

# Exercise 3

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The application requires two arguments: (1) a username and (2) a password.

Use `./main <user> <password>`

For example

```
> ./main roberto 1234
Start
Hello roberto
non authorized
End
```

```
> ./main roberto pwd0
Start
Hello roberto
authorized
End
```

```
> ./main hello pwd0
Start
Hello hello
authorized
End
```

## Problem 3.1

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Forge a username that makes the application to leak the password that is stored internally.

Since you probably need a username that contains "special" bytes, use the following procedure:

1. complete the python script `solution3.py`, which prints the forged output on the standard output
2. execute `./solution3.py > text` to generate a file that contains the forged username
3. execute `./main $(< text) hello`

The target attack of the Makefile automates tasks 2 and 3. Your solution consists of the script `solution3.py`.

To test your solution execute `./test.py` or `py.test test.py`.

## Hints

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Debug the program using GDB. Find the distance between the location of the variable `name` and `saved_rip`.

Do not worry if the program crashes after leaking the password.