ROBERT TAPPAN MORRIS

Robert Tappan Morris was born in 1965, he is the son of Robert Morris, a former chief scientist at the National Center for Computer Security, a division of the National Security agency.

First of all, he is known for creating the Morris Worm in 1988, considered the first computer worm of the internet age. Consequently, Morris was charged with violating the Computer Fraud and Abuse Act, being the first person charged. Furthermore, He was sentenced to three years of probation, 400 hours of community service and a fine of $ 10,050 plus the costs of his supervision.

In the case of Morris, he left his legacy behind with a way to attack and defend himself in the computer age. Especially the first self-replicating malware computer virus.