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### Bio

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Alex Stamos is a Lecturer in Computer Science and International Relations and teaches CS152 - Trust and Safety and INTPOL 268 - Intro to Cybersecurity. He has had a long career in the cybersecurity field, founding two companies (iSEC Partners and the Krebs Stamos Group) and serving as the Chief Security Officer of Yahoo, Facebook and SentinelOne. Between his CSO roles he founded the Stanford Internet Observatory, which conducted some of the first research on AI and child safety, created the first collegiate trust and safety computer-science course, and founded the Journal of Online Trust and Safety and the Stanford Trust and Safety Research Conference.

Alex has spoken at the Munich Security Conference, NATO CyCon, DEF CON, Berkeley Data Edge, Blue Hat, CanSecWest, and keynoted USENIX Security, Web Summit and Black Hat and was a member of the DHS Cybersecurity Advisory Council, the Annan Commission on Elections and Democracy and the Aspen Commission on Information Disorder. He is a member of the Aspen Institute's Cyber Security Task Force, the Bay Area CSO Council and the Council on Foreign Relations. Alex also served on the advisory board to NATO's Collective Cybersecurity Center of Excellence in Tallinn, Estonia.

Stamos has a BS in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science from the University of California, Berkeley. He lives in the Bay Area with his wife and children.