Are your secrets safe? From Cesar to WhatsApp

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We use cryptography every day. Thousands of times. Once foreach WhatsApp message we send, for instance. How does it help us keepour conversations confidential? In this talk, we will quickly reviewsome historical ciphers, and we will introduce the state-of-the-artcrypto problem: the discrete log problem over elliptic curves. Also, I will show how to hack WhatsApp. Don't do this at home.





