Live Systems
ve	<ul> <li>Quick to develop</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>More realistic</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Entierly realistic for</li> </ul>
Positive	• Cheaper	<ul> <li>Repeatable</li> </ul>	training & research
Po	<ul> <li>Training tools</li> </ul>	Experiments	
e	<ul> <li>Limited by</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Costly</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Real world</li> </ul>
Negative	conceptual model	<ul> <li>Not entirely realistic</li> </ul>	consequences can be
eg			costly

# Cyber-SHIP Lab at Plymouth (Software, Hardware, Information and Protection)

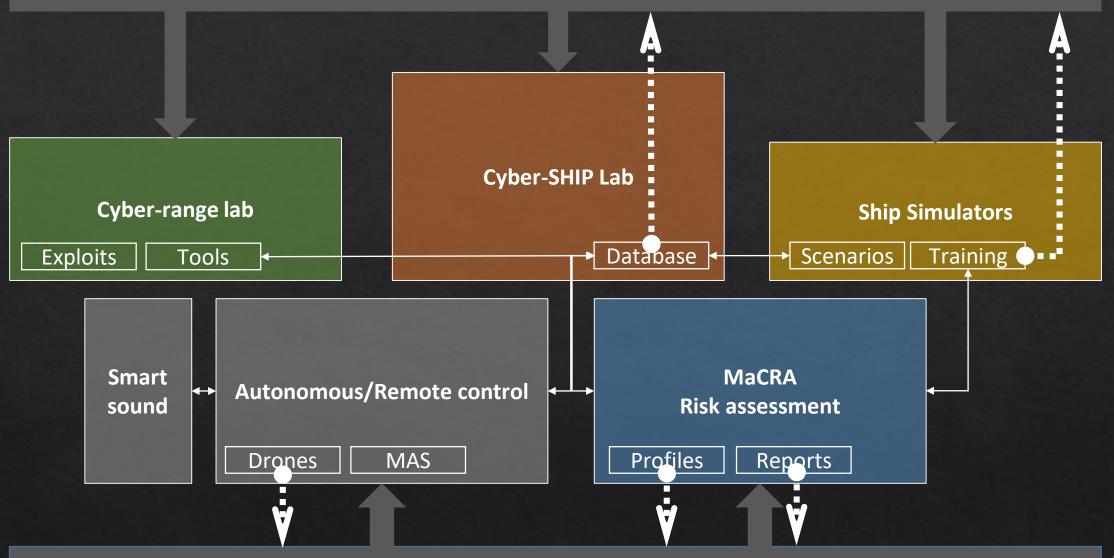
Join with or growing community of Maritime stakeholders that includes Ship Builders, Operators, Equipment Manufacturers, Class Societies and Insurers to:

- Make use of our specialist facilities for equipment ruggedization
- Partner with differing aspects of the value chain for collaborative projects
- Engage with all aspects of the Maritime sector to shape the future research agenda and influence policy





#### Companies, Government, Military, Academia





## Research Aims

#### Awareness/Body of Knowledge

- ♦ Who are the attackers & targets?
- ♦ What is the current security landscape?

#### **Vulnerability and Risk Analysis**

- ♦ Individual systems
- ♦ Ship/Fleet/Port (infrastructure) security
- Supply Chain
- ♦ Future technology (Autonomy, IoT, augmented reality)

#### Maritime Cyber-Security Training, Certification

♦ Regional & International

#### Maritime Cyber-Security Policy, Insurance, and Law

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Malware/Intrusion detection and defences/mitigation



Security Lab / Cyber Range

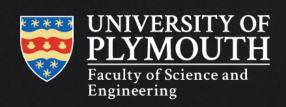


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## Related Projects

#### **Proposal Title: Cyber-MAR**

- State of the art analysis regarding simulation environments based on Cyber-ranges
- OT real/virtual coupling
- Cyber-range for Intrusion Detection and Prevention
- Piloting networked Cyber-ranges and interoperability
- Data analytics and intelligence extraction
- Situational awareness and knowledge platform





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#### Maritime Cyber Threats research group

Investigating marine cyber threats and researching solutions

#### Overview

As a Tier1 National UK threat, a maritime cyber-attack can cost companies. millions of pounds.

As the world heavily depends on maritime operations, we at the University of Plymouth have been researching maritime cyber-threats as few organisations have the capability, connections and facilities to do so.

This group is uniquely placed to make significant contributions in maritime cybersecurity and brings together leading-edge multidisciplinary research and practical expertise from across the University and beyond.



#### Current project opportunities

We continuously engage in discussions and collaborative research with academia, government, and industry in areas related to maritime cyber-threats. We have access to the University ship simulators, and the team is in active collaboration to secure the Mayflower Autonomous Ship project and creating relevant maritime-security training.

Help us by taking this survey on maritime cyber [open until March 2019]

Join us in creating the Cyber-SHIP Lab

CyMar'19 [details to come]

#### Research objectives

- · Compiling a body of knowledge for maritime cyber-threats.
- Vulnerability and risk analysis for existing ship-based systems (IT&OT).
- · Threat assessment for ship operations and human decision making.
- · Supply chain vulnerability for maritime operations.
- · Cyber-security for autonomous vessels, ports, and offshore structures.
- · Process and training to protect mariners and ships against cyber-attacks.
- Understanding psychological perceptions of, and responses to, threats.
- Develop effective recovery strategies in the event of an attack.
- Analyse ship-to-port cyber and cyber-physical interactions.

#### Recent publications, talks, and news\*

Tam K, Jones K. MaCRA: A Model-Based Framework for Maritime Cyber-Risk Assessment, Technical Report, WMU Journal of Maritime Affairs, Jan 2019 [AM]

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CvMar 2018 London 2 November 2018

Tam K, Jones K. Maritime cybersecurity policy: the scope and impact of evolving technology on international shipping [AM]. Journal of Cyber Policy, Accepted 3 Aug 2018, Published online: 29 Aug 2018

### Thank You



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