







# Burp-less Hacking

## Learning Web Application Pentesting on a Budget

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- Intro by Don Donzal, EH-Net Editor-in-Chief
- Bio – Phillip Wylie
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  - FOSS Tools of the Trade
  - The Setup – What is used for the demo
  - Live WebApp Pentest!
  - Career Advice
  - Study and Practice Resources
- Special Announcement from eLS!
- Q&A





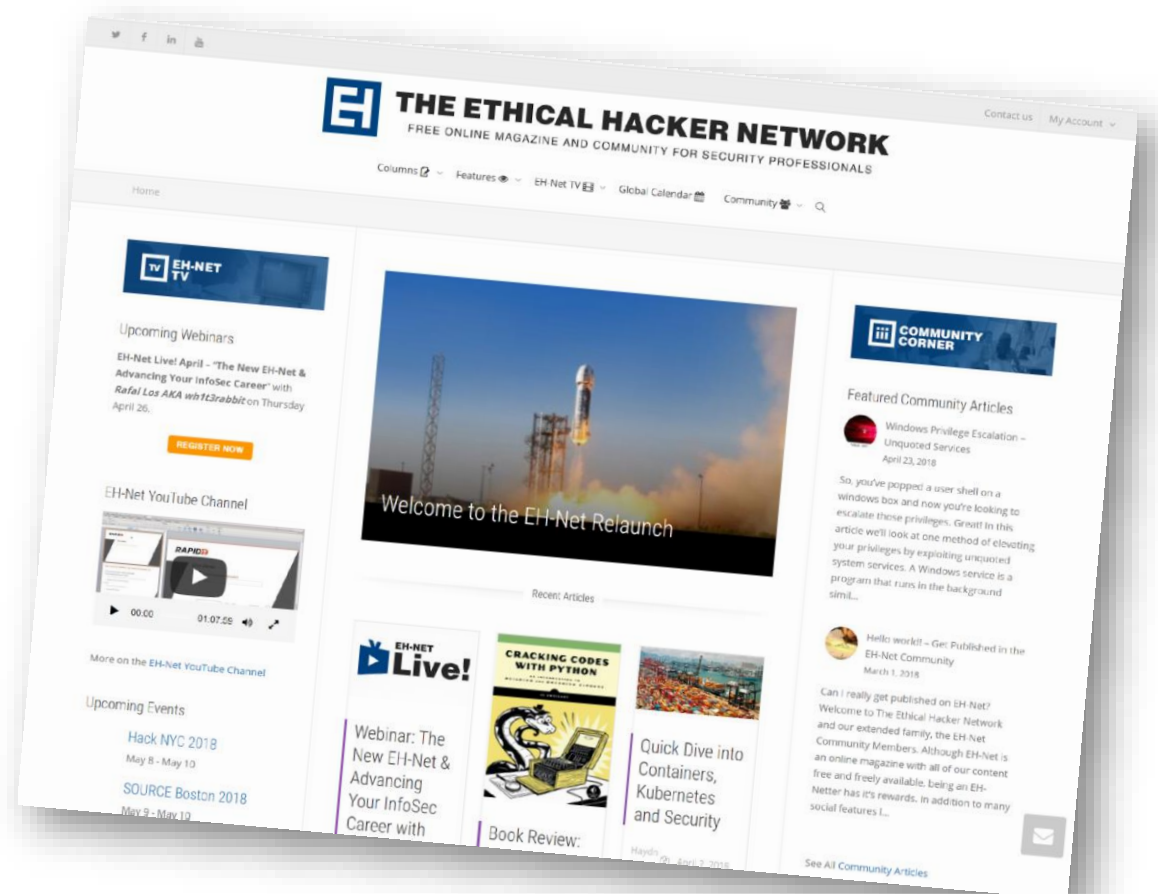
- Video will be made available on EH-Net
- Style = Interview!
  - Q&A in question tab in GTW
  - Twitter using #EHNet
- Post Game in EH-Net “**Web App Pen Testing**” Group:  
<https://www.ethicalhacker.net/groups/web-app-pen-testing/>
- Goal for today – Spark conversation.  
Advance your career!



# OVERVIEW OF THE NEW EH-NET



- General Layout
  - Magazine side - Columnists, Features, Global Calendar
  - Community side – Members & Profiles, Activity, Forums, Groups, Community Articles
- Building your “Personal Ethical Hacker Network”
- [Hello world! – Get Published in the EH-Net Community](#)
- Limited Time – All new members get a free pen testing course from eLS!!





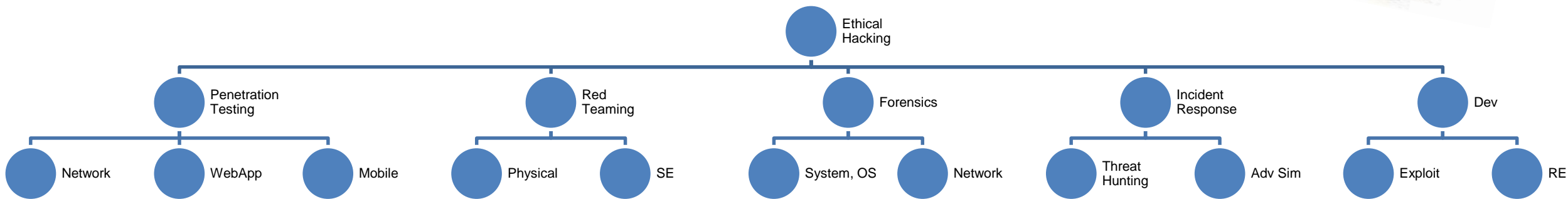
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# DEF: ETHICAL HACKING



Performing computer security related activities with permission.

- Oxymoron? Nope
- Media focus on crime = negative association
- More specific term for clarification
- Good guys using bad guys' tools & techniques
- Umbrella term to include numerous specialties
- WebApp = Sub-Category of Pentesting



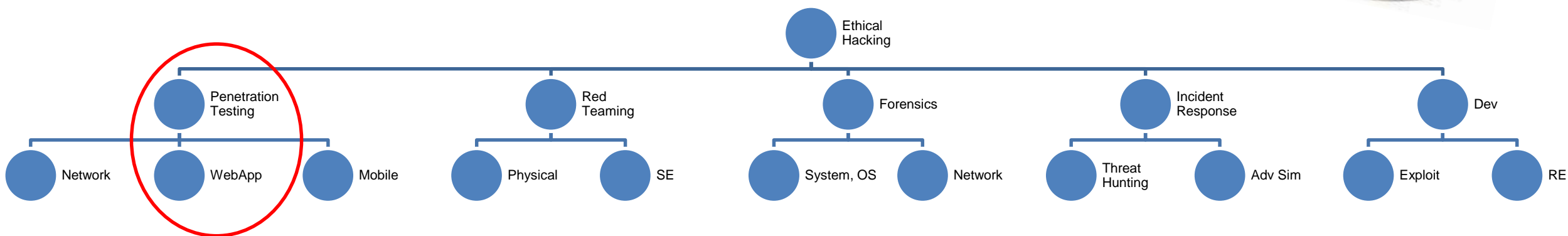


# DEF: WEBAPP PENTESTING



## ***What is Web Application Security Testing?***

A security test is a method of evaluating the security of a computer system or network by methodically validating and verifying the effectiveness of application security controls. A web application security test focuses only on evaluating the security of a web application. The process involves an active analysis of the application for any weaknesses, technical flaws, or vulnerabilities. Any security issues that are found will be presented to the system owner, together with an assessment of the impact, a proposal for mitigation or a technical solution. -[OWASP](#)

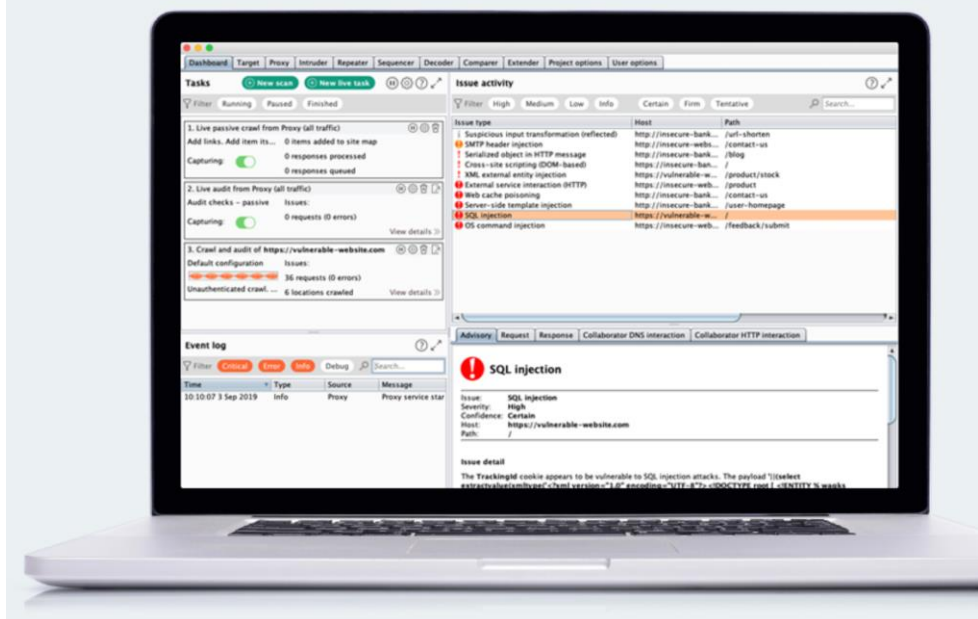


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### Community

Feature-limited manual tools for researchers and hobbyists

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[Get Community](#)



# What is “FOSS”?

## FOSS

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NOUN

Free Open Source Software (FOSS) is code that is “freely licensed to use, copy, study, and change the software in any way, and the source code is openly shared so that people are encouraged to voluntarily improve the design of the software.”

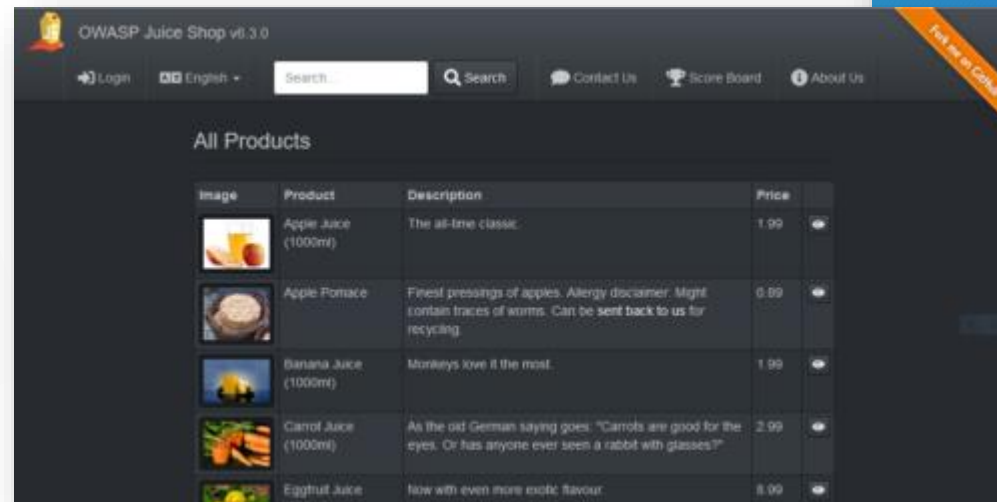
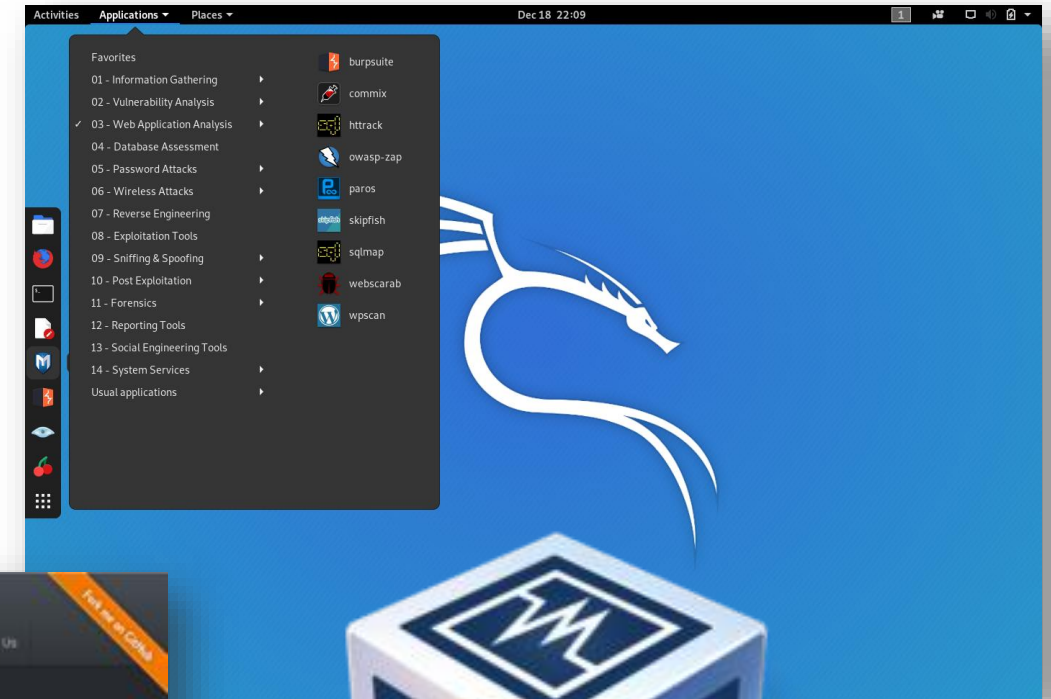
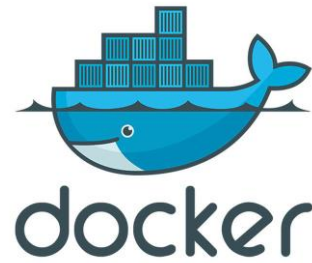
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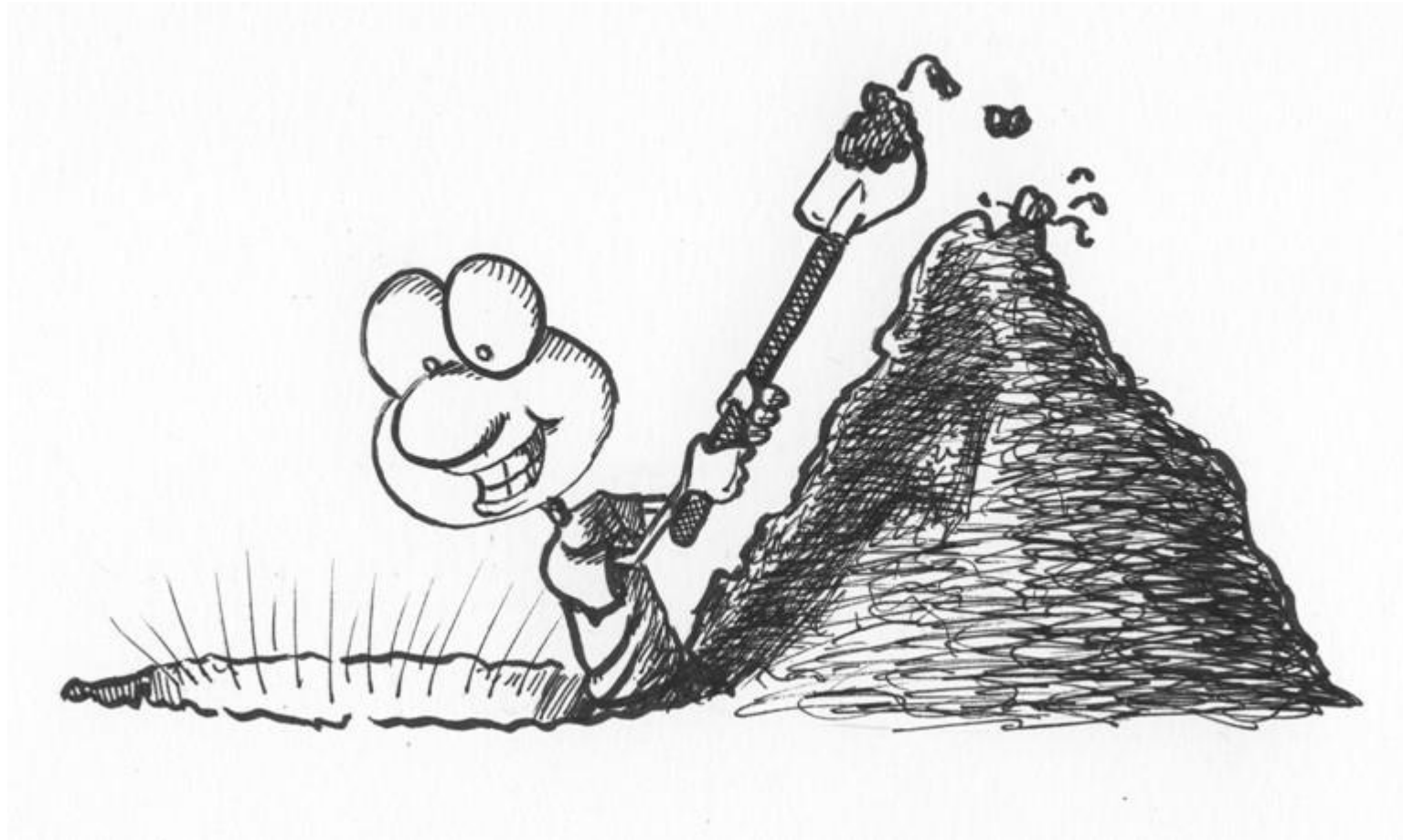
# THE SETUP



- PTES
- Docker
- VMs
- Tools
- Hardware



# LIVE WEBAPP PENTEST!





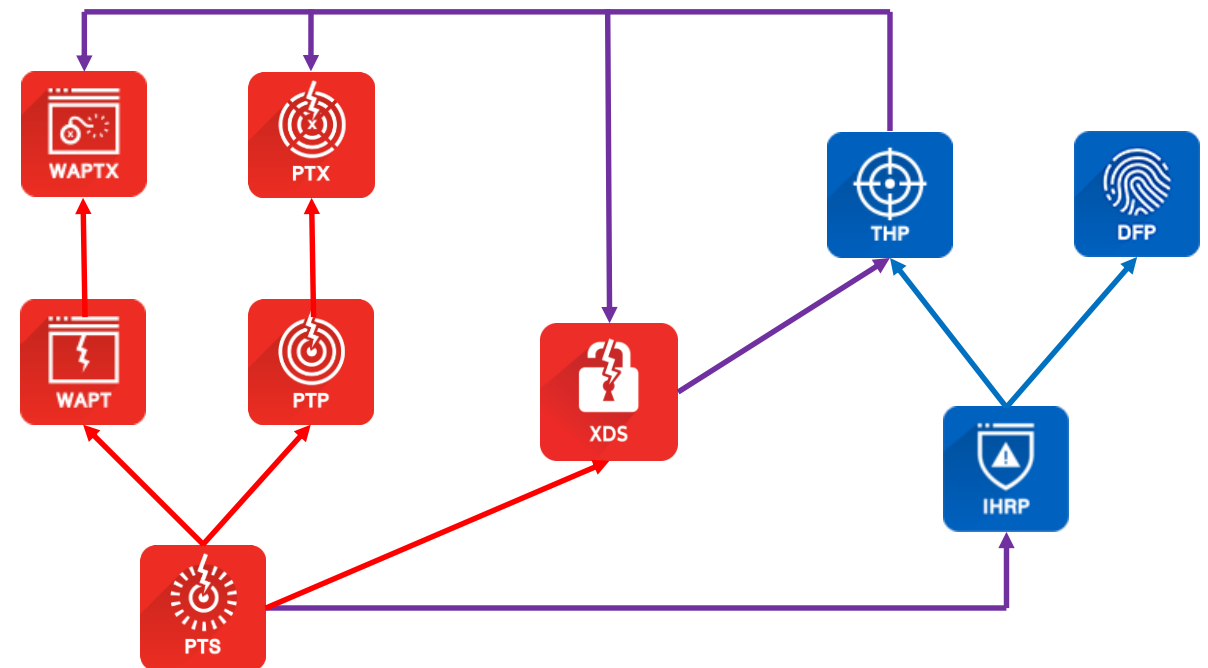
- Incident Responder
- SOC Analyst
- AppSec Analyst
- Project Manager
- Penetration Tester
- Red Team Member
- Bug Bounty Hunter



# HOW DO I GET THERE?



- Experience – CTFs, Employment, Home lab, Non-profits, Open source projects, etc.
- Practical Training – eLearnSecurity Training Paths (NIST-NICE Role-based Training)
- Will playing CTFs get me a job?



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- Methodology
- OWASP Top 10
- Soft Skills
- Extracurriculars
- Ability to Learn
- Be Resourceful
- Part of a Team
- Ability to Lead & Be Lead

# BUILDING YOUR SKILLSET – PHILLIP'S RESOURCE LIST



- [The Pwn School Project](#)
- FOSS Tools - [OWASP ZAP](#), [Nmap](#), [Nikto](#), [Sqlmap](#), [Wfuzz](#), OSINT, Post-Exploitation
- [Local PentestLab Management Script](#) – bWAPP, WebGoat 7.1, WebGoat 8.0, DVWA, Mutillidae II, OWASP Juice Shop, WPScan Vulnerable Wordpress, OpenDNS Sec Ninjas, Altoro Mutual
- Others – [Hack.me](#), [VulnHub.com](#), [Metasploitable](#), CTFs
- Books et al - [WebApp Hacker's Handbook](#), [Tribe of Hackers](#), [Kali Linux Revealed](#), [OWASP Testing Guide](#), [Portswigger](#), [WebAppSec Academy](#)
- [@PhillipWylie](#), [@EthicalHacker](#)



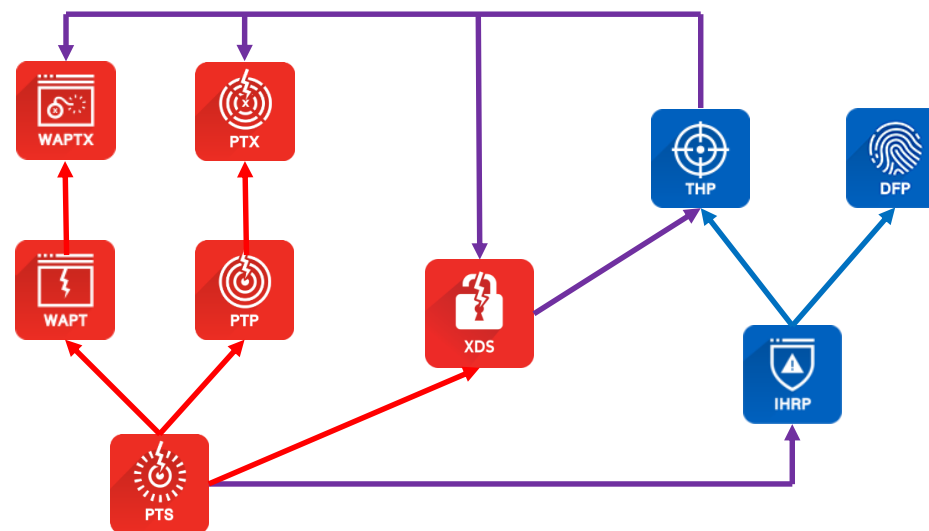


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