

Paths completed: 1  
Targets compromised: 119  
Ranking: Top 1%

PATHS COMPLETED

PROGRESS



Cracking into Hack the Box

3 Modules


Easy

To be successful in any technical information security role, we must have a broad understanding of specialized tools, tactics, and terminology. This path introduces core concepts necessary for anyone interested in a hands-on technical infosec role. The modules also provide the essential prerequisite knowledge for joining the main Hack The Box platform, progressing through Starting Point through easy-rated retired machines, and solving "live" machines with no walkthrough. It also includes helpful information about staying organized, navigating the HTB platforms, common pitfalls, and selecting a penetration testing distribution. Students will complete their first box during this path with a guided walkthrough and be challenged to complete a box on their own by applying the knowledge learned in the Getting Started module.

100% Completed

MODULE

PROGRESS



Intro to Academy


8 Sections

Fundamental

General

This module is recommended for new users. It allows users to become acquainted with the platform and the learning process.

100% Completed



File Inclusion


11 Sections

Medium

Offensive

File Inclusion is a common web application vulnerability, which can be easily overlooked as part of a web application's functionality.

100% Completed



Web Requests


8 Sections

Fundamental

General

This module introduces the topic of HTTP web requests and how different web applications utilize them to communicate with their backends.

100% Completed



Introduction to Web Applications


17 Sections

Fundamental

General

In the Introduction to Web Applications module, you will learn all of the basics of how web applications work and begin to look at them from an information security perspective.

100% Completed



Getting Started


23 Sections

Fundamental

Offensive

This module covers the fundamentals of penetration testing and an introduction to Hack The Box.

100% Completed



## Shells & Payloads


17 Sections

Medium

Offensive

Gain the knowledge and skills to identify and use shells & payloads to establish a foothold on vulnerable Windows & Linux systems. This module utilizes a fictitious scenario where the learner will place themselves in the perspective of a sysadmin trying out for a position on CAT5 Security's network penetration testing team.

88.24% Completed



## File Upload Attacks


11 Sections

Medium

Offensive

Arbitrary file uploads are among the most critical web vulnerabilities. These flaws enable attackers to upload malicious files, execute arbitrary commands on the back-end server, and even take control over the entire server and all web applications hosted on it and potentially gain access to sensitive data or cause a service disruption.

100% Completed



## Using Web Proxies


15 Sections

Easy

Offensive

Web application penetration testing frameworks are an essential part of any web penetration test. This module will teach you two of the best frameworks: Burp Suite and OWASP ZAP.

100% Completed



## Information Gathering - Web Edition


10 Sections

Easy

Offensive

This module covers techniques for identifying and analyzing an organization's web application-based attack surface and tech stack. Information gathering is an essential part of any web application penetration test, and it can be performed either passively or actively.

60% Completed



## Attacking Web Applications with Ffuf

13 Sections

Easy

Offensive

This module covers the fundamental enumeration skills of web fuzzing and directory brute forcing using the Ffuf tool. The techniques learned in this module will help us in locating hidden pages, directories, and parameters when targeting web applications.

100% Completed



## JavaScript Deobfuscation


11 Sections

Easy

Defensive

This module will take you step-by-step through the fundamentals of JavaScript Deobfuscation until you can deobfuscate basic JavaScript code and understand its purpose.

100% Completed



## Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)


10 Sections

Easy

Offensive

Cross-Site Scripting (XSS) vulnerabilities are among the most common web application vulnerabilities. An XSS vulnerability may allow an attacker to execute arbitrary JavaScript code within the target's browser and result in complete web application compromise if chained together with other vulnerabilities. This module will teach you how to identify XSS vulnerabilities and exploit them.

100% Completed



## SQL Injection Fundamentals

17 Sections

Medium

Offensive

Databases are an important part of web application infrastructure and SQL (Structured Query Language) to store, retrieve, and manipulate information stored in them. SQL injection is a code injection technique used to take advantage of coding vulnerabilities and inject SQL queries via an application to bypass authentication, retrieve data from the back-end database, or achieve code execution on the underlying server.

100% Completed



## SQLMap Essentials

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11 SectionsEasyOffensive

The SQLMap Essentials module will teach you the basics of using SQLMap to discover various types of SQL Injection vulnerabilities, all the way to the advanced enumeration of databases to retrieve all data of interest.

45.45% Completed



## Command Injections

### Command Injections

12 SectionsMediumOffensive

Command injection vulnerabilities can be leveraged to compromise a hosting server and its entire network. This module will teach you how to identify and exploit command injection vulnerabilities and how to use various filter bypassing techniques to avoid security mitigations.

100% Completed



## Server-side Attacks

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19 SectionsMediumOffensive

A backend that handles user-supplied input insecurely can lead to sensitive information disclosure and remote code execution. This module covers how to identify and exploit server-side bugs. This module introduces Server-Side Request Forgery (SSRF), Server-Side Template Injection (SSTI), and Server-Side Includes (SSI) injection attacks, alongside other server-side vulnerabilities.

100% Completed



## Login Brute Forcing

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11 SectionsEasyOffensive

Learn how to brute force logins for various types of services and create custom wordlists based on your target.

100% Completed



## Broken Authentication

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14 SectionsMediumOffensive

Authentication is probably the most straightforward and prevalent measure used to secure access to resources, and it's the first line of defense against unauthorized access. Broken authentication is currently listed as #7 on the 2021 OWASP Top 10 Web Application Security Risks, falling under the broader category of Identification and Authentication failures. A vulnerability or misconfiguration at the authentication stage can devastatingly impact an application's overall security.

78.57% Completed