

Day 3

Objective: To study the psychology behind social engineering and phishing attacks.

Work Description: This session focused on human psychology and why people fall victim to phishing attacks. Concepts such as fear, urgency, curiosity, authority, and rewards were explained with practical examples. The trainer demonstrated how attackers manipulate emotions to convince victims to click malicious links or share sensitive information. Real-world phishing messages were analyzed to identify psychological triggers used by attackers.

Outcome: Understood how human behavior is exploited in phishing attacks.