The Digital Speakeasy: Secure and Anonymous Access to Your Website

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What Is The Digital Speakeasy?

Browsing in Secret

- Plain Text browsing

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<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en-US">
  <head>
    <meta charset="utf-8">
    <title>Web design, development, and strategy |
Four Kitchens</title>
    <meta name="viewport" content="width=device-
width, initial-scale=1.0, maximum-scale=1.0">
    <meta property="og:title" content="Web design,
development, and strategy">
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<meta property="og:url" content="http://
fourkitchens.com/">
<link rel="canonical" href="http://
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Server: nginx/1.6.1
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Content-Length: 56595
Last-Modified: Wed, 17 Aug 2016 00:07:26 GMT
Connection: keep-alive
Vary: Accept-Encoding
ETag: "57b3aabe-dd13"
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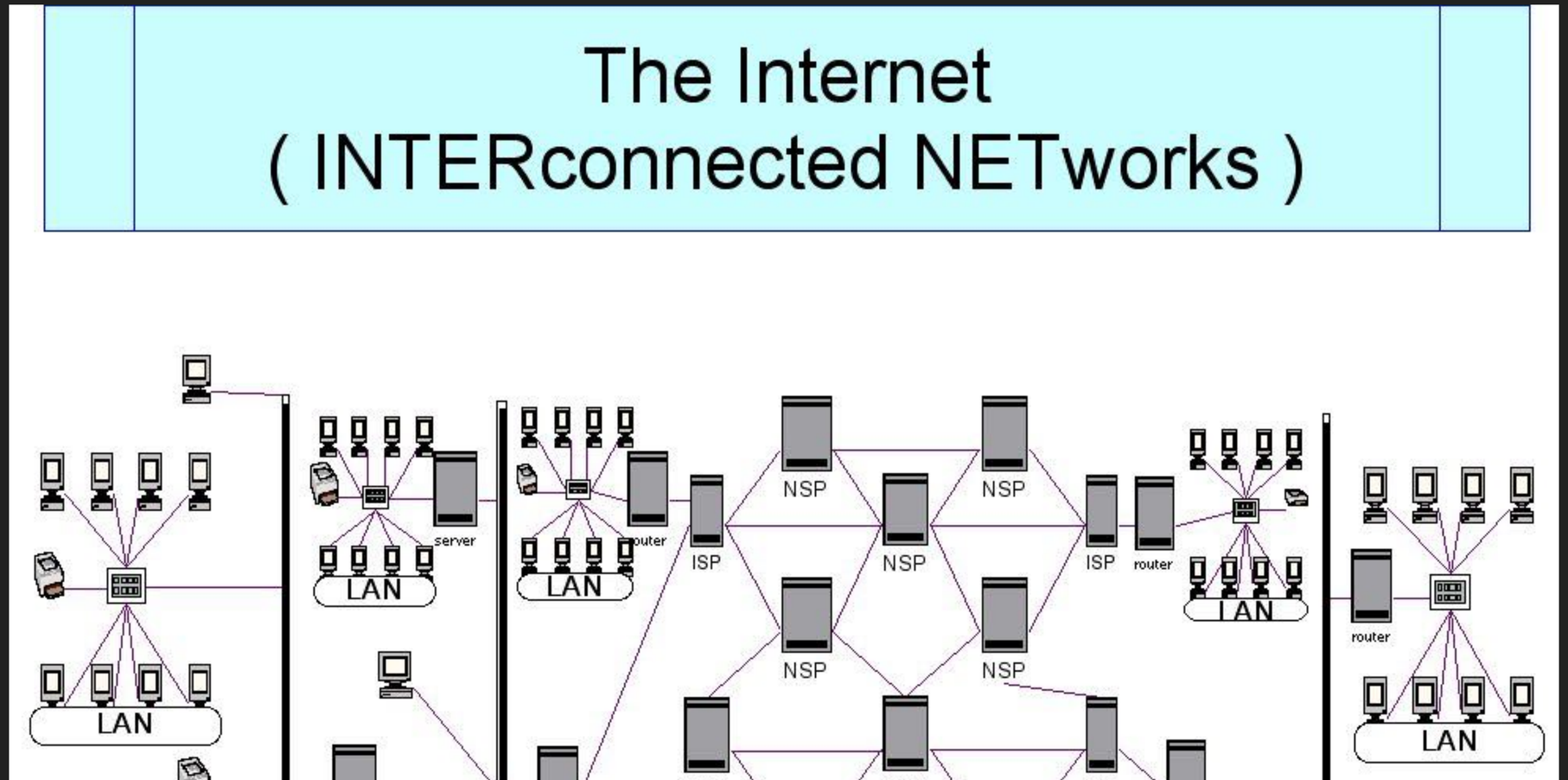
The Internet Is Trusting By Default

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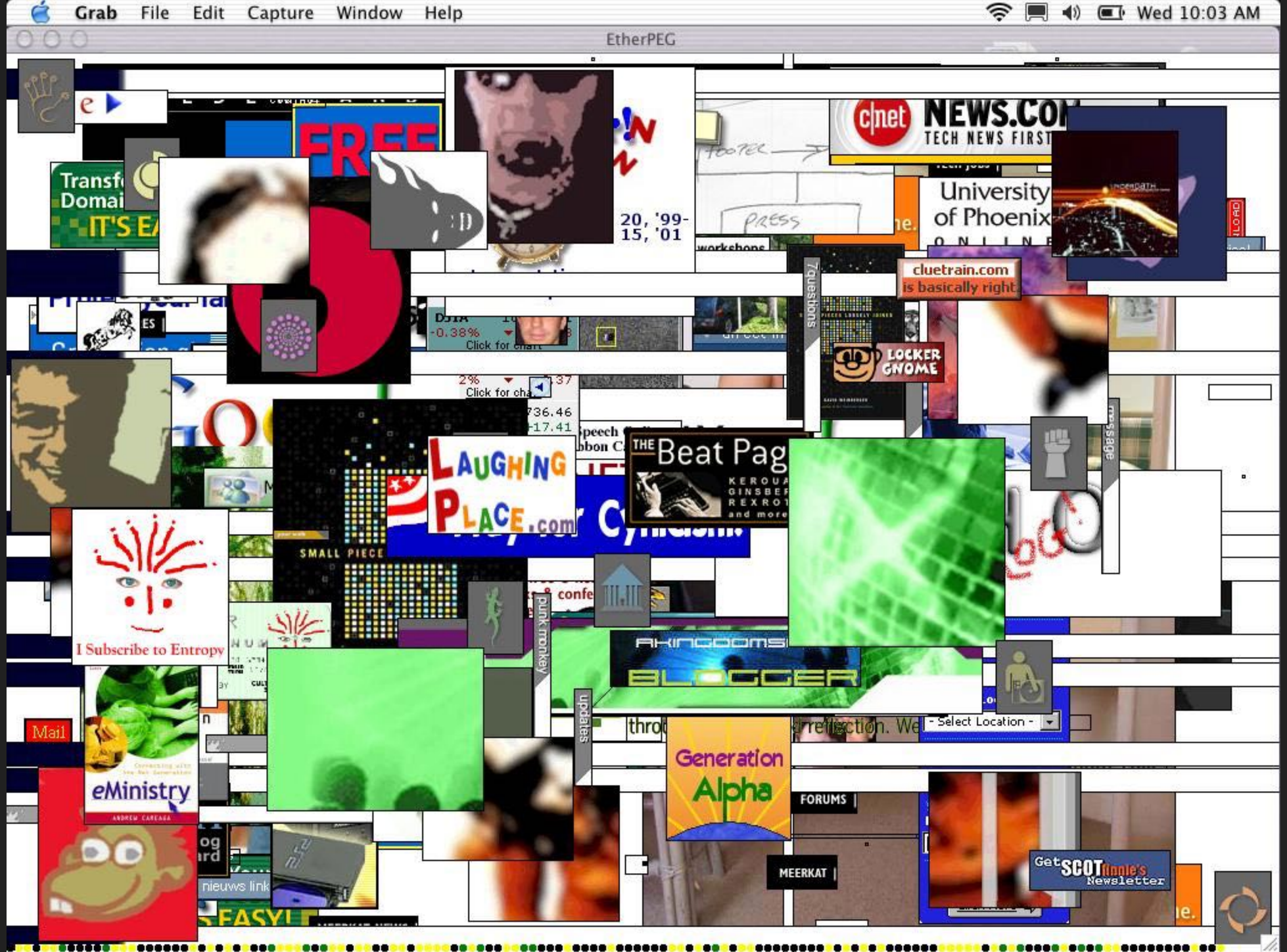
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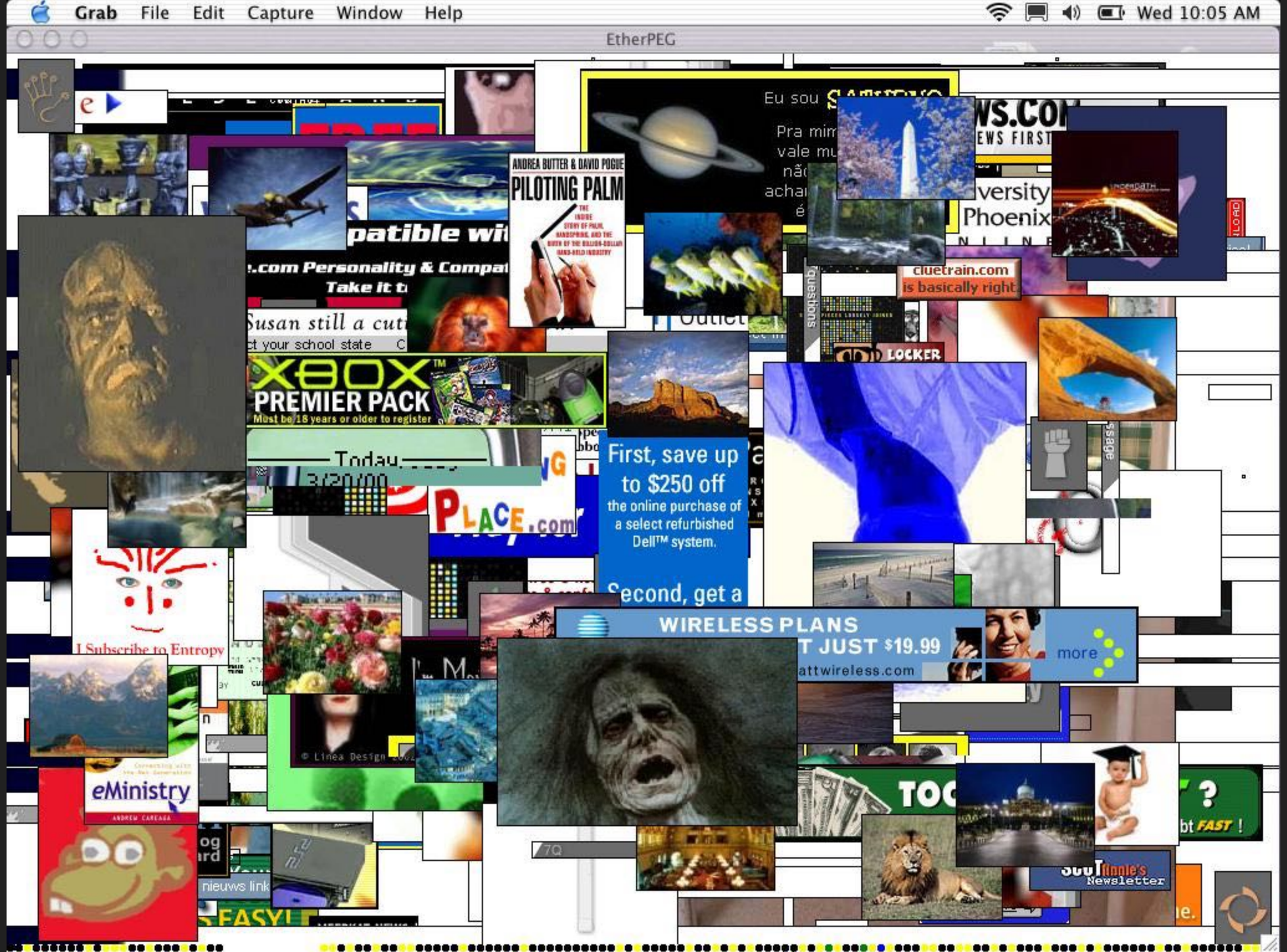
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Browsing in Secret

- Plain Text browsing
- HTTPS browsing

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- HTTPS browsing
- Onion Router (gen 0 and gen 1)

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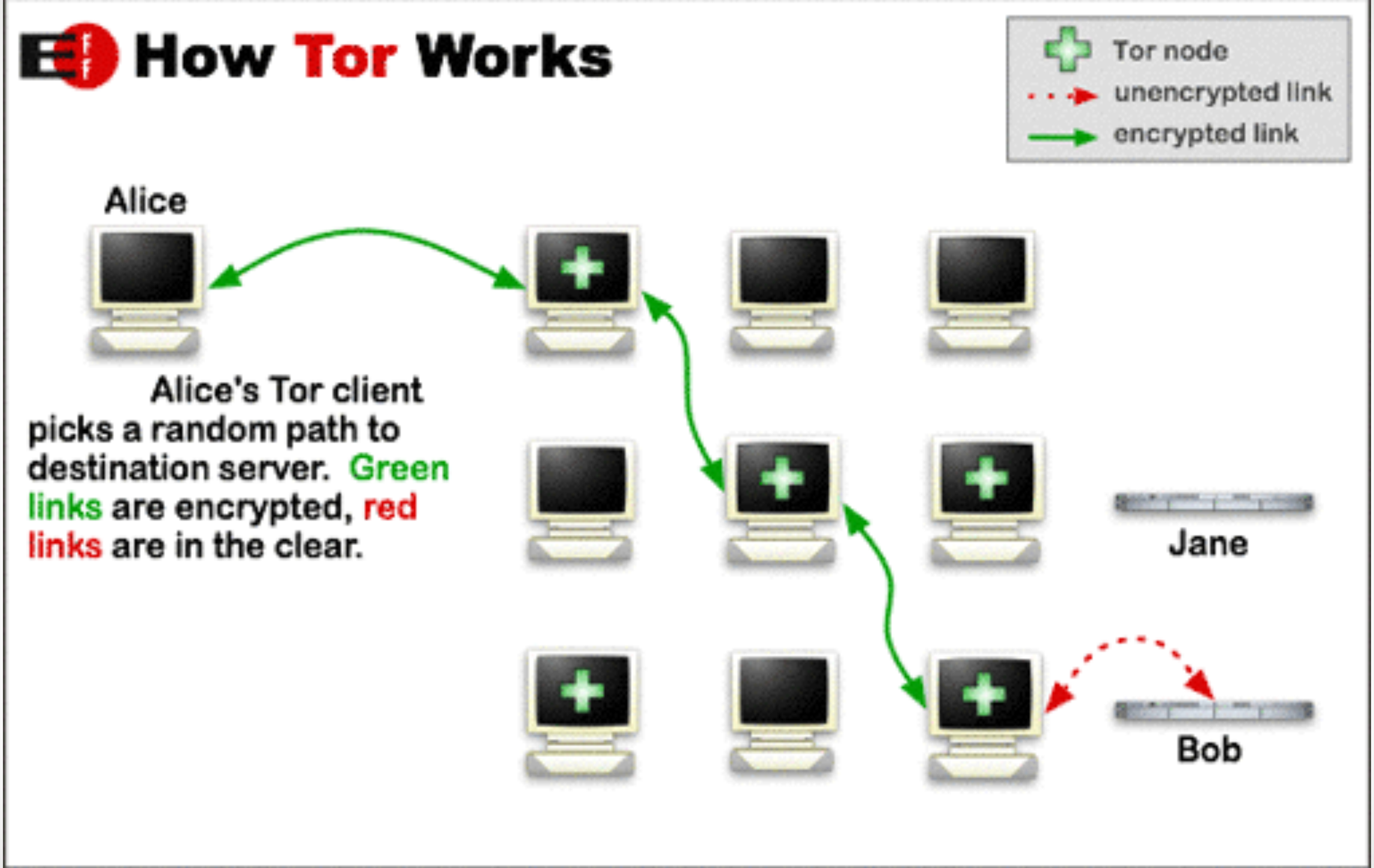
- Onion Router (gen 1)
- Tor (The Onion Router, gen 2)

How Tor Works



The Rule of Three

So Why Bother?

The Importance of Privacy

- Not all governments are that forgiving
  - Arab Spring
  - Turkish Coup

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The Importance of Privacy

- Not all governments are that forgiving
  - Arab Spring
  - Turkish Coup
- Not all jobs are fully ethical
  - Edward Snowden
  - Chelsea Manning
- Your reading habits can have consequences
  - Open Societies Foundation

Soros hacked, thousands of Open Society Foundations files released online

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TO THE TECHNOLOGY COMMUNITY:

Your threat model just changed.

Incoming President Donald Trump made campaign promises that, if carried out, threaten the free web and the rights of millions of people. He has praised attempts to undermine digital security, supported mass surveillance, and threatened net neutrality. He promised to identify and deport millions of your friends and neighbors, track people based on their religious beliefs, and suppress freedom of the press.

And he wants to use your servers to do it.

Today, we are calling on the technology community to unite with the Electronic Frontier Foundation in securing our networks against this threat.

ENCRYPT: Use HTTPS and end-to-end encryption for every user transaction, communication, and activity by default.

DELETE: Scrub your logs. You cannot be made to surrender data you do not have.

REVEAL: If you get a government request to monitor users or censor speech, tell the world.

RESIST: Fight for user rights in court, on Capitol Hill, and beyond.

Well, Tor Seems Great!

But There's A Problem

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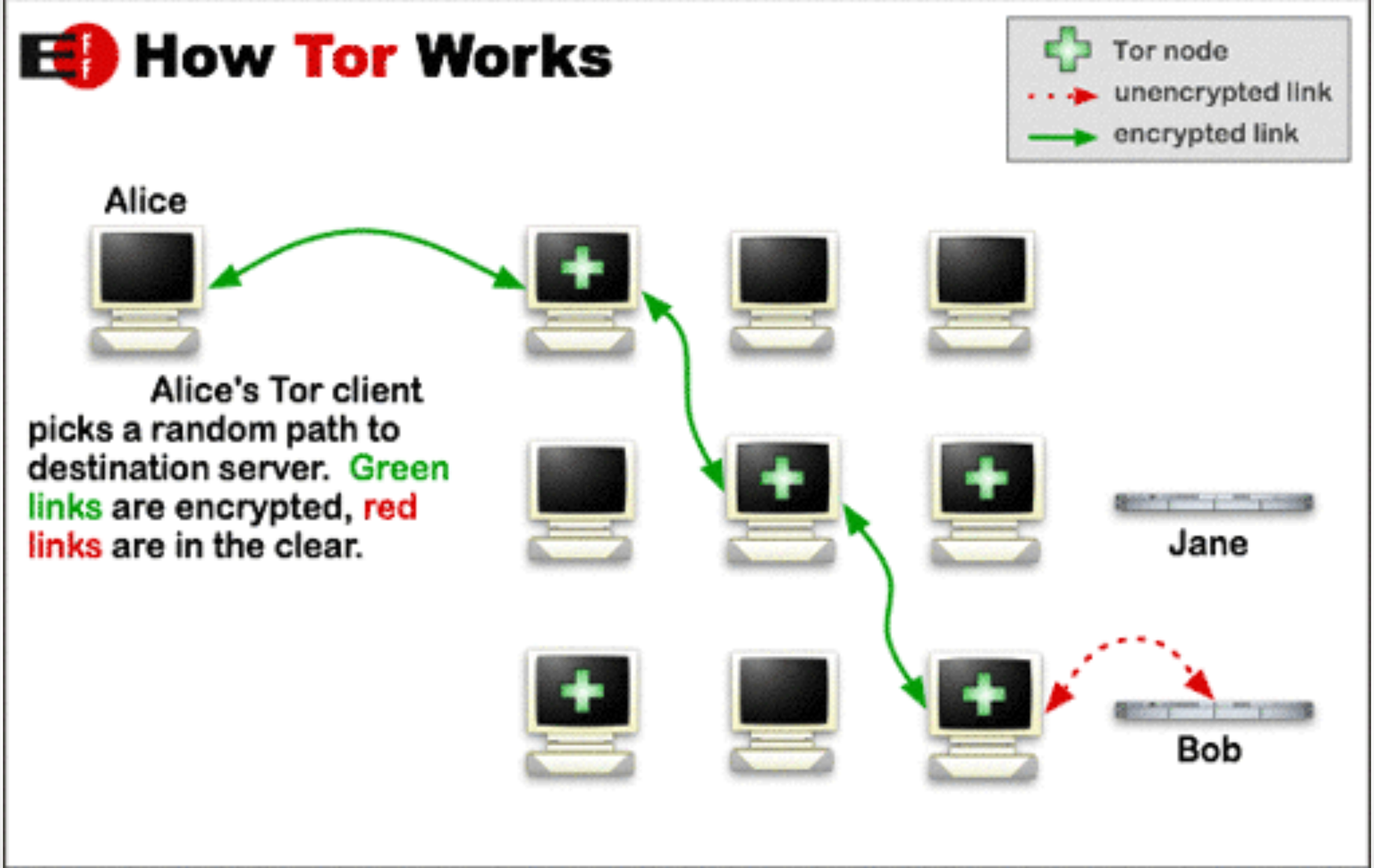

Hidden Services

http://fkdheignoueupfmf.onion/

http://facebookcorewwwi.onion/

```
Cooking up some delicious scallions...
Using kernel optimized from file kernel.cl (Optimized4)
Using work group size 128
Compiling kernel... done.
Testing SHA1 hash...
CPU SHA-1: d3486ae9136e7856bc42212385ea797094475802
GPU SHA-1: d3486ae9136e7856bc42212385ea797094475802
Looks good!
LoopIteration:40  HashCount:671.09MH  Speed:9.5MH/s  Runtime:
00:01:10  Predicted:00:00:56  Found new key! Found 1 unique keys.
<XmlMatchOutput>
  <GeneratedDate>2014-08-05T07:14:50.329955Z</GeneratedDate>
  <Hash>prefix64kxpwmzdz.onion</Hash>
  <PrivateKey>-----BEGIN RSA PRIVATE KEY-----
MIICXAIBAAKBgQCmYmTnwGOCpsPOqvs5mZQbIM1TTqOHK1r6zGvpk61ZaT7z2BCE
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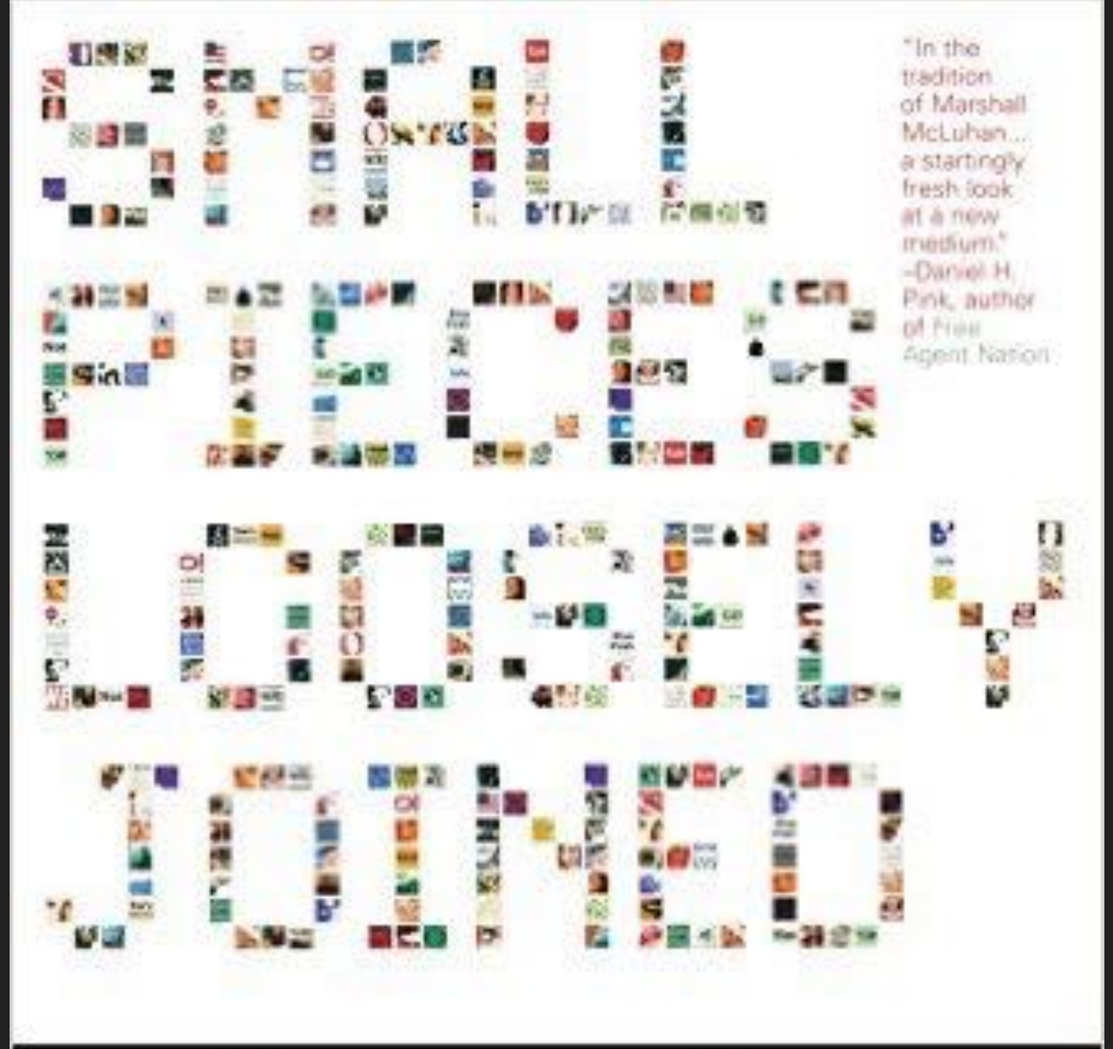
```

But Drupal?

Drupal Hidden Services

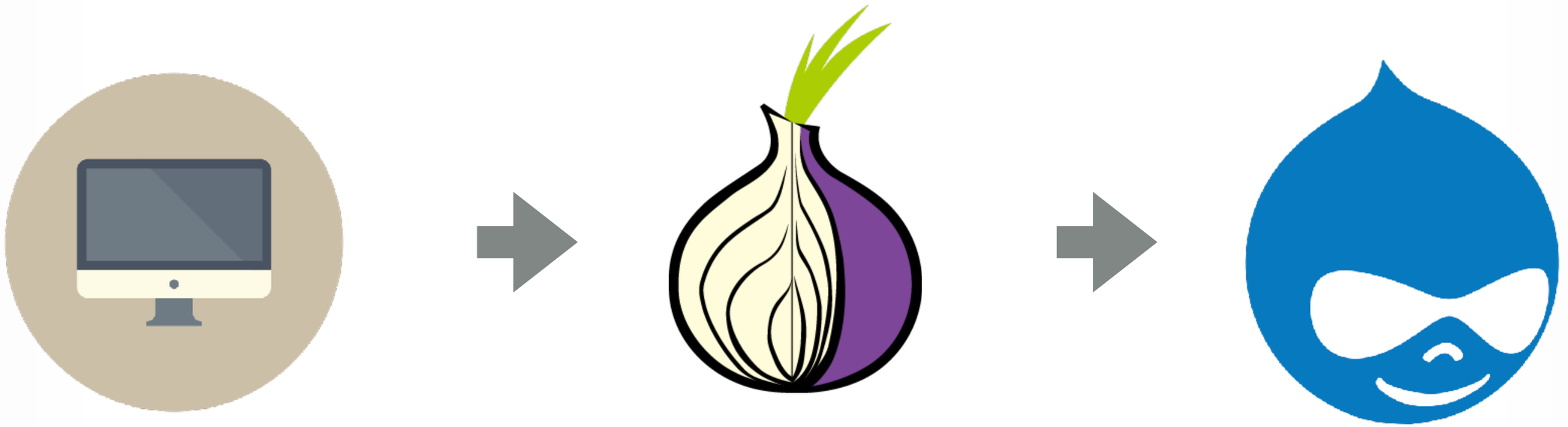
- Drupal Module (http://dgo.to/tor)
  - Very out of date, somewhat clunky
- Tor on Production Server
  - Complicates production server
  - Potential attack vectors
- Something else?



a unified theory of the web

david weinberger

The Unix Way™



Reverse Proxy Setup

- Drupal server only accessed as standard web server
  - Can't blame Tor if the server white screens
- Drupal server can continue to collect logs normally
  - Tor server can be locked down and scrubbed

```
# Try to run Tor more securely via a syscall sandbox.
# https://www.torproject.org/docs/tor-manual.html.en#Sandbox
Sandbox 1

# Disable the SOCKS port. Not like anything else on this box is
using tor.
SocksPort 0

HiddenServiceDir /var/lib/tor/hidserv
#HiddenServicePort 80 127.0.0.1:80

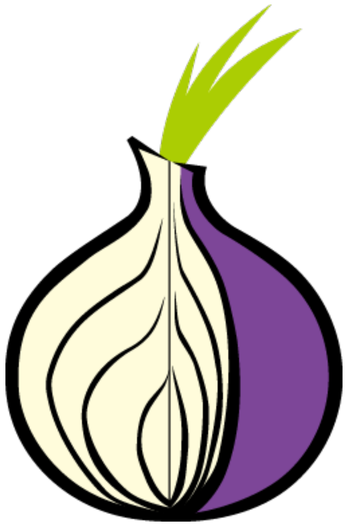
HiddenServicePort 80  unix:/var/run/nginx-80.sock
#HiddenServicePort 443 unix:/var/lib/nginx/nginx-443.sock
```

```
server {
    server_name fdg22p3lmweopgho.onion;
    listen unix:/var/run/nginx-80.sock;
    allow "unix:";
    deny all;
    #listen 80;
    #allow 127.0.0.1;

    # Set cache on this nginx end so that we avoid fetching from
    # the real infrastructure when possible.
    proxy_cache tor;
    proxy_cache_valid any 5m;
    proxy_cache_revalidate on;
    proxy_cache_use_stale timeout updating;
    proxy_cache_key $request_uri;
    proxy_ignore_headers expires set-cookie;

    server_tokens off;
```

Ideal Setup



Private Networking

192.168.1.100

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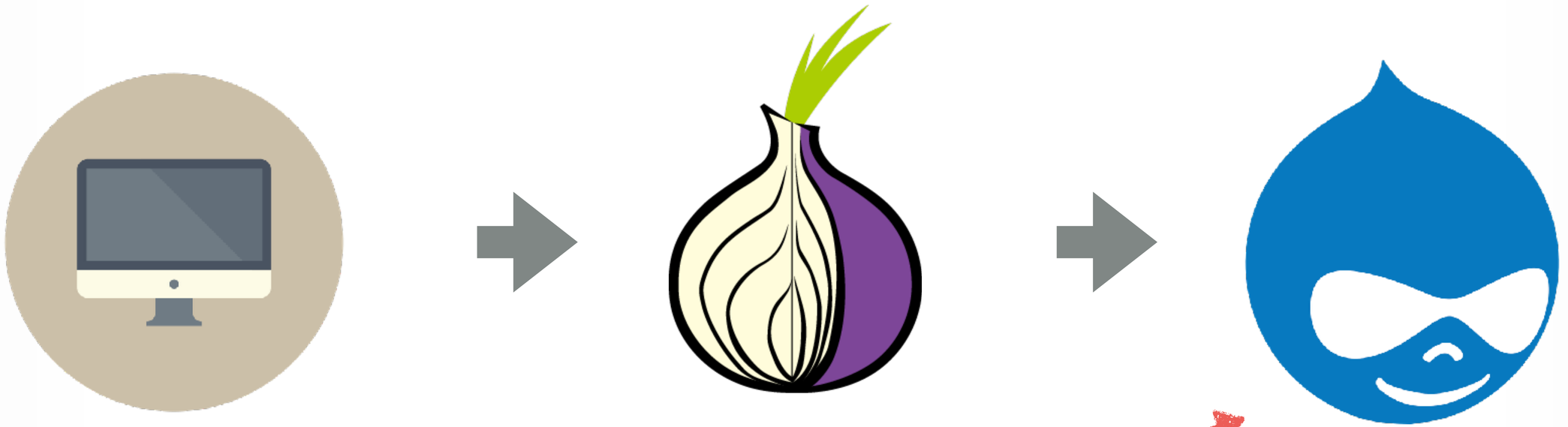
```
location / {
    proxy_pass https://192.168.1.100;
    proxy_http_version 1.1;
    proxy_set_header Host "www.website.org";
    proxy_set_header  Connection      $connection_upgrade;
    proxy_set_header  Upgrade         $http_upgrade;
    #proxy_ssl_server_name on;
    proxy_read_timeout 30;
    proxy_connect_timeout 30;

    # Don't compress data, since the subs module can't replace
    proxy_set_header Accept-Encoding "";

    # TODO: denying non-GET requests due to some bot-related
    #       abuse on some endpoints that poorly handle that.
    limit_except GET {
        deny all;
    }
```

An Important Step

http://fkdheignoueupfmf.onion/



http://website.org/node/42

```
### SUBS https://github.com/yaoweibin/
ngx_http_substitutions_filter_module ###
        # We're rewriting links, but we need to preserve
rel=canonical for analytics.
        subs_filter "rel=\"canonical\" href=\"http://
www.website.org" "-----CANONICALHTTPfdgDOTORG-----" i;
        subs_filter "rel=\"canonical\" href=\"https://
www.website.org" "-----CANONICALHTTPSfdgDOTORG-----" i;
  # Keep links in .onion
  subs_filter (http:|https:)?//(www\.)?website.org //$server_name
gir;
        # Restore the rel="canonical" tag
        subs_filter "-----CANONICALHTTPfdgDOTORG-----"
"rel=\"canonical\" href=\"http://www.website.org" i;
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        ### /SUBS ###
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```
### HEADERS http://wiki.nginx.org/HttpHeadersMoreModule ###
      more_clear_headers "Age";
      more_clear_headers "Server";
      more_clear_headers "Via";
      more_clear_headers "X-From-Nginx";
      more_clear_headers "X-NA";
      more_clear_headers "X-Powered-By";
      more_clear_headers "X-Request-Id";
      more_clear_headers "X-Runtime";
      more_clear_headers "X-Varnish";
      more_clear_headers "Content-Security-Policy-Report-Only";
      ### /HEADERS ###

  }
```

Ideal Setup

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It's only illegal if you *get caught*

- me, 1998

It's only secure if they can't
prove anything

- me, 2016

Ideal Setup

- All logging turned off
  - All log paths set to /dev/null
  - Belt and suspenders?
- Increase speed
  - One 🐵 instead of three?

Future Improvements

- Future Improvements
  - Single Onion Services - 1 hop server (🐵)
  - OnionBalance - load balancing
  - SSL Certificates

There Can Be Only One

- Hidden sites, by their nature, have unique and secure URLs
- It's still possible to be exposed to malicious Tor nodes
- Your browser might try to communicate to non-Onion addresses

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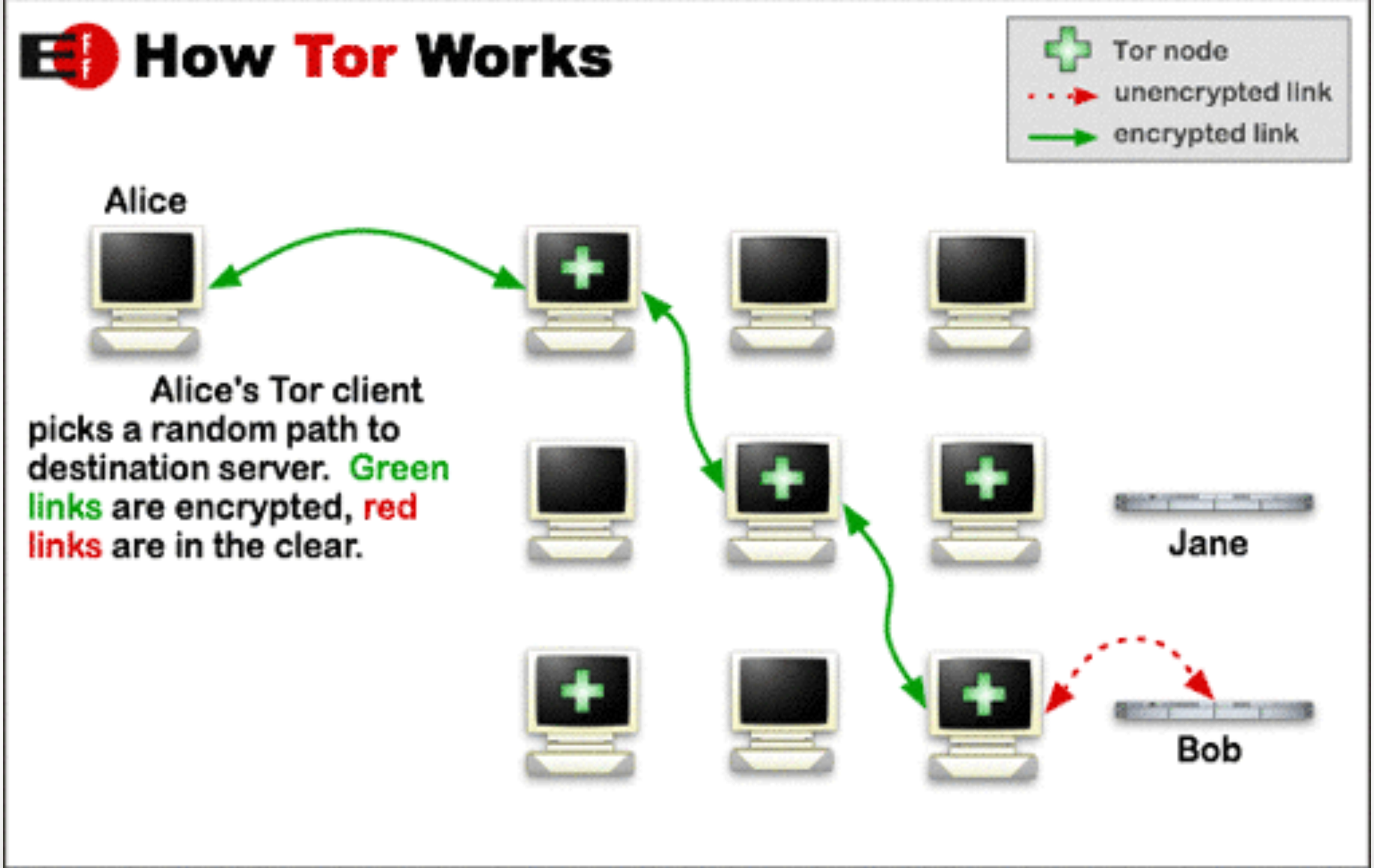

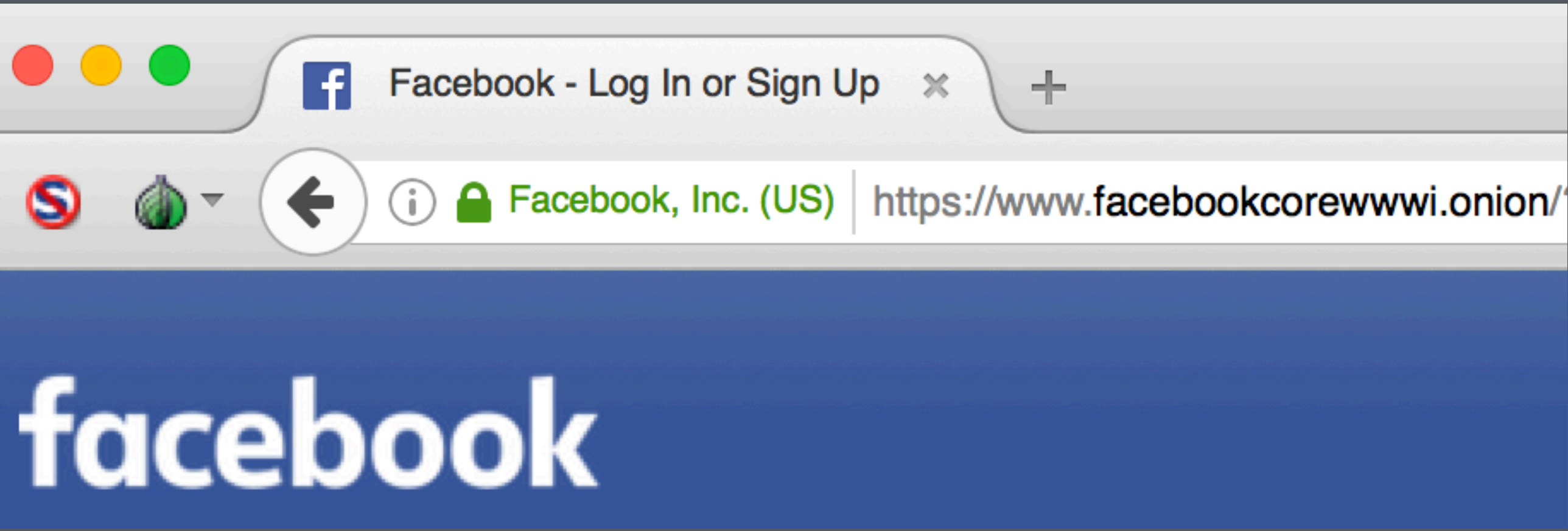
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.Onion Officially Recognized as Special-Use Domain

.Onion now classified as a special-use, top-level domain by Internet Engineering Steering Group (IESG).

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  - Working to standardize .onion as a TLD

Extra Credit Assignments

- Generally secure networking - email, calendar, etc
- OnionShare filesharing
- Non-hidden but protected sharing (Tor + secret key)
  - A true speakeasy!
- DNS circumventing routing - share your localhost

Resource Links

General:

https://www.torproject.org/about/overview.html.en

https://www.torproject.org/docs/hidden-services.html.en

https://www.eff.org/pages/tor-and-https

ProPublica setup:

https://www.propublica.org/nerds/item/a-more-secure-and-anonymous-propublica-using-tor-hidden-services

https://gist.github.com/mtigas/9a7425dfdacda15790b2

HTTPS:

https://www.cybersecureasia.com/blog/tor-ssl-onion-certificate-from-digicert

Vanity URL:

http://www.zdnet.com/article/facebook-sets-up-hidden-service-for-tor-users/

Future Stuff:

http://onionbalance.readthedocs.io/en/latest/

https://blog.torproject.org/blog/whats-new-tor-0298

https://onionshare.org

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Thanks!
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https://github.com/milsyobtaf/prez