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## CERTIFICATIONS

- ◆ CISSP, #91033, May 2009
- ◆ GIAC Reverse Engineering Malware (GREM), #3833, Feb 2014

## PATENTS

- ◆ Security Apparatus and Method for Local Area Networks (US Patent 7,124,197).
- ◆ Peer Connected Device for Protecting Access to Local Area Networks (US Patent 7,448,076).
- ◆ Security Apparatus and Method for Local Area Networks (continuation) (US Patent 7,499,999).
- ◆ Detection of Wireless Devices (US Patent 7,570,625).
- ◆ Sled-Based Injection – method of testing network protocol for resilience to specific method of attack (US Patent 8,756,697).

## PRESENTATIONS & WORKS

- ◆ Thotcon, “Synspotting for Teenagers and Real Swinging Adults” Exploration into network traffic visualization, utilizing low-fidelity visuals that depict the entire Internet address space by Autonomous System Numbers, 2015. <https://github.com/nosteve/synspot>
- ◆ RSA Security Conference, “Cloudy with a Chance of Sploits” Research presented on code supply chain security concerns, including live demonstration of malicious app injection, 2013.
- ◆ Black Hat USA, “BeEF Injection with MITM” Released “shank” tool to demonstrate attackers’ ability to takeover systems connected to insecure networks, 2012. [https://github.com/SpiderLabs/beef\\_injection\\_framework](https://github.com/SpiderLabs/beef_injection_framework)
- ◆ DEF CON, “Blinkie Lights” Empowering users to monitor and detect malicious behavior, 2011. <https://github.com/SpiderLabs/cerealbox/>
- ◆ Black Hat Europe, “Oracle Interrupted” Released “thicknet” tool to intercept and manipulate Oracle database traffic, 2010. <https://github.com/SpiderLabs/thicknet>

## CORE COMPETENCIES

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| ◆ Security Research                    | ◆ Prototyping / Software Development |
| ◆ Penetration Testing / Security Tools | ◆ Documentation / Technical Writing  |
| ◆ Incident Readiness and Response      | ◆ Training / Team Building           |
| ◆ Patents / Intellectual Property      | ◆ Communication / Presentation       |
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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### SCATTER

Washington, DC

2015 Oct - Present

*Threat Intelligence and Privacy Product Development*

### CTO / Professional Services

- ◆ Startup company focused on development and integration of intelligence and privacy solutions
- ◆ Providing professional services in the areas of threat intelligence, security research, and tool development

## SECURESTATE

Cleveland, OH

2014 Jul – 2015 Oct

*Information security management consulting firm.*

### CTO / Incident Response Manager

- ◆ **Technology leadership** across all internal and client-facing systems.
- ◆ **Incident Response** manager and subject matter expert, providing proactive and on-demand triage and investigation services to clients.
- ◆ **Increased Incident Response revenue** through technical and business development.
- ◆ **Developed Cloud Platform** for interaction with clients, speeding delivery and revamping monetization model of platform using Amazon Web Services.

## FIDELITY INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Jacksonville, FL

2013 – 2014 Jul

*Multibillion dollar provider of banking software and information technology solutions.*

### U.S. FIS Incident Response Team (FSIRT) Manager

- ◆ **Led and expanded** U.S. FIS Incident Response Team (FSIRT) to include strategic focus areas
- ◆ **Reduced Time-to-Close** by 80% by empowering staff and streamlining processes
- ◆ **Achieved executive compliance goals** through execution of revised **Incident Response Plan**
- ◆ **Created Security Intelligence Program**, offering **proactive security awareness** to lines of business and executive staff

## TRUSTWAVE SpiderLabs, (Mirage Networks, Wholepoint Corporation),

Chicago, IL

2001 – 2012

*Multimillion dollar developer of network access control solutions for Fortune 500, education, financial, healthcare, high tech, and government entities. (Mirage acquired by Trustwave in 2008.)*

**Director of Security Research**, Trustwave SpiderLabs, Chicago, IL

2010 – 2012

**Senior Security Consultant**, Trustwave SpiderLabs, Chicago, IL

2008 – 2010

**Senior Software Engineer**, Mirage Networks, Austin, TX

2004 – 2008

**Chief Technology Officer**, Wholepoint Corporation, San Francisco, CA

2001 – 2004

## NETWORK SECURITY SOFTWARE / DEVICE / PATENT DEVELOPMENT

- ◆ Ensured **viability** and **profitability** of start-up of Wholepoint Corporation (network security company) by **inventing innovative software, devices, and solutions**, facilitating **valuation** and **acquisition** of Mirage Networks by multibillion dollar **Trustwave**.
- ◆ **Awarded 5 patents**, with one patent pending, and served as **trusted advisor** with patent attorney on developments for Trustwave / SpiderLabs.

## NETWORK SECURITY RESEARCH MANAGEMENT / TESTING / PROBLEM SOLVING

- ◆ Directed startup and growth of **Security Research Department**, from **7 to 30 researchers** and **1 to 6 teams**, **positioning as trusted expert in network security** by developing, introducing, and enhancing:
  - Replacement of third-party with **in-house, more effective, higher quality scanning platform**, **saving hundreds of thousands of dollars** annually in licensing fees for **1+ M clients**.
  - Payment Card Industry **Authorized Scanning Vendor Certification (ASV)**.
  - **Intelligence feeds with daily email alerts** (new stream of revenue) based on risk gathering, and commercial support of ModSecurity, most widely deployed web application firewall in world.
- ◆ **Supported SpiderLabs Incident Response** capability, working closely with Forensics unit to **reverse malware and perform technical forensics work** as needed.
- ◆ **Collaborated**, as network security expert, with company **Forensic / Incidence Response Team** and US government protection and security agencies to **enable detection and resolution of malware**.