# Gyber Defense Organization

Spring 19' - Threat Hunting (at scale)



## **Agenda**

Note: Last week was a pure lecture/do as I do. This week is 50/50.

- Who are you?
- Small Term of the week
- What is a SIEM
- Why Do I care?
- Do as I do
- Labs

#### Who are you:

Liam Smith

President of CDO. Interned at the MLB and DMV. CCDC main windows guy. Got a CySA+.

Met Michael Christakis once.

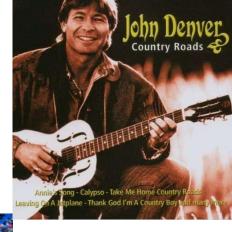
Epic 'shop skills.



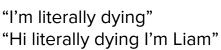
## **Liam Starter Pack**























#### **Small Term of The Week**

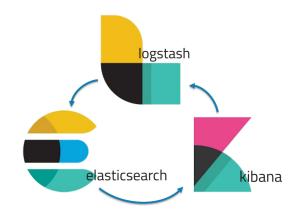
Pneumonoultramicroscopicsilicovolcanoconiosis: lung disease from inhaling volcanoes

#### What is a SIEM?

Security information and event management (SIEM): The underlying principles of every SIEM system is to aggregate relevant data from multiple sources, identify deviations from the norm and take appropriate action.

#### TL;DR A big fanny database disguised as security software.







## Why Should I Care?



#### **Core Enterprise Security Stack**

#### Security Tools:

- Vulnerability
   Scanner
- 2. IPS/IDS
- 3. SIEM
- 4. Anti-Virus
- 5. DLP

#### System Administration:

- Active Directory
   Group Policy
- 2. Firewall Rules
- 3. NetFlow
- 4. Patch

Management

#### Policy:

- 1. Password
- 2. Acceptable Use
- 3. BYOB
- 4. Patching Schedule

#### Rob Joyce said so.

"Enable those logs, but also look at those logs.

You'd be amazed at incident response teams goes and there's been some tremendous breach and **yep there is it is**, right there in the logs."

https://youtu.be/bDJb8WOJYdA?t=1312



## Finally: Jobs

These technologies are everywhere and it's a core skill for any InfoSec professional.

Also, if you are Interning, odds are it will be something you do.



#### Information Security Analyst

Apply Now Save this job

supervision.

#### Main Duties and Responsibilities:

- A solid understanding of SIEM solutions; examples of related technologies include Arcsight, RSA Envision, Alienvault, Splunk
- · Ability to develop, document, and maintain use cases
- Identify key events to be monitored, continuous evaluation and recommendations to change configurations to match risk appetite

| What                            |   | Where                    |  |
|---------------------------------|---|--------------------------|--|
| Job title, keywords, or company |   | City, state, or zip code |  |
| Splunk                          | 0 | New York, NY             |  |

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## **Plans for Today**

We are going to be using a SIEM called SumoLogic.

Why?

Its a growing in popularity,

it has almost the same query language as Splunk,

and it has an open free training environment.

## **Getting On Sumologic**

Goto:

Site: service.sumologic.com

User: training+labs@sumologic.com

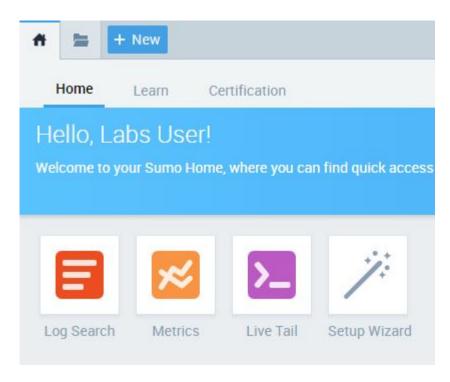
Pass: Sum0Labs!

https://tinyurl.com/SumoCore

https://tinyurl.com/SumoSec

## **Basics - What Logs?**

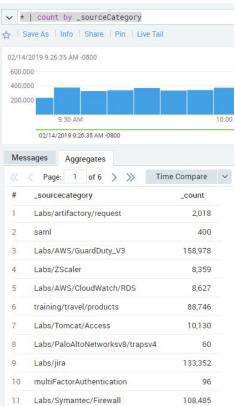
Select Log Search



#### **Your Very First Search**

\* | count by \_sourceCategory

What does this do?



## **Sumologic Internals**

All data/Logs that Sumologic ingests are tagged with metadata.

**\_sourceCategory** Is the "bucket" or category the team wanted it to be in.

**\_collector** is the name of the collector agent.

**\_sourceHost** is the name of the host the log came from.

| Name            | Description  |
|-----------------|--|
| _collector      | The name of the Collector (set when the Collector was installed) that received the log message.  |
| _messageCount   | A sequence number (per Source) added by the Collector when the message was received. $\label{eq:collector}$  |
| _messageTime    | The timestamp of the message in milliseconds. If the message doesn't have a timestamp, messageTime uses the receiptTime.   |
| _raw            | The raw log message.   |
| _receiptTime    | The time the Collector received the message in milliseconds.   |
| _size           | The size of the log message in bytes.  |
| _source         | The name of the Source, determined by the name you entered when you configured the Source.   |
| _sourceCategory | The category of the Source that collected the log message. This can be a maximum of 1,024 characters.  |
| _sourceHost     | The host name of the Source. For local Sources the name of the Source is set when you configure the Source. For remote Collectors, this field uses the remote host's name. The _sourceHost metadata field is populated using a reverse DNS lookup. If the name cannot be resolved, _sourceHost is displayed as localhost. This can be a maximum of 128 characters. |
| _sourceName     | The name of the log file, determined by the path you entered when you configured the Source.   |
| _format         | The pattern used for parsing the timestamp. See here for more details.   |

## **Parsing Logs**

#### \_sourceCategory=Labs/Windows/OS/Windows

What the hell is this...and how do I work with it?

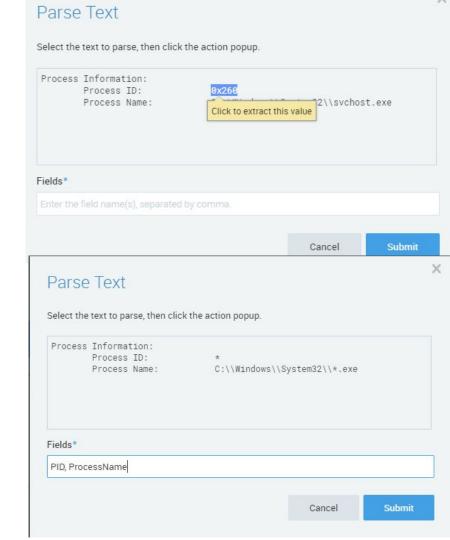
```
Access Request Information:
02/14/2019
                      Transaction ID:
                                             11:53:22 279 -0800
                                             Unknown specific access (bit 1)
                      Accesses:
                      Access Reasons:
                       Access Mask:
                                             0x2
                      Privileges Used for Access Check:
                       Restricted SID Count: 0":
                       RecordNumber = 1441653590;
                       SourceName = "Microsoft-Windows-Security-Auditing";
                      TimeGenerated = "20130411232217.639640-000";
                      TimeWritten = "20130411232217.639640-000";
                      Type = "Audit Success";
               Host: 34.238.197.190 Vame: Http Input Category: Labs/Windows/OS/Windows V
```

## **Parsing for Real**

Find a Process Information Log

Highlight All of it, and select Parse.

```
Process Information:
                                  0x260
        Process ID:
        Process Name:
                                  C:\\Windows\\System32\\svchost.exe
Host: 34.238.197.190 Name: Http Input Category: Labs/W
                                                        Copy selected text
instance of Win32_NTLogEvent
                                                        Parse selected text
        Category = 12804:
        CategoryString = "Other Object Access Even
                                                        Add selected text as AND
        ComputerName = "hera.sumolab.org";
        EventCode = 4656:
                                                        Add selected text as AND NOT
        EventIdentifier = 4656;
        EventType = 4:
                                                        Add selected text as OR
        InsertionStrings = {"S-1-5-18", "DC2$", "S}
                                   ", "-", "0x2", "-"
                                                        Add selected text as OR NOT
        Logfile = "Security":
                                                        Launch In ServiceNow
Host: 34.238.197.190 V Name: Http Input V Category: Labs/W
```



## Query

\_sourceCategory=Labs/Windows/OS/Windows

| parse "Process Information:\n\tProcess ID:\t\t\*\n\tProcess Name:\t\tC:\\\Windows\\\\System32\\\\\*.exe" as ID,ProcessName

#### | count by ProcessName



## **Finally: Snort**

Snort is an IPS and we have some fun logs!

\_sourceCategory=Labs/Snort

Parse the time, attackerlp, Attackerport, localIP, Lport

I count by attackerlp

```
    ✓ _sourceCategory=Labs/Snort
    | parse "* WEB-PHP Typo3 translations.php file include [Classification: Web Application
    Attack] [Priority: 1] {TCP} *:* -> *:*" as time, attackerIp, Aport, localIP, lport
    | count by attackerIp

    | Save As | Info | Share | Pin | Live Tail
```

## Investigate

Where can else can we see this IP?

When I made this, this IP was mention in the logs 2.7k times.



#### **Last Thing: Outlier Analysis**

\_sourceCategory=Labs/Snort

| parse "\* WEB-PHP Typo3 translations.php file include [Classification: Web Application Attack] [Priority: 1] {TCP} \*:\* -> \*:\*" as time,attackerlp,Aport,locallP,lport

l timeslice 5m

| count (attackerlp) as AIP by \_timeslice

| outlier AIP window=5, consecutive=1, threshold=2, direction=+-



#### **Pretty Right?**

#### **To Summarize**

SIEMs are huge databases of important log data.

You can query them to find specific things, (IP addresses), trends (attacks over time) and so much more.

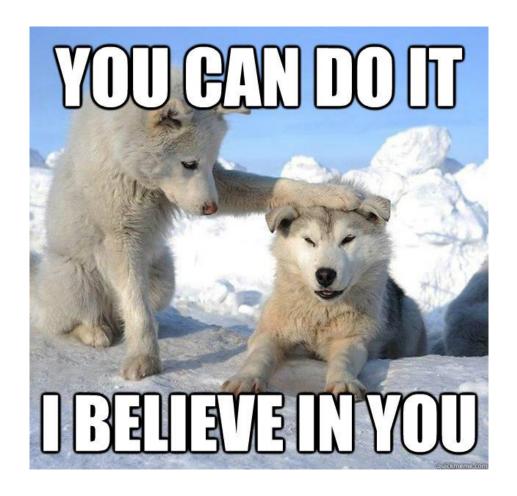
#### **Lab Time!**

If you want to get a good foundation in querying:

https://tinyurl.com/SumoCore

If you have a good grasp of SQL/Querying and/or are only here to look at security suff:

https://tinyurl.com/SumoSec



#### **Announcements**

Working on an interesting project? Have a specialty? Present

If you are interested in a topic/want to present email us!

cyberdefenseorg@albany.edu

#### **J-Board Applications!**

**OPEN POSITIONS:** 

Treasurer
IT-Chief Technology Officer
Competition Captain
Competition Co-Captain

**EVERYONE SHOULD APPLY (:** 



**Certification Study Group - Security +** 

Tuesday nights at 7:15 in bb123.

Study as a group

Talk to Mark



#### Other Updates!

"Our second Cyber Jobs Fair is scheduled for March 6, 2019.

10:00 – 12:00: Company Pitches (Location: TBA)

Cyber Jobs week is coming up:

Pizza will be available for students around 11:30

**RSVP**:

12:00 – 3:00: Student Interaction with Employers / Business Building Living Room

https://doodle.com/poll/7crgg2 64hbkgzdy8

Send Resumes in for critique.

Please fill out the Doodle Poll to RSVP for the Cyber Jobs Week by Tuesday 2/22. By RSVPing you are enabling us to create your name tags and order a sufficient amount of food. The final list of attendees will be compiled on 2/24."

#### Cya Next week!

If you have any good memes send them to the email below.

wcsmith@albany.edu

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PC Assembly Workshop-February 19th(?)



CCDC! - Mondays 7:30-9:00pm

BB123 (Check email).







https://discord.gg/9Dh6R5R

