



# Modern Corporate Wifi Rustling





# Who Am I

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## **Previously:**

- **Network admin**
- **Polyglot Developer - Python, PHP, Go + more**
- **Linux Sysadmin**

## **Currently:**

- **Pentester, Snr Consultant at Insomnia Security**
- **Little bit of research**





# What is Corporate Wireless

- Corporate == large organisations
- Usually multiple networks, with differing levels of security and sensitivity
- Phones, laptops, tablets, hotdesks, BYOD, as well as better infrastructure





# Chris's Handwavey Guide to Corporate Wireless





# LAN/Corporate Wireless

## Network Access

- **SENSITIVE**
- Generally full access to internal corporate network
- AD, file servers, business apps, other workstations





# LAN/Corporate Wireless

## Authentication Method and Credentials

- **SENSITIVE**
- WPA2 Enterprise
- Usually TLS certificates or User/Machine Domain credentials





# LAN/Corporate Wireless

## Common Issues

- "Single Factor" network authentication
- Poor client configuration
- Poor authentication lifecycle management





# Guest Wireless

## Network Access

- **WHO CARES**
- Internet Only







# Guest Wireless

## Authentication Method and Credentials

- **WHO CARES**
- Open Network, Captive Portal
- Time limited, on-demand, unique credentials





# Guest Wireless

## Common Issues

- Shared infrastructure/Bad segregation
- Application-level security
- Preauth Access (DNS, ICMP etc...)





# BYOD Wireless

## Network Access

- **WHO CARES**
- Internet Only
- Possibly some access to secured internal services (e.g. OWA, Citrix etc...)





# BYOD Wireless

## Authentication Method and Credentials

- **SENSITIVE**
- WPA2 Enterprise, EAP-PEAP/MSCHAPv2
- Corporate Domain User Credentials





# LIVE FIRE EXERCISE





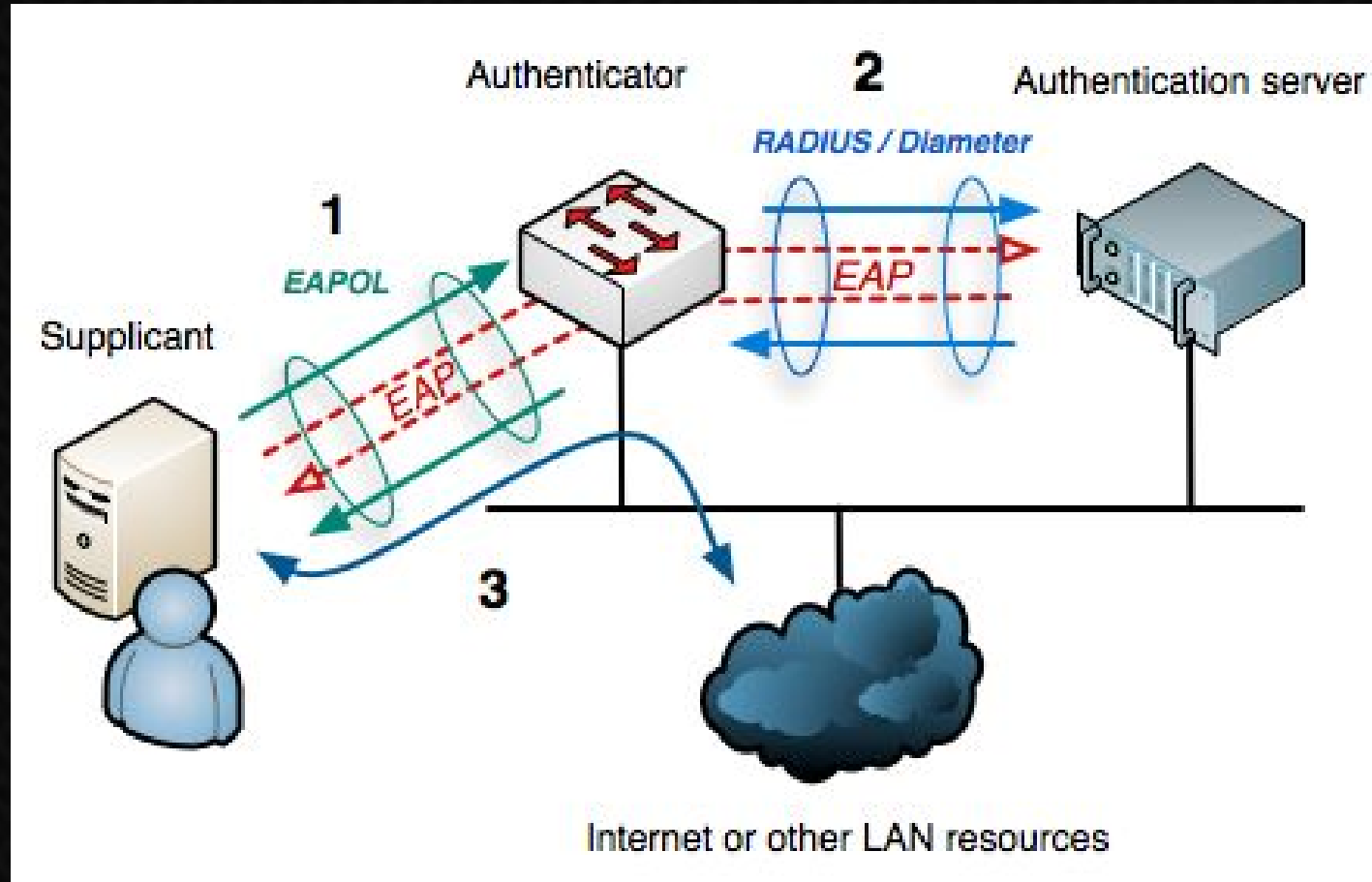
## But... How?

- Corporate requires employees to authenticate to BYOD wireless network
- But does not/can not require that their device is configured securely
- Probably EAP-PEAP/EAP-MSCHAPv2 with domain credentials





# 802.1X & EAP



"802.1X wired protocols" by Arran Cudbard-Bell Arr2036 - Own work.





# EAP-MSCHAPv2

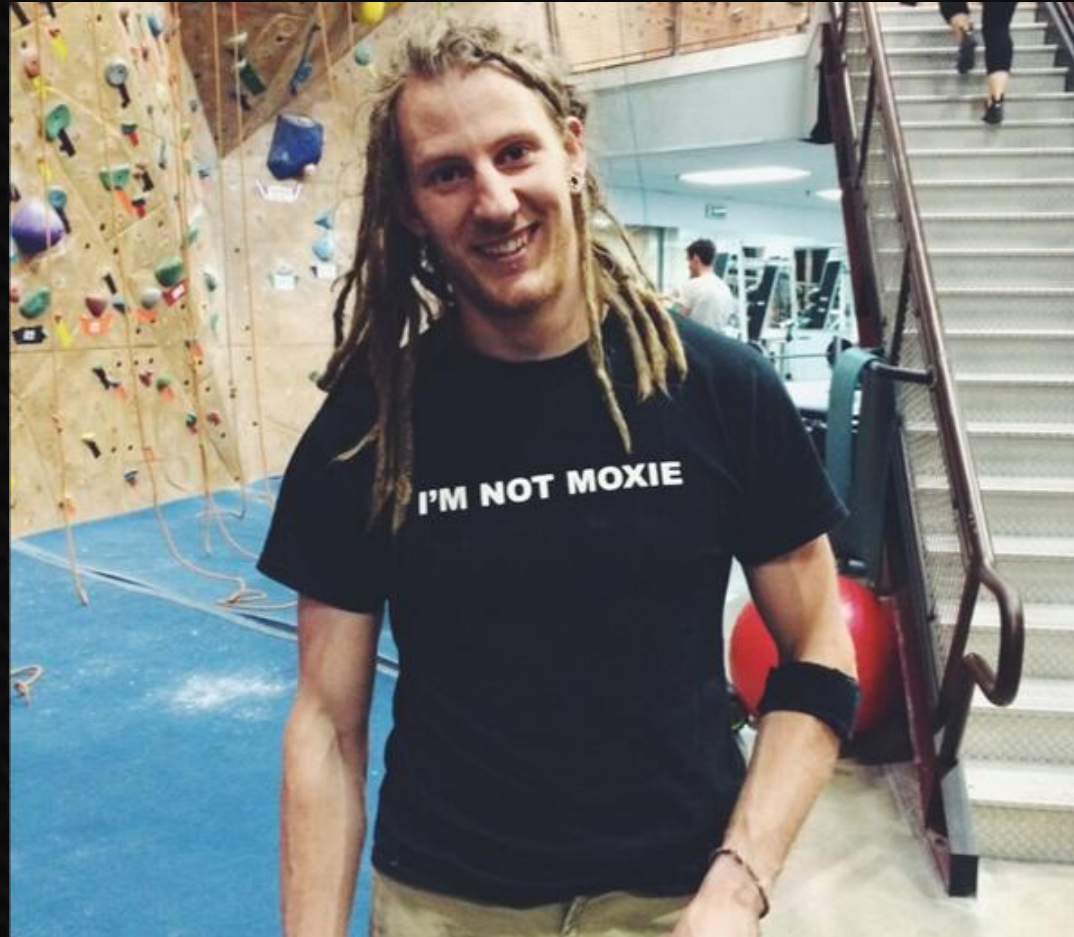
- Microsoft extended CHAP for various Windows integration reasons, e.g.
  - Supports domain-based password changes, expirations etc...
  - Use of MS primitives such as NTLMv2
- Both ends need knowledge of secret to properly authenticate





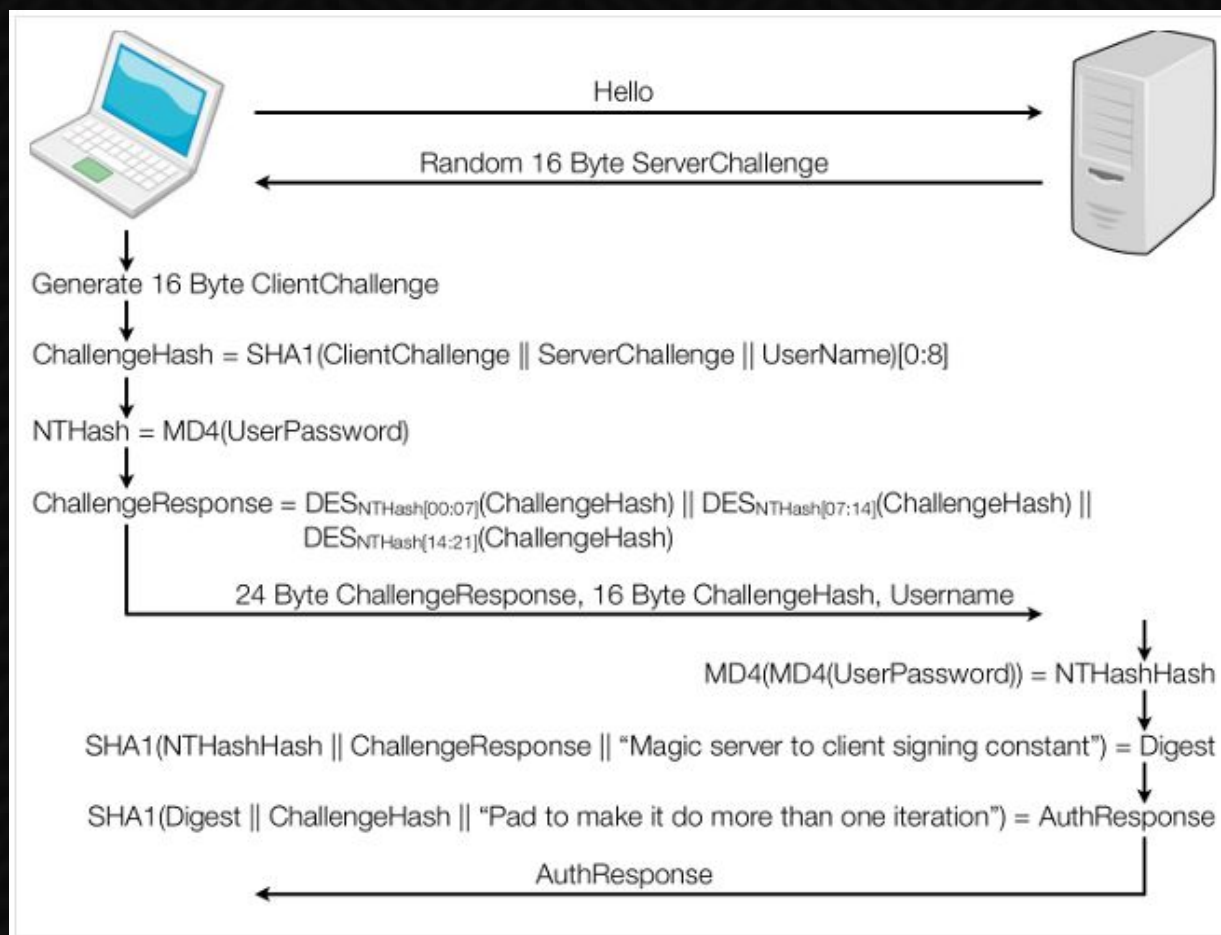


# Moxie Marlinspike



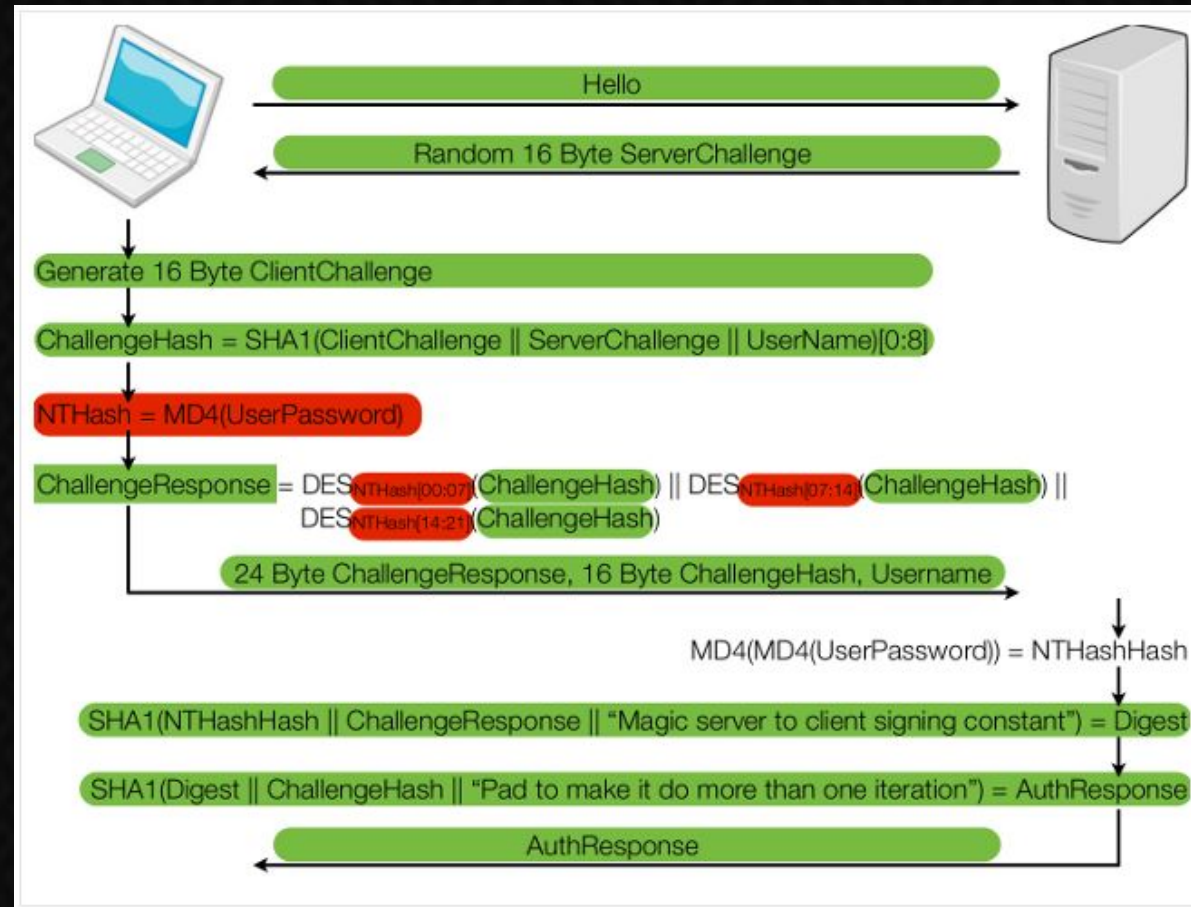


# MSCHAPv2





# MSCHAPv2 post Moxie







# EAP-MSCHAPv2 - Attacking

- Capture the NetNTLM encrypted challenge, feed to this:





# EAP-MSCHAPv2 - Attacking

- PCAP entire MSCHAPv2 handshake
- Give to Cloudcracker + USD + 24 hrs
- 100% recovery of NTHash (used as DES key)
- Can then crack it, or pass the hash on to the authenticated network, or other domain authenticated services





# EAP-MSCHAPv2 - Recap

- Pretty broken protocol
- Requires both ends to know password to complete handshake
- If attacker can observe the handshake, password or raw hash can be recovered
- Be sure to ask Moxie Mallardspike about Cloudquacker if you see him round at the con





# EAP-PEAP

- You got your TLS in my layer 2!
- Pretty much exactly the same thing as e.g. HTTPS connections, except has another EAP transaction inside the tunnel
- Successfully prevents eavesdropping of MSCHAPv2 handshakes as they float through the air
- But, confidentiality requires more than just encryption





# EAP-PEAP

- Full TLS negotiation including Certificate
- Encryption methods are negotiated
- Tunnel is between supplicant (client) and Authentication Server - not authenticator!
- How well does this apply to information available during layer 2 authentication?







# EAP-PEAP - Trust

- HTTPS has the 3rd party CA system to bootstrap trust
- Browser can verify trust in a certificate by using its CA trust root
- EAP-PEAP can verify trust by ???
- Does the 3rd party CA system make sense in this context?





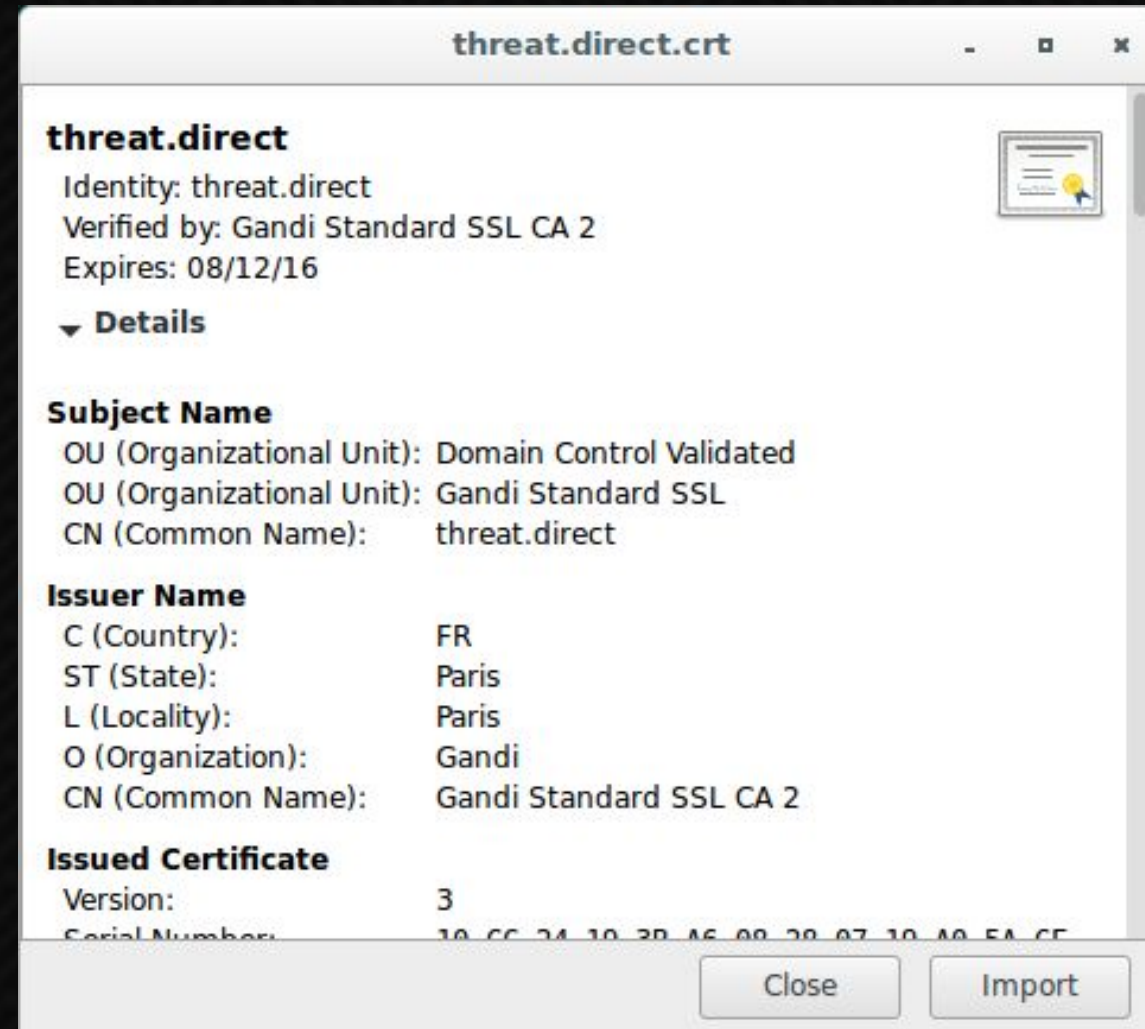
# EAP-PEAP - Identity

- Certificates certify a subject, AKA Common Name (CN)
- In HTTPS, this is generally the domain part of your URL
- With EAP-PEAP, it's ???
- What information does a client/supplicant have that can identify this authentication server?





# So trustworthy





# EAP-PEAP - Configuration

Voda NZ 9:37 pm

Enter the password for "CyberPotateys-BYOD"

Cancel Enter Password Join

Username

Password

Q W E R T Y U I O P  
A S D F G H J K L  
↑ Z X C V B N M ↵  
123 😊 🎤 space return

Protected EAP Properties

When connecting:

☐ Validate server certificate

☐ Connect to these servers:

Trusted Root Certification Authorities:

- ☐ Class 3 Public Primary Certification Authority
- ☐ Equifax Secure Certificate Authority
- ☐ GTE CyberTrust Global Root
- ☐ Microsoft Root Authority
- ☐ Microsoft Root Certificate Authority
- ☐ Secure Server Certification Authority
- ☐ Thawte Premium Server CA

☐ Do not prompt user to authorize new servers or trusted certification authorities.

Select Authentication Method:

Secured password (EAP-MSCHAP v2) Configure...

☒ Enable Fast Reconnect

☐ Enable Quarantine checks

☐ Disconnect if server does not present cryptobinding TLV

OK Cancel

CyberPotateys-BYOD

EAP method  
PEAP

Phase-2 authentication  
None

CA certificate  
(unspecified)

Identity  
user2

Anonymous identity

Password  
.....

☐ Show password

☐ Advanced options

CANCEL CONNECT





# Officer Unfriendly & PERVERT COWBOY





## Post-attack - Corp

- Try using the captured credentials/hashes to authenticate directly to the network
- Look for any "Special" devices
- User auth may be allowed for uncommon/unmanaged devices, or for special users.





# Post-attack - BYOD

- Semi-trusted network
- Check Shared Infrastructure
- Check Network Segregation
- Other services available on BYOD network - OWA, Citrix, etc...







# Recap

- Cannot ensure safe EAP-PEAP/MSCHAPv2 client configuration without management
- Attackers want BYOD authentication info, generally not BYOD network access
- Wireless IDS/IPS won't save you, will find you at carpark, coffee shop, airport or Kiwicon







# Recap

- Manage your wireless clients
- Use the strongest authentication you can stomach
- Don't neglect physical and network-level security, protect your infrastructure





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