

CRYPTOPARTY

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24TH, 1-3 PM

ENCUENTRO 5

9 HAMILTON ST. APT. 2A, BOSTON

**You wouldn't let anyone snoop through your mailbox,
protect your email from prying eyes, too!**

What to bring: your laptop

The goal of this workshop is to help everyone install and learn how to use a piece of software called PGP (Pretty Good Privacy). When used properly, PGP will help protect your email from anyone attempting to intercept that data. We will have online privacy experts available to help you through every step of the process from installation to creating and sharing encryption keys and sending your first encrypted email, and to answer any other questions you have about protecting your data.

Why protect your email?

Think about all of the sensitive material that winds up in your inbox every day. You may get online banking statements, sensitive personal correspondence, even information from your employer that would be illegal for others to see! Since so much of our lives happen online now, we all need to be more mindful of our online security. Just like you wouldn't let your neighbors look at your electric bill, you need to protect that data when it's in an email.

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