

Defcon+Bsidies Debrief

Plus other talks

Overview

- BSides Las Vegas
- Defcon 25
- Other Talks

BSides Las Vegas



BSides Tips

- Get there early if your wanting free tickets
 - Staying at Tuscany/Hotel is even smarter
- Head to the hotel the day before at night, there are a bunch of organisers already drinking :)
- The Pool Party is epic fun
- There is a lot of Blackhat Events/Parties, you can also run over to wherever it is
 - TLDR Free Alcohol+Food
- There are so many streams, figure out what you want to see/ what is unrecorded
- Vendor Area: Get in ASAP and steal everything

BSides Streams

- Common Ground
 - General Security
- Breaking Ground
 - New Research
- Ground Truth
 - Data Science
- Hire Ground
 - Career Focused
- I Am The Cavalry
 - Discussions on Infosec (eg Panels and Round Tables)
- Ground1234!
 - Passwords Track
- Proving Ground
 - New Speakers
- Underground
 - NOT RECORDED

Playlist and Videos

- BSLV17_D1_GroundTruth
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xhnjD6AW_Cg&list=PLjpllpOLoRNSEIRhj-QXn-M10ld9gLjO2
- BSLV17_D2_GroundTruth
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sK_XkBx3cTs&list=PLjpllpOLoRNQ8ZwXqrlUMLUbi6Qd2rl26
- BSLV17_D1_CommonGround
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mtDslhzkRnc&list=PLjpllpOLoRNSaJIHQTxpH4ly6BefaH4hp>
- BSLV17_D2_CommonGround
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CF2RrpzhRuE&list=PLjpllpOLoRNQxZXPxPUzBkzU5m0iZkPG_
- BSLV17_D1_HireGround
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bfaMaznbhCw&list=PLjpllpOLoRNQU2TACUTt_NjcjaXqwjiKx
- BSLV17_D2_HireGround
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QpyT5supwZY&list=PLjpllpOLoRNTgfc8BbgvaMRlgFh8Ypaa2>

- BSLV17_D1_Ground1234!
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mmcmKI2CK4g&list=PLjpllpOLoRNSaex9PzFGlySMBnOhPYT33>
- BSLV17_D2_Ground1234!
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CqwbCxP7MC0&list=PLjpllpOLoRNR5rbe9x-g_ZPeBAUZ_4Eaa
- BSLV17_D2_BreakingGround
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=APHlvFaUEKE&list=PLjpllpOLoRNRf4qID4oeAUvhkSGfWRAnd>
- BSLV17_D2_ProvingGround
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rAeuJQueng&list=PLjpllpOLoRNSAFQjjU-jpo-WAr9ywOn8G>
- BSLV17_D2_I_Am_The_Cavalry
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=F095VJ7UReY&list=PLjpllpOLoRNTU4r_pd0dSYzFBnENGMTvo

Playlist and Videos

However, there are more videos, but they haven't been playlisted by bsides so dont forget to check out the channel!

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCpNGmljppAJbTIA5Msms1Pw>

Recommended Talks

Breaking Ground

BG - The Black Art of Wireless Post-Exploitation: Bypassing Port-Based Access Controls Using Indirect Wireless Pivots - Gabriel Ryan

BG - Microservices And FaaS For Offensive Security - Ryan Baxendale

BG - Writing Malware Without Writing Code - Gal Bitensky

Ground 1234!

G1234! - Protecting Windows Credentials: An Excessive Guide for Security Professionals - Mark Burnett

G1234! - Password Cracking 201: Beyond the Basics - Royce Williams Ground1234!

Recommended Talks - Underground

- Navigating The Alternative Facts of Malware Prevention
 - How To Measure your best vendor
 - Next Gen Antivirus/ Endpoint Management
 - CISCO Talos Came Out ontop
 - You need to measure
 - Cost
 - Vendor Support
 - API
 - Treat it like a research paper; technical debt is REAL
- Skip Tracing For fun and profit
 - Best talk, a 3 letter agent talked about his techniques to track down unsavory types
 - Book: How to Disappear: Erase Your Digital Footprint, Leave False Trails, And Vanish Without A Trace
 - Example:
 - Criminal, bragging and proud of his crimes, caught via MMO
 - Pedo, actually doing skip tracking properly, was desperate for money, baited him into a job app that was made for him

Recommended Talks Underground

- /.git/ing All Your Data
 - Websites leave a /.git directory in root
 - Go find it!
 - <https://github.com/securitybites/gettingResponsive>
- I Scanned for NSA Compromised Firewalls
 - Looking at Leaked NSA docs and trying to figure out what is epicbanana

Legends



Luke Cusack
@lj_cusack

First in line for @BSidesLV @ 4am



9:06 PM - 25 Jul 2017

3 Retweets 22 Likes



DEFCON 25

AKA I PARTIED TOO HARD AND DIDN'T GET UP EARLY FOR LINECON

Defcon is really big

- 4 Days of Con
- 4 Main Tracks
- 15 Villages (or so)
- Contests
- CTFs
- Scavenger Hunts
- Vendor Area
- Demo Labs
- #badgelife
- MISC MISCHIEF AND ANTICS

Vendors & Swag

- Useful if you haven't bought stuff in a while
 - Lots of wireless and lockpicking gear
 - Some books from No Starch press
 - Some unofficial defcon mech
 - Some vendors
-
- Swag Area is the where you get official defcon merch



Demo Labs

- Honestly I didn't spend much time here
- <https://www.defcon.org/html/defcon-25/dc-25-demolabs.html>

CTF, Scavenger Hunts, #badgelife

- Didn't dive into this year, but there are a lot going on here
 - This is why there are linecon
- <https://media.defcon.org/DEF%20CON%2025/DEF%20CON%2025%20ctf/>
- <https://blog.trailofbits.com/2017/07/30/an-extra-bit-of-analysis-for-clemency/amp/>



Talks & Workshops

- Defcon Talks are very slowly coming out as the days go by so keep a look out
- Personally I didnt see any of the main stream talks
 - You will see shortly
- However the slides are up!
 - <https://media.defcon.org/DEF%20CON%2025/DEF%20CON%2025%20presentations/>
 - However, many of them dont make sense without the speaker
 - Some are dual streamed between blackhat/Bsides
- Workshops are up however, and the slides are *amazing*
 - <https://media.defcon.org/DEF%20CON%2025/DEF%20CON%2025%20workshops/>

Villages (ie where i spent all my time)

- BioHacking Village
 - https://twitter.com/DC_BHV
 - Talks!
- Car Hacking Village
 - <http://www.carhackingvillage.com/>
- Crypto & Privacy Village
 - <https://twitter.com/CryptoVillage>
 - Talks!
- Hardware Hacking Village
- IOT Village
 - <https://www.iotvillage.org/>

- ICS Village
 - https://twitter.com/ics_village
 - <http://www.ics-village.rocks/>
 - Scada Systems
- Lockpick Village
- Packet Hacking Village
 - <https://www.wallofsheep.com/pages/dc25>
 - There are also talks!
- Recon Village
 - Talks&Workshops
 - <http://reconvillage.org/>
 - OSINT
- R00tz
 - Only for kids :)
- Tamper Evident Village

- Voting Machine Hacking Village
- Social Engineer Village
 - Talks&Workshops
- Wireless Village
 - Talks&Workshops
 - <http://www.wirelessvillage.ninja/>
- 303 Skytalks
 - Where I spent all my time
 - Similar to underground, no recordings
 - <https://skytalks.info/>

Skytalks Takeaways

- One Click Browser Defense
 - For people who don't understand computers
 - The third world
 - <https://blockade.io/>
- Advanced DNS Exfil
 - Tool demo
 - https://github.com/ndberry/DNS_Exfil_Tool
 - [https://www.nanog.org/sites/default/files/DNS%20Exfil\(1\).pdf](https://www.nanog.org/sites/default/files/DNS%20Exfil(1).pdf)
- Everything you wanted to know about orchestration but were afraid to ask
 - Awesome talk about why the heck we have containers in this day and age
 - Is the coreos dev
 - Continues from last year
 - Pls notes

Skytalk Takeaways

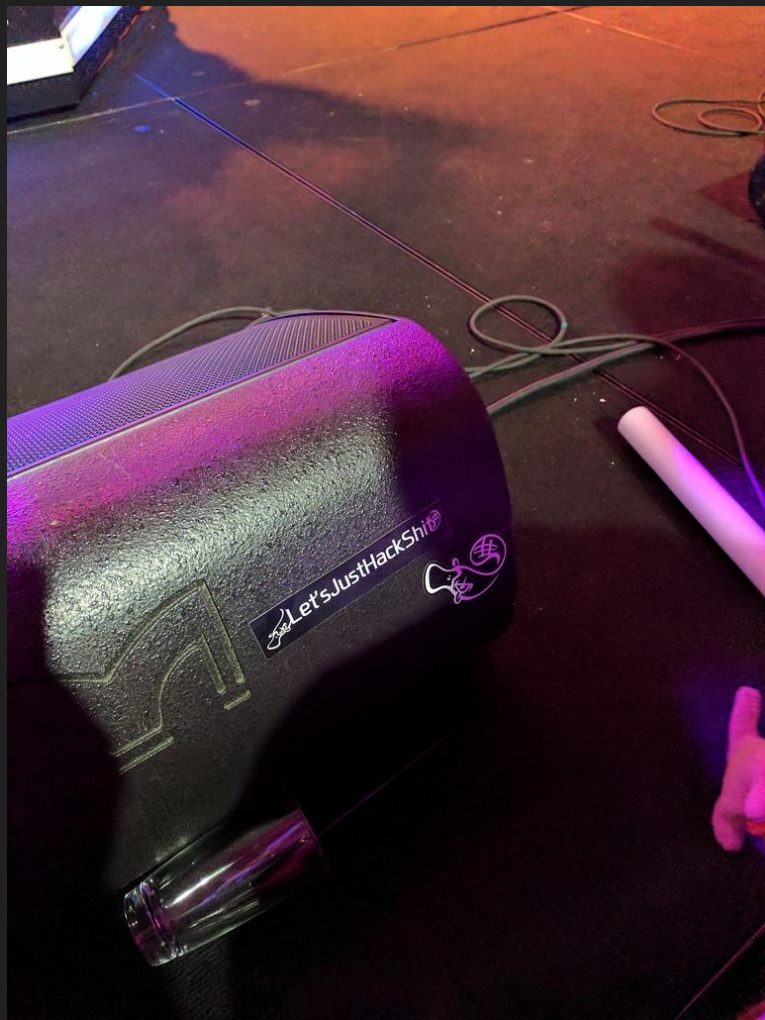
- HUMSEC (or how I learned to hate my phone)
 - Amarak takes us inside his head and makes us question all of our reality
- The Automation and Commoditization of Infosec
 - Two guys get really drunk
 - But this was actually super awesome, all the jobs that have be automated will be
 - Eg, your 'ssl finding' pentest report will be automated
 - The only solution is to make this your passion
 - And everyone in this room is already on that path obs
- Robbing the network and ways to get there
 - Tool release portia
 - <https://github.com/SpiderLabs/portia>

DEFCON PARTIES

- THERE ARE EVEN MORE PARTIES
 - BUT YOU'RE PROBABLY PARTIED OUT AT THIS STAGE
 - BUT MAYBE GO OUT SATURDAY AS THERE ARE SO MANY PARTIES
 - FOMO
-
- The music and concerts are really fun
 - But just talk to people!

BONUS CONTENT

- BSides Manchester Videos Also dropped
 - <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1mLiimOTqZFK98VwM8Ke4w>
- Highlights are the portswigger talks
 - 2017 - DOM Based Angular Sandbox Escapes by Gareth Heyes
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jlSl5aVTElg>
 - 2017 - Cracking The Lens: Targetting HTTP's Hidden Attack Surface
 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1Newz_wkMvs



FIN

Also I wish none of you a crying, crawling baby on a
redeye flight from SYD -> LAX