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BECOME PART OF THE COMMUNITY TO DESIGN, DEVELOP

CIRCL / TEAM MISP PROJECT

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-Code of Conduct

- The MISP project has a Contributor Covenant Code of Conduct¹.
- The goal of the code of conduct is to foster an **open, fun and** welcoming environment.
- Another important aspect of the MISP projects is to welcome different areas of expertise in information sharing and analysis. The **diversity of the MISP community** is important to make the project useful for everyone.

https://github.com/MISP/MISP/code of conduct.md

## REPORTING A BUG, AN ISSUE OR SUGGESTING FEATURES

- The most common way to contribute to the MISP project is to report a bug, issues or suggesting features.
- Each project (MISP core, misp-modules, misp-book, misp-taxonomies, misp-galaxy, misp-object or PyMISP) has their own issue management.
- Don't forget that you can **cross-reference issues** from other sub-projects.
- If you know an answer or could help on a specific issue, we welcome all contributions including useful comments to reach a resolution.

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#### REPORTING SECURITY VULNERABILITIES

- If you find security vulnerabilities (even minor ones) in MISP project, send an encrypted email (info@circl.lu) with the details and especially how to reproduce the issues. Avoid to share publicly the vulnerability before a fix is available in MISP. PGP key fingerprint: CA57 2205 COO2 4E06 BA70 BE89 EAAD CFFC 22BD 4CD5.
- We usually fix reported and confirmed security vulnerabilities in less than 48 hours.
- We will request a CVE number if the reporters didn't ask for one (don't forget to mention how you want to be credited).

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#### **AUTOMATIC INTEGRATION AND TESTING**

- The majority of the repositories within the MISP GitHub organisation includes automatic integration via Github Actions.
- If you contribute and make a pull-request, verify if your changes affect the result of the tests.
- Automatic integration is not perfect including Travis but it's a quick win to catch new bugs or major issues in contribution.
- When you do a pull-request, the CI suite is automatically called<sup>2</sup>.
  - ► If this fails, no worries, review the output at Github actions (it's not always you).
- We are working on additional automatic tests including security testing for the MISP core software (contributors are welcome).

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>https://github.com/MISP/MISP/actions

# JSON VALIDATION FOR MISP LIBRARIES

- All JSON format (galaxy, taxonomies, objects or warning-lists) are described in a JSON Schema<sup>3</sup>.
- The TravisCI tests are including JSON validation (via *jq*) and validated with the associated JSON schema.
- How to contribute a JSON library (objects, taxonomies, galaxy or warning-list):
  - ► If you update a JSON library, don't forget to run jq\_all\_the\_things.sh. It's fast and easy. If it fails, review your ISON.
  - ► Commit your code and make a pull-request.
- Documentations (in PDF and HTML format) for the librairies are automatically generated from the JSON via asciidoctor<sup>4</sup>.

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<sup>&</sup>quot;example https://github.com/MISP/misp-galaxy/blob/master/
tools/adoc galaxy.py

#### DOCUMENTATION

- In addition to the automatic generation of documentations from JSON files, we maintain **misp-book**<sup>5</sup> which is a generic documentation for MISP including usage, API documentation, best practices and specific configuration settings.
- The book is generated in HTML, PDF, epub and mobi using GitBook<sup>6</sup> which is a framework to write documentation in MarkDown format.
- TravisCI is included in misp-book and the book generation is tested at each commit.
- The MISP book is regularly published on misp-project.org and circl.lu website.
- Contributors are welcome especially for new topics<sup>7</sup> and also fixing our broken english.

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-Documentation

<sup>5</sup>https://github.com/MISP/misp-book

<sup>6</sup>https://github.com/GitbookIO

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup>Topics of interest are analysts best-practices,

### INTERNET-DRAFT - IETF FOR MISP FORMATS

- If you want to contribute to our IETF Internet-Draft for the MISP standard, misp-rfc<sup>8</sup> is the repository where to contribute.
- **Update only the markdown file**, the XML and ASCII for the IETF I-D are automatically generated.
- If a major release or updates happen in the format, we will publish the I-D to the IETF<sup>9</sup>.
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