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Mr. Robot

When viewing the first episode of Mr. Robot, I realized that cybersecurity is both complex and entertaining. I've found that hacking can be difficult, but having the resources that a person requires, such as a computer with a good internet access or a powerful laptop with many features, can make it easier for a person to begin studying and hacking. Since the owner of the cafe asked him if he needed money to make him leave his cafe, I assumed Elliot was using hacking to rob from people at the start of the movie. However, as the film progressed, I noticed that the lead character, Elliot, was a decent human. He was just an eccentric individual as a result of his childhood experiences, which had influenced his personality as an adult. I have just seen the first episode of the season and not the whole season. After watching the first episode, I couldn't stop thinking about Elliot and how he came to be a hacker and what drives him to do what he does. After giving it some thought, I assumed he was just stalking people, but after seeing the first half of the show, I realized he's hacking because he thinks society is untruthful.

During the first episode, I started to see things that were close to what we had learned in this class about Wireshark. For example, when we were looking for protocols for an assignment, I found that people often use network protocols to hack. This film fascinates me because it essentially deconstructs key aspects of cybersecurity and hacking. By breaking into other people's files, you can learn more about them, which is illegal but fascinating. Any of the most relevant guidelines for accessing someone's information can be found in this episode. It was really interesting when Elliot tried to put the blame on who hacked the organization to a person that did not do it by using the IP address. It was both fascinating and frightening to see how easily a guy can be held responsible for something he did not do simply by placing his IP address on a compromised network. I had no idea that anyone with my IP address could do such a thing. After seeing this film, I now realize how important it is to protect my IP address and to always connect to a secure network or internet connection. In this film, I also discovered that certain people lie about their identities in order to keep their personal details protected. However, people are often tricked into answering questions that reveal important information without their knowledge, allowing hackers to easily access that person's information. From this I have learned to never give any answers until I can be sure that the person that I'm talking to is the right person. You should not respond until the individual describes and introduces himself properly. If something doesn't seem right, don't give the guy any answers to the questions he's asking. That is another thing that I had learned from this film. This first episode showed me a lot of new things that I didn't know before. It was a fantastic film.