XCSSA GPG Key Signing Roster & Verification (take this home for your signing use) v2008-03-17

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Instructions for After the Keysigning Party

Following the party, you'll need to return home with these two sheets to actually sign the other people's keys. Different distros and mail clients have automation tools to make this critical step easier, however we're going to keep it simple and do it by hand. It's a little bit more manual, but it will give you a better understanding of what's actually going on when you DL, sign, and re-upload someone's key(s).

Overview of "doing the signing" from home:

- 1. Participants go home and retrieve the public keys of all key signing participants by fetching individual keys from public key servers.
- 2. Participants work through their "Keysigning Roster Sheet", only downloading the keys that have a check for both the "Verbal" and "Visual" checkoff on the roster. Next, each downloaded key's fingerprint will be compared against the fingerprint on the roster, and will sign each key (details in HOWTO below).
- 3. Participants then upload each public key they've signed back up to the same public keyserver, and optionally email the signed person a GPG signed email so that the recipient can test/verify when the two way trust is established (the mail client, once configured for GPG use, will display the level of signature trust).
- 4. Throughout the process, each participant is probably going to re-synchronize with the keyserver several times. Each time synch with the keyserver, they should see more and more signatures appear on their own key as others sign theirs, thus extending the "web of trust".

XCSSA Basic Command Line Signing HowTo:

- 1. Find the key ID on the roster sheet (last 8 of the fingerprint) for the key you're about to check & sign. For tweeks' key (for example), it would be "750152F1" from the roster sheet.
- 2. Fetch the public key using the key ID. If you're running GnuPG on the command line, you can do this by typing

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$ qpg --keyserver keyserver.ubuntu.com --recv-keys <KeyID>
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(where KeyID is obviously the ID of the key you want, no spaces).

3. Check that the fingerprint of the key you've just fetched matches the fingerprint on the slip of paper: run

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$ gpg --fingerprint <KeyID>
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and compare it with the hard copy roster in front of you.

4. If the fingerprints match (screen & roster) and the person showed you sufficient ID (Verbal check and Visual ID from roster), only then should you do the actual 'signing' part of the process:

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$ gpg --sign-key <KeyID>
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answering the questions that it asks.

5. Next you need to re-upload the signed copy of their key back to the keyserver:

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$ gpg --keyserver keyserver.ubuntu.com --send-key <Key_ID>
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You should get back something like 'gpg: sending key <Key_ID> to hkp server keyserver.ubuntu.com'