Joe Loughry

At Lockheed, our product was pen-tested by NSA's own hackers; it was my job to frustrate those people.

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Skills and Experience

Cybersecurity Regulations Specialist in understanding new government security standards, especially when these are unfamiliar or have suddenly changed.

Technical Background C and UNIX—including multi-level (CMW) programming and security policies for Trusted Solaris, FreeBSD, or Linux.

All Current Standards Common Criteria, DIACAP, NIST SP 800-53 security controls, DCID 6/3, and the new Risk Management Framework (RMF).

• Certification and Accreditation Consultant

C&Adocs.com

2015-present

Secret-and-Below Interoperability (SABI) certification for two new cross domain solutions (CDS).

• Postgraduate Researcher

University of Oxford, England

2007 - 2015

Discovered methods to control the schedule and predict the outcome of security Certification and Accreditation (C&A) testing of cross domain solutions and cross domain systems for Intelligence Community (IC), collateral, and international environments, with application to privacy protection of Electronic Health Record (EHR) systems.

• Information Assurance Engineer

Lockheed Martin Corporation

2006 - 2012

Proposed and won \$968,000 Air Force Research Laboratory contract for probabilistic redaction system; R&D project completed on time and under budget. Wrote the Security Target for Common Criteria (CC) evaluation of Radiant Mercury^(TM). International security accreditation standards for the F-35 Joint Strike Fighter. Primary interface with UK's GCHQ.

• Senior Software Engineer Lockheed Martin Missiles & Space Company 1998–2006 Invented nested digital signatures for satellite imagery files—U.S. patent no. 8,793,499 issued. Discovered the optical TEMPEST effect and its countermeasures—U.S. patent no. 6,987,461. Software developer and security engineer with responsibility for the real-time performance of Radiant Mercury^(TM) on the B-2 stealth bomber.

• University Instructor, CSSE 591 (Computer Networks) Seattle University 1998 Taught practical networking design from a business perspective, layers 1 through 4 and TCP/IP. NICs, bridges, routers, and firewalls. IP numbering, DHCP and DNS, file and print servers. Network backbone design trade-offs, structured cabling, security & data encryption, storage and mail servers.

Leadership, Proposal Wins, and Funding

Principal Investigator, awarded \$968,412.00 for "Probabilistic Redaction", USAF Rome Laboratory contract no. FA8750-09-C-0006, period of performance 2009–2012; completed on time and budget.

Security Vulnerabilities Discovered

- Silent reversion to insecure defaults in Mac OS X 10.10 'Yosemite' /etc/sshd_config file, 2014.
- Unlimited password retries permitted in Trusted Solaris 8 HW 2/04 Certified Edition, 2006.
- Light emitting diodes leak information from many types of data communication equipment (a side channel), including plaintext from certain cryptographic hardware modules, 2002.
- Privilege escalation in crontab yields root shell on Trusted Solaris 8 version 4/01, 2000.
- Time-of-check/time-of-use gap is exploitable in EEPROM boot password across Sun Microsystems UltraSPARC hardware, 1999.
- Full control of Trusted Path indicator from an unprivileged process, Trusted Solaris 2.5, 1998.

Open Source Software Contributions

- Terence Eden, Joe Loughry, and Bruce Nordman. Unicode Technical Committee (San Jose, CA: February 3-6, 2014) https://github.com/jloughry/Unicode/#readme added the IEC 60417-5007, -8, -9, and -10 (ISO 7000:2012) and IEEE-Std-1621:2004 symbols to Unicode 9.0.
- OpenSolaris: http://www.opensolaris.org (2006) found a bug in password retry limit of Solaris 8, Solaris 10, and Trusted Solaris; patch provided to Sun Microsystems and accepted.
- The FreeBSD Project: http://www.freebsd.org (1999) contributed a new console screen saver based on Wu's fast anti-aliased line drawing algorithm to FreeBSD 3.2.
- Fetchmail: http://www.fetchmail.info/ (1998) patch to handle multi-homed machines.

Refereed Journal Articles

• "Information Leakage from Optical Emanations" by J. Loughry and D.A. Umphress. *ACM Transactions on Information and System Security* **5**(3) pp. 262–289, 2002.

Peer-Reviewed Conference Presentations

- "A Model of Certifier and Accreditor Risk Calculation for Multi-Level Systems." *Proc. 13th IEEE International Conference on Technologies for Homeland Security (HST'13)*. Boston, Massachusetts, 12–14 November, 2013.
- "Information Asymmetry in Classified Cross Domain System Accreditation." 19th Comp. & Elec. Sec. Appl. Rend. (C&ESAR 2012). Rennes, France, 20–22 Nov. 2012, pp. 19–28, 2012.
- "Unsteady Ground: Certification to Unstable Criteria." Second International Conference on Advances in System Testing and Validation Life Cycle. Nice, France, 2010.
- "Use of XML in the Specification and Development of a New High Assurance Controlled Interface." *Proc. 2nd Network Centric Warfare Conf.*, Washington, D.C., 22nd Jan. 2003.

Other Published Reports

- "Efficiently enumerating the subsets of a set" by J. Loughry, et al. (in preparation).
- "Probabilistic Redaction" final technical report. US Air Force, Rome, New York, 2012. Available from the Defense Technical Information Center (DTIC), Washington, D.C.
- "Subsets of an 8-element set in order by number of elements in each subset." The On-line Encyclopedia of Integer Sequences, AT&T Research, 2003.
- RISKS (ACM Forum on Risks to the Public in Computers and Related Systems) vols 17.31, 21.94–5, 22.81, 24.07, 24.22–3, 24.55, 24.87, 25.73, 26.46, 27.19, and 28.02.

Security Clearance

U.S. citizen, previously cleared TS/SCI (currently inactive) with counterintelligence polygraph; last investigation date: 5 August 2009 (SSBI PR); last CI poly 26th May 2010. CISSP-ISSEP no. 10411.

Education

- Doctor of Philosophy (D.Phil.) in computer science, St Cross College, Oxford. Title of thesis: Security Test and Evaluation of Cross Domain Systems, 2016.
- Master of Software Engineering (M.S.E.), Seattle University.
- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in mathematics, University of Colorado at Boulder.

Officerships and Committee Work

- Co-organiser of a public debate between Dr Aubrey de Grey and Prof. Colin Blakemore, chaired by Professor Sir Richard Peto, in the Sheldonian Theatre, Oxford, 2012.
- Chair of the OXFORD-CS-2011 Conference Programme Committee
- Member of the COMLAB-CS-2010 and COMLAB-CS-2009 Programme Committees.
- President of the Oxford Lyceum, 2009–2015.
- IT Officer, Oxford University Scientific Society, 2009–2015.
- Treasurer of the Oxford Lyceum, 2007–2009.

Affiliations

Member of ACM SIGSAC & SIGSOFT, IEEE & the IEEE Computer Society, (ISC)², ISACA, the Oxford Hackspace, the Royal Institution of Great Britain, and the Unicode Consortium.

Social Networking Addresses

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- Hacker News: https://news.ycombinator.com/threads?id=jloughry
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