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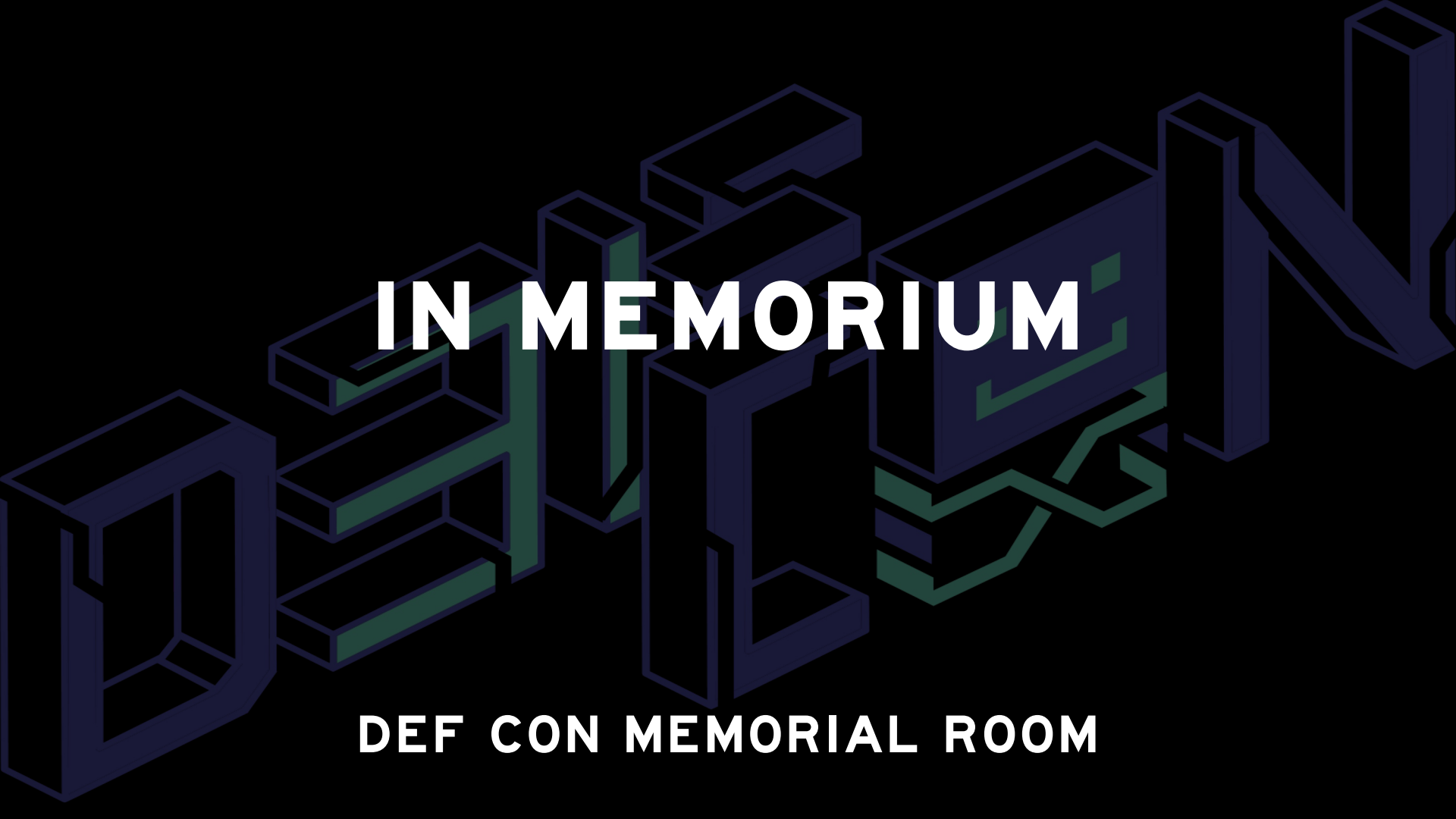
IN MEMORIUM
DEF CON MEMORIAL ROOM

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OUR SERVERS — OUR ADMINS — YOUR VOICES


THE FUTURE WILL PREVAIL
FREE
DO NOT REMOVE

UBER CONTRIBUTORS

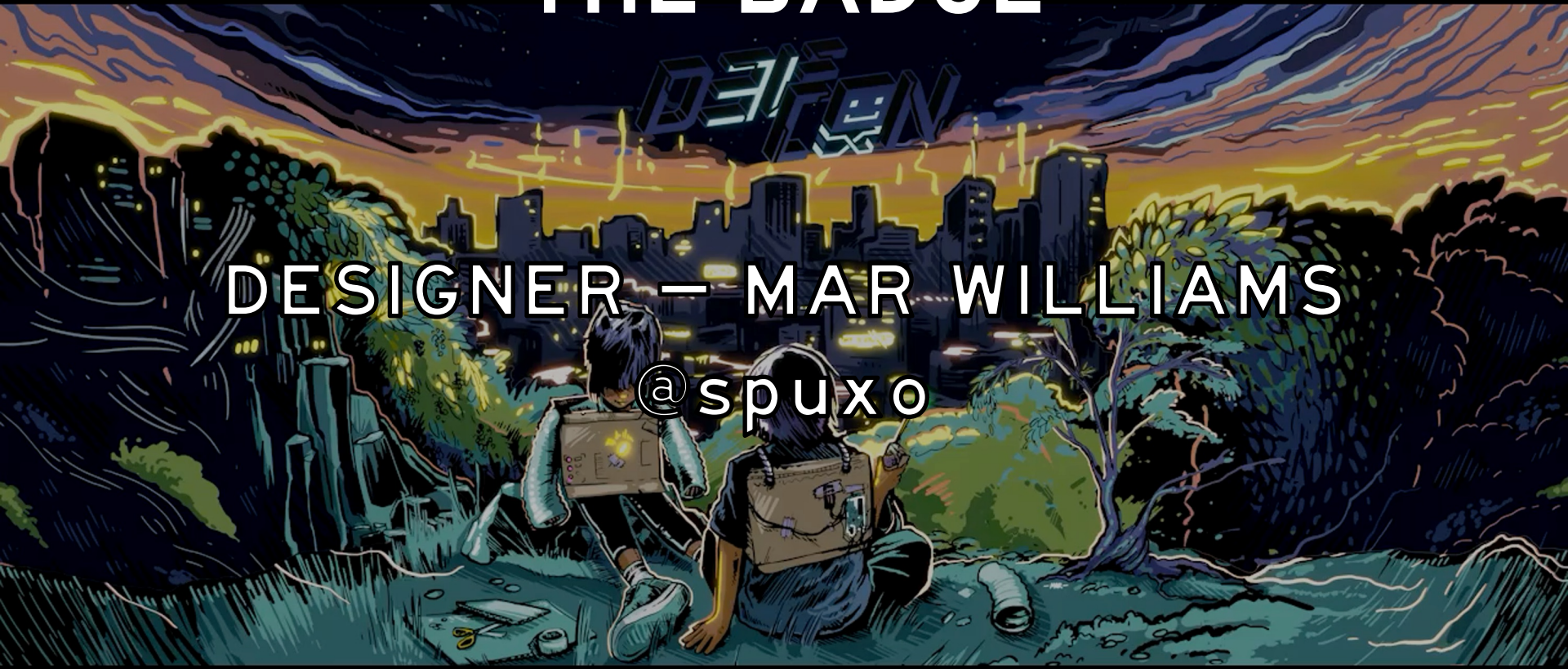
JOE “KINGPIN” GRAND

ENDLESS CURIOSITY & INNOVATION
THE ORIGINAL SPIRIT OF #BADGELIFE

WINN SCHWARTAU

FROM TERMINAL COMPROMISE TO
HACKER JEOPARDY
A SPIRIT OF ROCK ‘N ROLL

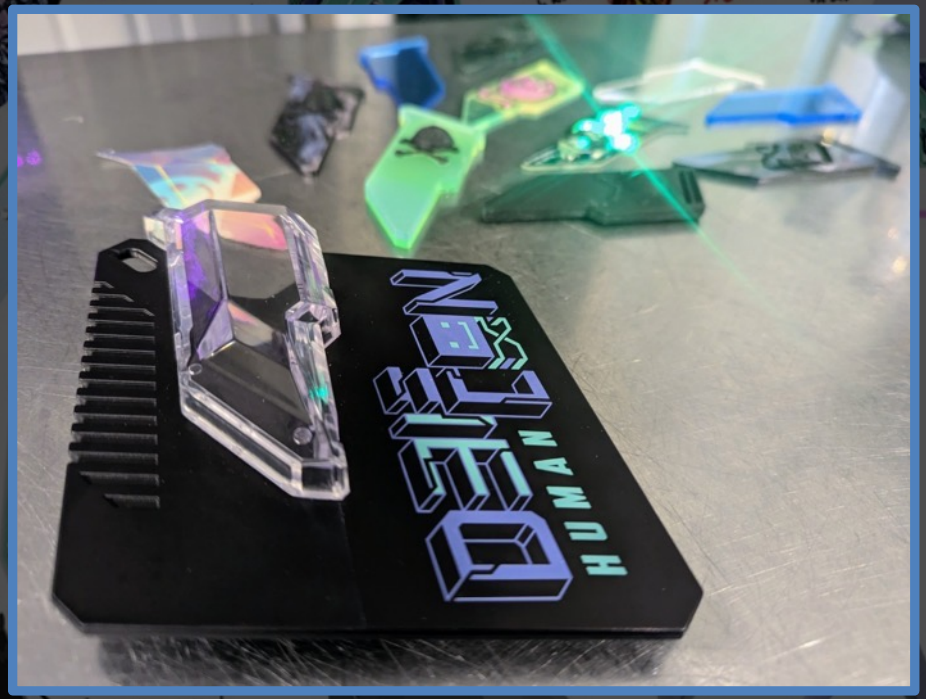
THE BADGE



THE BADGE

CONCEPT & DESIGN

PHYSICAL, ONLINE & CHALLENGE BY



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DEF CON ARTIST

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PHYSICAL BADGES

"THE MOST COMPLEX JIGSAW PUZZLE YOU'VE EVER DONE WITH JUST 2 PIECES — NUTMEG

PENROSE TILES — APERIODIC TILES THAT CAN TILE ENDLESSLY A WAY TO RETAIN INTERACTIVITY IN A NON-ELECTRONIC BADGE YEAR

2 RHOMBI - HUMAN AND INHUMAN SHAPES

FOCUS OF CUSTOMIZATION, AVATARS, EXPRESSION
SHOWCASING HOW PEOPLE ALREADY INTERACT WITH BADGES AND EACH OTHER AT CON THROUGH DEDICATED SPACE ON THE BADGE ITSELF

"REAL" AND BACKUP BADGES
MULTIPLE PROBLEMS WITH THE MANUFACTURER MEANT THAT WE DIDN'T GET ALL THE BADGES IN ON TIME. BACKUPS WERE QUICKLY MADE. BUT, WE MADE SURE THE BACKUPS RETAINED THE FUNCTIONALITY OF THE "REAL" BADGES:

POLYCARBONATE PLASTIC W/ CLEAR CHAMBER (IMPACT RESISTANT)

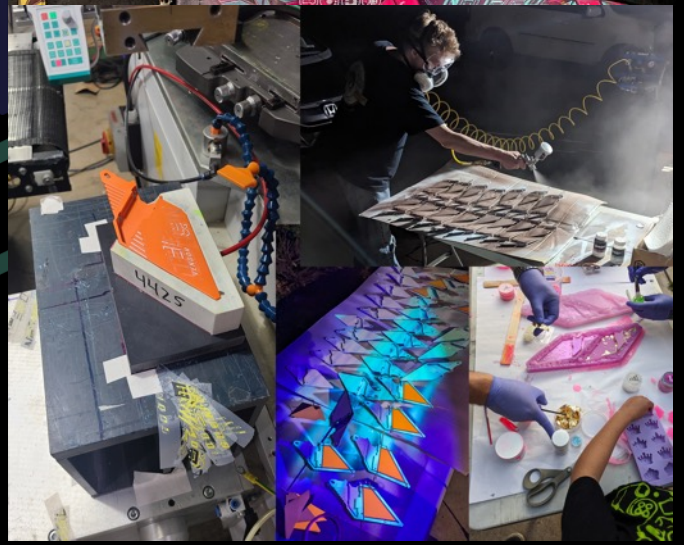
SAO (SHITTY ADD ONS) / INSERTS
- WE PRE-RELEASED SPECS ON DEFCON.ORG TO GIVE ATTENDEES EXTRA TIME TO CUSTOMIZE
- NOT JUST PCBS — A WIDE ARRAY OF MEDIUMS WERE SPOTTED!
- BACK OF PROGRAM POP OUTS FOR QUICKIE AVATAR CREATION

FLEXIBLE PLASTIC (BACKUP BADGE), HAS A SLEEVE THAT HOLDS BOTH THIN AND THICKER MATERIALS, SO SAOS STILL FUNCTIONAL AS BADGE FOCUS



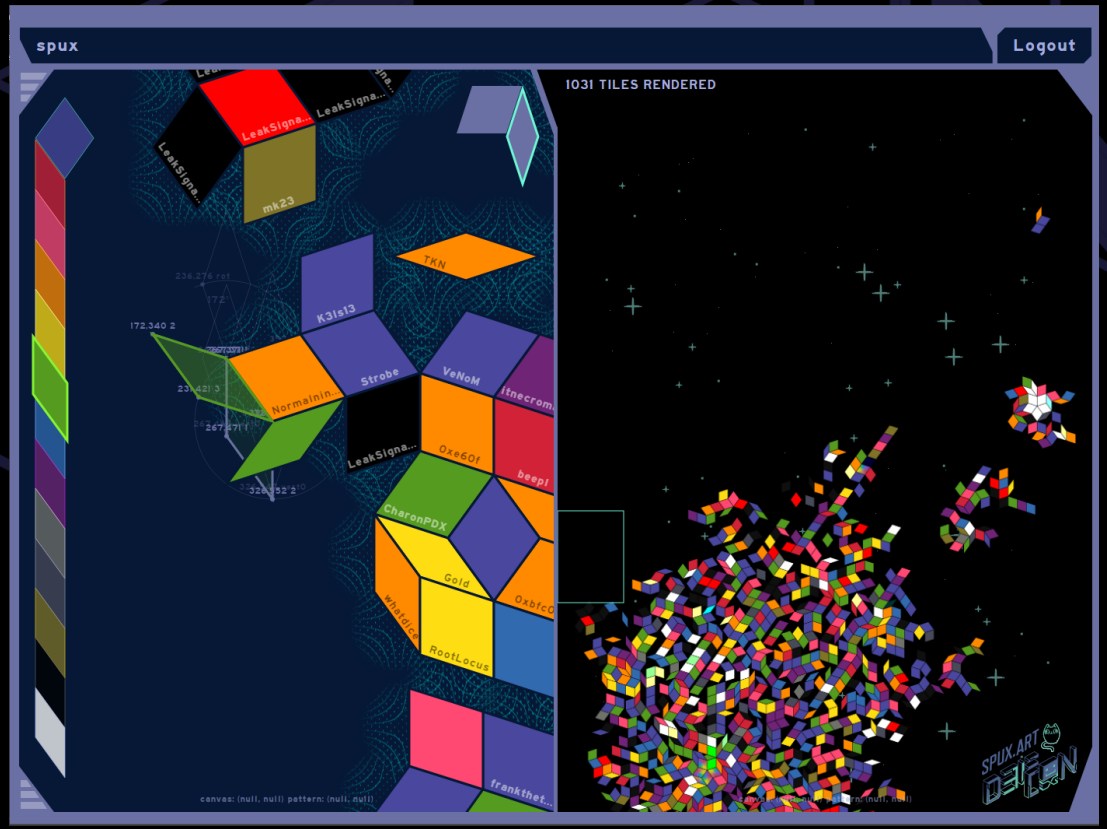
FLEXIBLE PLASTIC BADGES MAY BE TRADED IN NEXT YEAR FOR THE "REAL" ONES! HANG ON TO THEM!





PENROSE MOSAIC PROJECT (SPUX.ART)

- UUIDS WERE DISTRIBUTED IN BADGE PACKS.
- 1 UUID = 1 TILE
- ATTENDEES SELECT:
  - COLOR
  - SHAPE
  - HANDLE IF YOU CHOOSE
  - PLACE TILE AS MANY TIMES AS YOU'D LIKE, ALLOWING YOU TO LOOSELY ORGANIZE WITH OTHERS AROUND YOU TO CREATE PATTERNS AND IMAGES
- MOSAIC EVOLVES OVER THE COURSE OF THE CON



CHALLENGES

INSPIRED BY THE CHOCTAW CODE TALKERS AND THE CHOCTAW DIAMOND PATTERN

LANYARDS

COLLECTING ALL THE LANYARDS IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER RESULTS IN:

"CHI FIUUIXCH YA IL ACHAKULI TUKUT E CHIM ANOLI CHI HOSH E CHI PAHAYA TUK."

ONE WORD IS NOT IN CHOCTAW. IT'S "**FIUUIXCH**"

USING A CAESARS CIPHER SHIFTED BY NUMBER OF LANYARDS, AND THE ENGLISH + CHOCTAW ALPHABETS, YOU GET:
"WARRANTY"

ONLINE DECODERS WON'T USUALLY WORK BECAUSE THERE IS NO CHARACTER FOR THE UNDERLINED I
(NASALIZED I), WHICH IS AN EXTRA LITTLE TRICK THAT BREAKS IT AND GETS PEOPLE TO DECODE IT BY HAND.

TRANSLATE THE CHOCTAW AND YOU GET, ROUGHLY:

"WE'VE BEEN TRYING TO REACH YOU ABOUT YOUR EXTENDED WARRANTY."

ENTER THAT IN TO SPUX.ART (ON THE BACK OF YOUR BADGE) AND IT GAVE YOU A RAINBOW TILE FOR THE MOSAIC.

FLOOR PUZZLE

I USED THE ENGLISH + CHOCTAW ALPHABET FOR THE FLOOR PUZZLE CIPHER AS WELL.
THIS PATH WOULD LEAD YOU TOWARDS THE WHITE HOUSE PUZZLE



BADGE PROJECT CONTRIBUTORS & THANKS

SPECIAL THANKS TO MY KIDDO FOR CONSISTENTLY BEING MY INSPIRATION IN ART, AND ALL THINGS

PHYSICAL BADGE PROJECT

BONNIE FINLEY – BADGE 3D MODELING, PROTOTYPING & LAST MINUTE CROSS COUNTRY DRIVES

WILL TUTTLE – BRAINSTORMING SESSIONS & CONCEPT

TRASH ROBOT – PENROSE AFICIONADO

KYLE KELLEY – 3D MODELING ASSIST AND INITIAL PROTOTYPING

STEVE @ UNIQUE ASSEMBLY & DECORATING FOR ROLLING WITH WHATEVER CAME YOUR WAY

PENROSE MOSAIC PROJECT (SPUX.ART)

NUTMEG ANNE – FRONT END DEVELOPMENT

POLR – PLATFORM ENGINEER

ANCH – WEB DEVELOPMENT

EDISON – TEAM CHEERLEADER, CONCEPTS & BRAINSTORMING

DR FAUSTUS –BLACK BADGE PROJECT ASSEMBLY HERO

BADGE & LANYARD CHALLENGE

YAKOKE! TO THE CHOCTAW NATION OF OKLAHOMA LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT FOR TRANSLATION ASSISTANCE

TRANSPARENCY



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SATURDAY NIGHT

AFTER AN UNATTENDED PACKAGE WAS FOUND, WE WERE ASKED TO EVACUATE THE BUILDING. GOONS WORKED WITH CAESARS SRT TO CALMLY CLEAR THE BUILDING. THERE WAS NO PANIC, AND NO INJURIES WERE REPORTED. A SMALL DETACHMENT OF GOONS REMAINED BEHIND TO ASSIST.

THE INVESTIGATION INVOLVED SPECIALIST DOGS AND TEAMS FROM CAESARS, LAS VEGAS METRO, AND LAS VEGAS FIRE DEPARTMENT.

THEY ULTIMATELY DETERMINED THAT THE PACKAGE WAS SAFE AND CONDUCTED ADDITIONAL SWEEPS OF THE BUILDING AS A PRECAUTION BEFORE ALLOWING OUR TEAM TO RETURN AND PREPARE FOR TODAY'S CON.

WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE THAT HELPED IN THIS, OUR PARTNERS IN CAESARS, LV METRO AND LV FD. MOST IMPORTANTLY WE WANT TO THANK OUR ATTENDEES FOR BEING AWESOME.

#✊-report-a-violation-✊!

TRANSPARENCY

HUMANS ARRESTED: 2
GOONS REMOVED FROM STAFF: 3
HUMANS TRESPASSED: 10

MEDICAL ISSUES: 9
MEDICAL HANDED TO EMS: 7

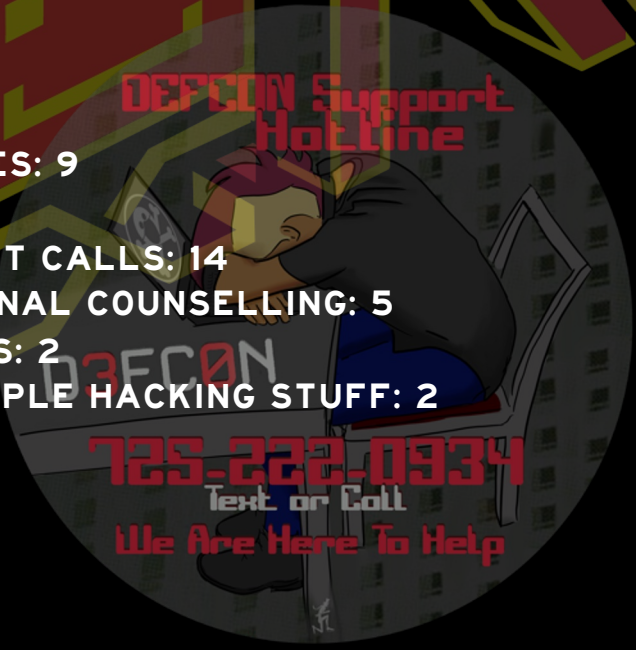
VERBAL ASSAULTS: 3
PHYSICAL ASSAULTS: 2
SEXUAL ASSAULT: 6
GENERAL CODE OF CONDUCT: 3

FIRES: 1
COUNTERFIET CURRENCY RECOVERD $140
THEFTS: 2
ILLEGAL VENDING: 3
MISSING PERSONS: 3

MISSING PERSONS LOCATED: 3
FALSE ALARMS: 1
ANIMAL ON ANIMAL VIOLENCE: 1
FLUFFY BUT MEAN DOGS: 3

HOTLINE:

SIGNAL MESSAGES: 9
INFO CALLS: 37
CODE OF CONDUCT CALLS: 14
PARAPROFESSIONAL COUNSELLING: 5
ADA COMPLAINTS: 2
REPORTS OF PEOPLE HACKING STUFF: 2



PRESS

TOTAL PRESS ATTENDEES – 87

NUMBER OF OUTLETS REPRESENTED – 62

ALMOST 37% (32) OF OUR REGISTERED PRESS COME FROM COMMUNITY-LED PROPERTIES INCLUDING PODCAST, YOUTUBE CHANNELS AND TWITCH STREAMS

NUMBER OF TIMES WE WERE ASKED FOR THE PRESS LIST – 8

NUMBER OF TIMES WE PROVIDED THE PRESS LIST – 0

A HUGE THANK YOU TO WEDNESDAY FOR HER CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE TEAM, WE WILL MISS HER AND A SHOUT OUT TO THE REST OF THIS YEAR'S TEAM

POLICY @ DEF CON



75 GLOBAL POLICYMAKERS (80% OF SPEAKERS)
6-8 SENATE CONFIRMED GOV ATTENDEES
35 INTERACTIVE CONTENT SESSIONS IN 3 DAYS
~5,000 ATTENDEES THROUGH OUR DOORS
18 GOONS AND STAFF; 27 ATTACHES
~2,500-3,000 HOURS OF PLANNING (PLUS ~1,000 ONSITE)
~10 POLICY ANNOUNCEMENTS TIMED FOR DEF CON



DEVOPS TEAM

RIVERSIDE
FOX

ARI
BSE
CSTONE
LIGHTNING
MAUVEHED

MCMAYHEM
MUBIX
NEBBERZ
NIGHTWOLF
RESPONDO
THEPHREAK
TCMBC
VOLTAGESPIKE

SPECIAL THANKS TO KNIGHTOWL AND THE PHV TESTERS

BIG WINS:



- DISCORD INTEGRATION FOR DATA DUPLICATION VILLAGE- HARD DRIVE PICKUP CODES
- MASTODON INTEGRATION WITH DISCORD FOR CONTEST ANNOUNCEMENTS
- OVERHAULING CODE TO USE SLASH COMMANDS.

0 DOWN TIME WITH OPS BOT
1 THIRD PARTY BOT WENT *KERSPLAT!!*

42 REQUESTS COMPLETED

37 FULL BOTS:
—161 CUSTOM MICRO-BOTS
—20 EASTER EGG COMMANDS

15,818 TOTAL LINES OF CODE IN PRODUCTION

6456 LINES OF CODE ADDED OR CHANGED
138 FILES CHANGED
4785 INSERTIONS
800 DELETIONS

DISCORD STATS:

447 DISCORD CHANNELS

55,500 MESSAGES SENT IN GENERAL CHANNELS

1,750 HOURS SPENT IN VOICE CHATS

48% OF MEMBERS 1+ YEARS ON DEF CON DISCORD

31% JOINED THIS MONTH!

100% — VIRUS SCANS BY DEVOPS
- ALL SAFE?

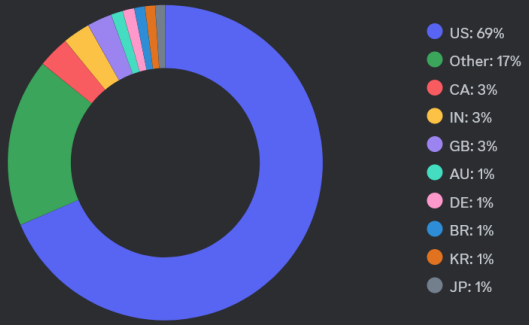
33% OF MEMBERS ARE OUTSIDE OF THE U.S.
- INTERNATIONAL CONTESTANTS

127 WARNS ISSUED

19 BANS

Which countries are my members from?

Export CSV



What devices do they use?

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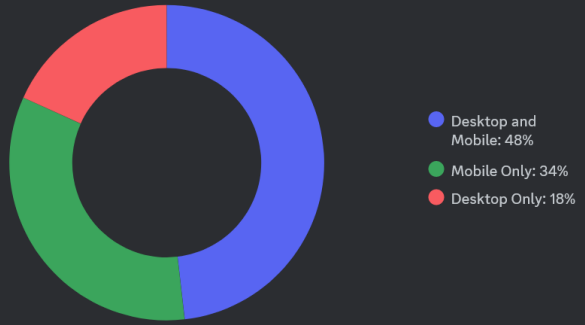

How long have they been a member of the server?

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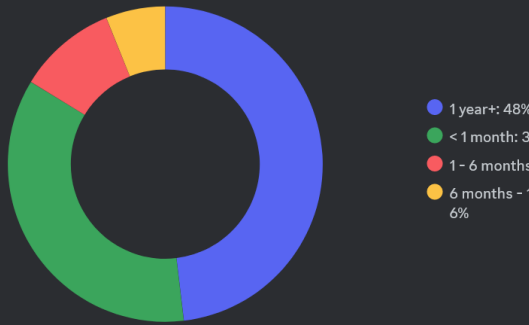

Are my new members also new to Discord?

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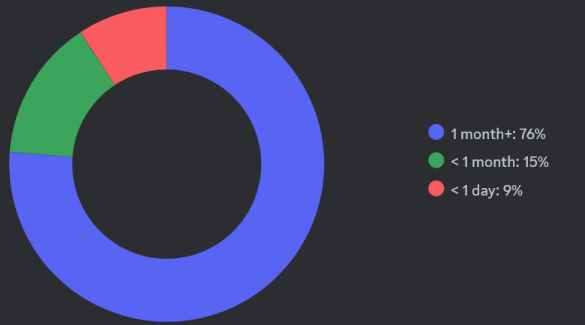


NOC



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CYBERTHREAT REAL-TIME MAP EN

MAP STATISTICS DATA SOURCES BUZZ WIDGET

UNITED STATES

5 MOST-ATTACKED COUNTRY

OAS	33912
ODS	48426
MAV	486
WAV	20285
IDS	86957
VUL	2557
KAS	46098
BAD	2

Detections discovered since 00:00 GMT

More details

Share data

735771 979389 33679 380444 1542878 17931 782887 205



BACKBONE SETUP

WIRELESS CONTROLLER STAGING

WIFIREG WEBSITE UPDATES

SOMETIME IN PAST

TEAM ARRIVAL

UNLOADING

INTERNET SETUP

NOC ROOM SETUP

SUNDAY

WIRELESS ACCESS POINTS STAGING

MEDIA SERVER INSTALL

KICK DT OUT OF THE NOC

MONDAY

PATCHING
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WIFIREG GOES LIVE

WIRELESS ACCESS POINTS DEPLOYMENT (FLAMINGO, LINQ,

TUESDAY

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WIFIREG INSTRUCTION TWEAKS (ANDROID)

A FEW LAST MINUTE REQUESTS

WEDNESDAY

AND MOAR LAST MINUTE REQUESTS

AND SOME MORE PATCHING PATCHING PATCHING PATCHING

THURSDAY

AND EVEN MOAR LAST MINUTE REQUESTS

PATCHING(?)

FRIDAY



SATURDAY

TEARDOWN FLAMINGO/ LINQ/ HARRAH'S

SUNDAY

SUPPORT DEF CON TRAINING SESSIONS

FINISH TEARDOWN

PACKING

LOADING

GO HOME! (WED)

MONDAY/ TUESDAY


THE INTERNET:
A SERIES OF TUBES
THE FORUM SHOPS
ACTIVZ
LINQ
Strengthens the Gut/Brain Connection
BUDGET HOTEL
Harrah's
Great Location
WELCOME
LAS VEGAS



WIRED

3 X FREEBSD FIREWALLS
4 X CORE / DISTRO CISCO SWITCHES
21 X EDGE CISCO SWITCHES
ARUBA UXI MONITORING
WI-FI REGISTRATION SERVER
THE MEDIA SERVER

WIRELESS

4 X ARUBA CONTROLLERS
49 X ARUBA ACCESS POINTS (MODEL 305)
317 X ARUBA ACCESS POINTS (MODEL 534/535)
3 X ARUBA UXI SENSORS



THE WIRE

- VILLAGES
- CONTESTS
- SPEAKERS
- PRESS
- INFOBOOTH
- DC TV
- DISCORD DEVOPS
- DEMOLABS
- GOONS

THE WIRE Less

- WORKSHOPS
- YOU!
- FBI SURVEILANCE VAN
- AND SOME VEGAS RANDOS

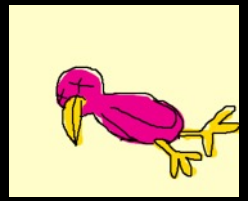
- AND YAY....
- 15 YEARS OF THE 802.1X ENCRYPTED ESSID

TRADITIONAL STATS

- 16.6 TB OF INTERNET TRAFFIC (VS DC30 14.2 TB/ DC 29 6.8TB ETC ETC)
  - INBOUND: 12.5 TB
  - OUTBOUND: 4.2 TB
- 6,737 USERS REGISTERED ON WIFIREG
- 3,066 WIRELESS USERS PEAK
- 2,733 WIRELESS USER PEAK
- 16,367 UNIQUE DEVICES
- 12.6 TB WIRELESS TRAFFIC
- 2.1 TB MEDIA SERVER TRAFFIC

CHALLENGES

- WEDNESDAY:
  - ANDROID 802.1X WI-FI INSTRUCTIONS
  - DNS SERVER TUNNING REQUIRED
- THURSDAY: UPSTREAM ISP ISSUES
- FRIDAY: NEED TO IMPLEMENT TRAFFIC SHAPPING
- ... AND THAT BROKE THE BIRD



NZYME WI-FI STATS

UNIQUE SSIDS ADVERTISED: 6450
MANAGEMENT FRAMES ANALYZED: 8.6GB / 28,851,363 FRAMES
PWNAGOTCHIS DETECTED: 18
PINEAPPLE FRAMES DETECTED: 422
MARAUDER ESP32 DETECTED: 1105
ATTEMPTS TO SPOOF ANY OF DEFCON SSIDS BY CHANGING OR DISABLING ENCRYPTION: 6222

MOST ADVERTISED NETWORKS:

- :call_me_hand:
- 5_optout_nomap
- 5Guys
- 03 Never gonna run around
- 02 Never gonna let you down
- 2_optout_nomap
- 3D-v8veA1ct
- 01 Never gonna give you up
- .
- 06 Never gonna say goodbye
- 07 Never gonna tell a lie
- 04 and desert you
- 08 and hurt you
- 0xDEADBEEF
- 05 Never gonna make you cry

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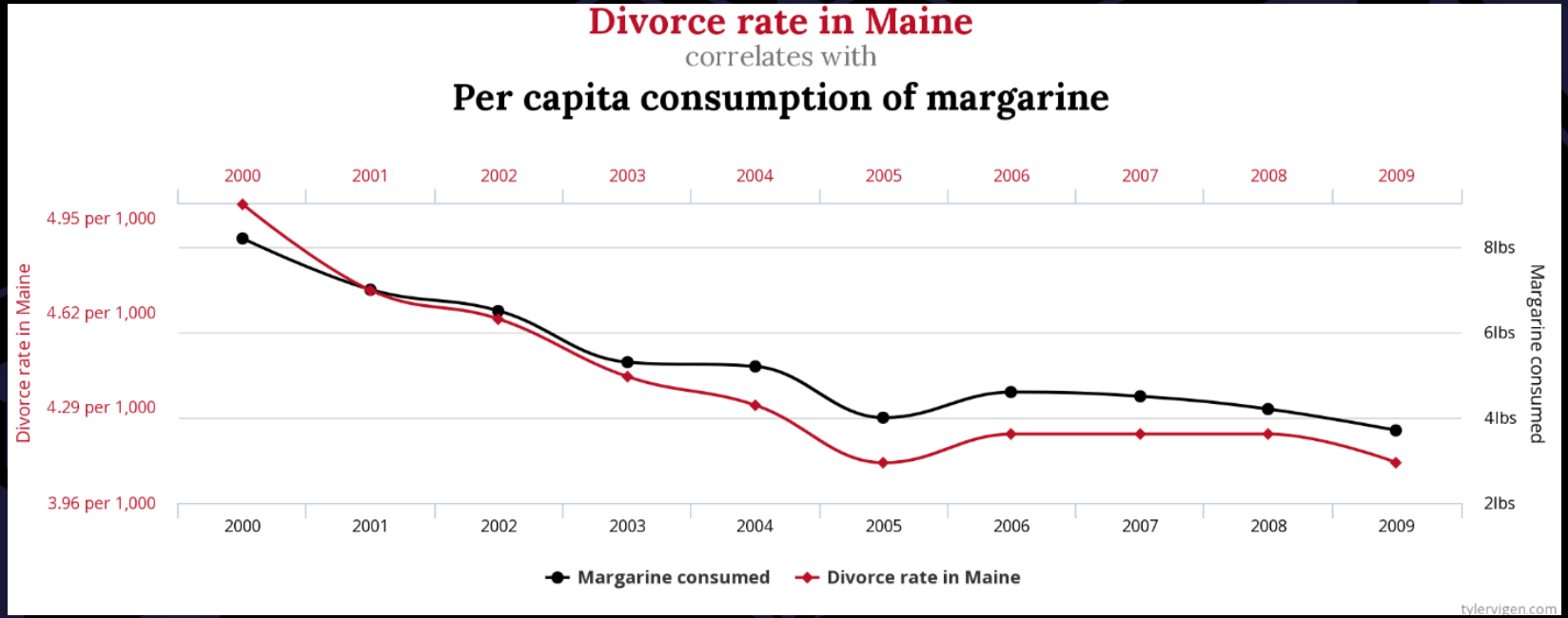

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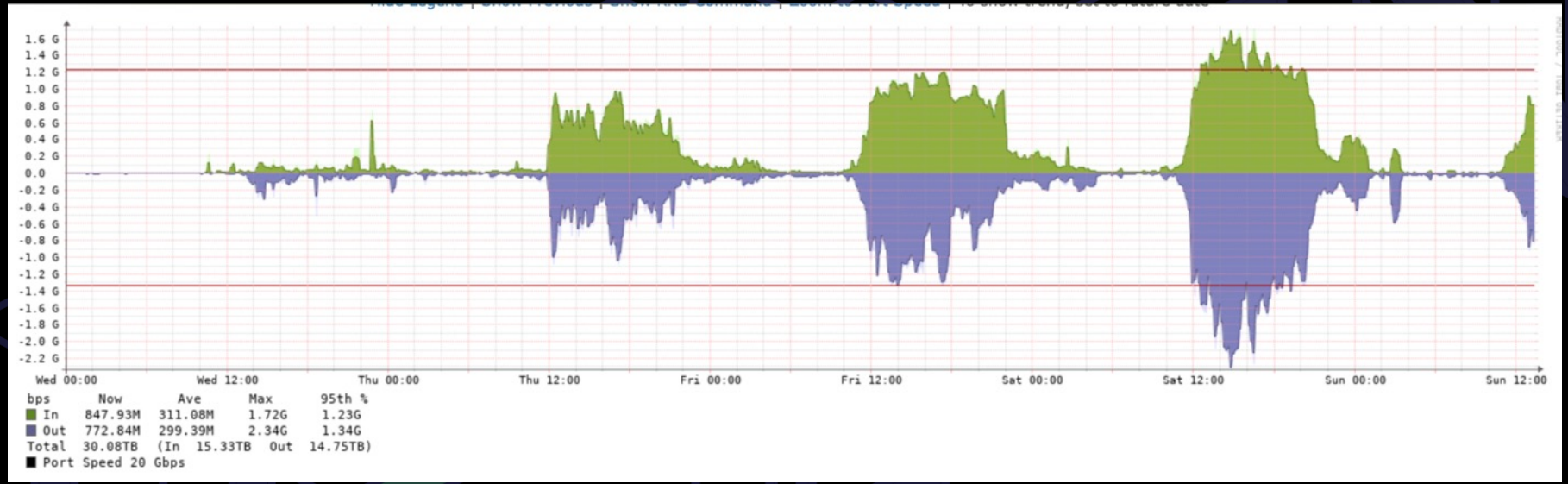

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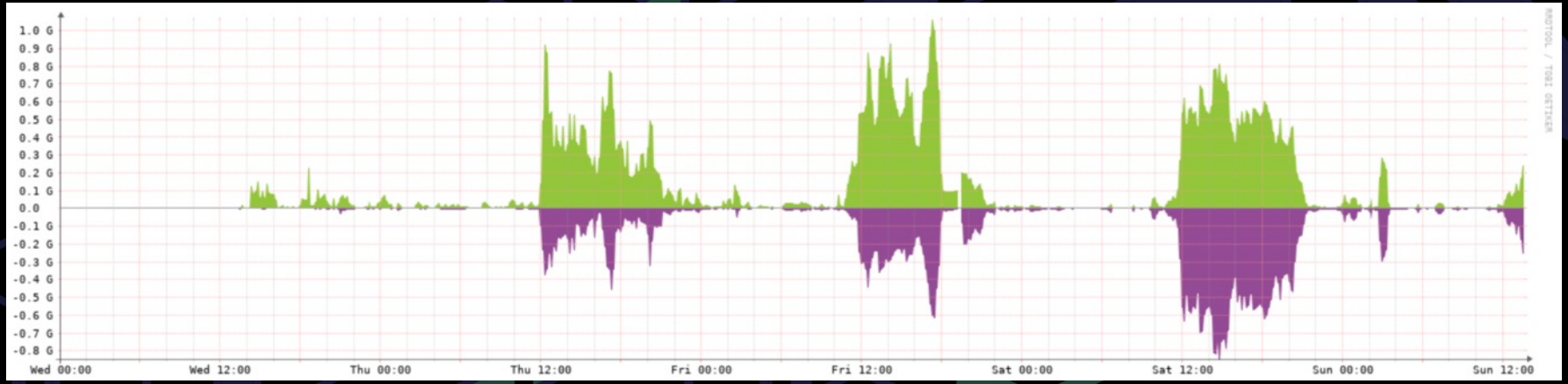
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AND YOUR PASSWORDS

- ilikebigassbananas123!@#
- WhyAreWeAllLikeThis2023
- Ihavethehighground3579
- notanimportantone
- busilyvariedoncology
- fingersarenotyourfriend
- dinO gO rOar
- Get to the fucking wifi1!
- mentosgrande
- RoastBeefRoastBeef
- beefbeefbeef
- beefcheese
- ILikePancakes42069
- SauceOnThemRibz069
- iateyourmomsbutthole
- thebestnetwork <=== <3

GO TEAM!

EFFFFN
MAC
#SPARKY

MIKED
C7FIVE
BOOGER
DEADICATION
DP11

CRV
JON2
WISH
STRANGE
TOPH
K4TN155
COMMIEBSTRD
JOHNTITOR





DCTV

HTTPS://DCTV.DEFCON.ORG

7 HOTEL PROPERTIES
28 CHANNELS
>20K HOTEL ROOMS
7 TWITCH CHANNELS
NEW! VILLAGE TALKS
CUMULATIVE STEPS:
~550K



TWITCH

LIVE VIEWERS: 77,720 (AS OF NOON ON SUNDAY)

MAX CONCURRENT VIEWERS: 363

TIME STREAMED: 300 HOURS

MORE THAN 3K NEW FOLLOWERS



THANK YOU!

DCTV VOLUNTEERS

- VIDEOMAN (LEAD)
- TUNA
- SKW33K
- SANDWICH
- ROBBINBS
- K#
- GHOST PEPPER
- EAGLE1
- BOOLORAND

SHOUTOUTS

- DC NOC!
- CAESARS IT
  - PHIL
  - HARRY
- TSOK

EXHIBITORS

NEW FOR DEF CON 31

HACK THE BOX
OPENVPN
CAPITOL TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY OF ADVANCING TECHNOLOGY
BLACK HILLS INFORMATION SECURITY
THE TRANSPORATION SECURITY ADMINSTRATION (TSA)
LACEWORK
ASCENT-PORTAL

EXHIBITORS

160K FROM EXHIBITORS

~20K TO APPROVED CHARITIES
~27K FOR OPERATIONAL SPINUP
24K IN NEW PARTY SPONSORSHIPS

80K WAS GIVEN AS FOOD TOKENS TO CONTENT CREATOERS

EXHIBITORS

5000 TO CODE.ORG FROM HACKTHEBOX
3000 TO EFF FROM OPENVPN
3000 TO THE DIANA INITIATIVE FROM BLACK HILLS
3000 TO GIRLSWHOCODE FROM LACEWORK
1500 TO CODE.ORG FROM ASCENT-PORTAL
1500 TO GIRLSWHOCODE FROM ASCENT-PORTAL
3000 TO NUCC FROM DEF CON

NFO

WE ARE REBRANDING

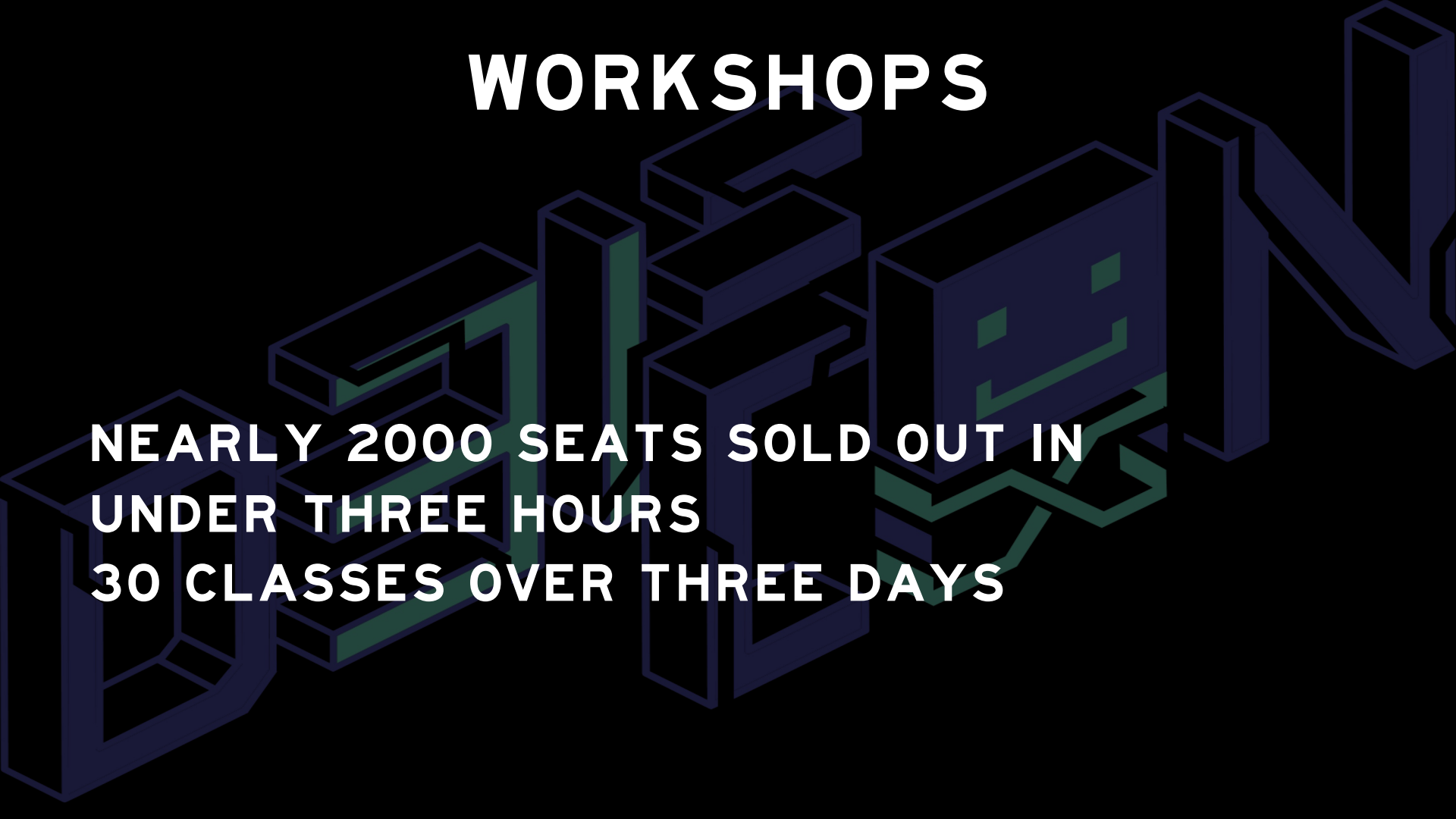
INFO.DEFCON.ORG
DISCORD - #-INFOBOOTH
TWITTER/X - @NFO_NFO

THANK YOU TO THE HACKERTRACKER TEAM FOR THEIR SUPPORT AND FOR HELPING US PROVIDE THE MOST ACCURATE INFORMATION

SPEAKERS

GREAT TRACKS / GREAT TALKS / GREAT NEW SPEAKERS
MORE THAN HALF DELIVERED BY FIRST TIME SPEAKERS
88% OF TALKS SCORED 4 OR 5 ON CONTENT QUALITY
86% WERE RATED A 4 OR 5 ON PRESENTATION SKILLS
62% WERE CALLED OUT AS BEING “GREAT” — UP 20% YOY
TEN WHALE TALKS (HIGH PROFILE VIPS)

WORKSHOPS



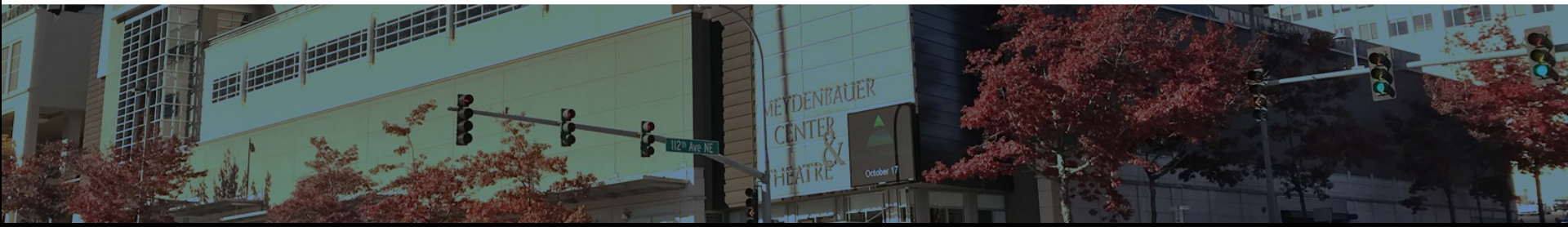
NEARLY 2000 SEATS SOLD OUT IN UNDER THREE HOURS
30 CLASSES OVER THREE DAYS



TWO DAYS OF TRAINING STARTING MONDAY
17 SESSIONS WITH WORLD-CLASS TRAINERS

DEF CON TRAINING

BELLEVUE, WA NOVEMBER 1-2, 2023



ARTISTS & ENTERTAINMENT

ACID T
ALEXI HUSKY
BOLONIUM
CODEBREAKER
CTRL/RSM
DEEPBLUE
DELCHI
DOTORNOT
DJ PAT ATTACK
DJ SCYTHE
DJ ST3RLING
DR. MCGREW
DRIES
DUAL CORE
FUZZYNOP
GREAT SCOTT
GRIND613
H4X
HECKSEVEN
THE ICARUS KID
ICETRE NORMAL
KAMPF
KRISZ KLINK
MAGIK PLAN
MATTRIX
MISS JACKALOPE
NGTHWK
NINA LOWE
NINJULA
NOX08
NPC COLLECTIVE
O'CRAVEN
PANKELDANK
SCOTCH AND BUBBLES
SK
SKITTISH & BUS
SOMAFM
SPICE RACK
SYNTAX
TALKING SINN
TRIODE
YTCRACKER
ZEBBLER ENCANTI EXPERIENCE
ZEBBLER STUDIOS
Z3NPI

ARTISTS & ENTERTAINMENT



FUCK IT
WE'LL DO IT
LIVE!

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Arts & Entertainment Dept.

PARTIES

THANK YOU TO THE PARTIES THAT HELPED MAKE THE DEF CON NIGHT TIME THE PLACE TO BE, AND THE MEETUPS FOR BRINGING GROUPS OF LIKEMINDED INDIVIDUALS TOGETHER TO SHARE NEW IDEAS OR MEET IN PERSON!



DISPATCH

WE'RE DISPATCH, THE KEEPERS OF YOUR LOST THINGS AND THE ONES WHO HELP MAKE SURE THE CONVENTION SPACES ARE HABITABLE. WE'RE STAFFED DAY AND NIGHT DURING THE CON, AND HANDLE REQUESTS OF EVERY IMAGINABLE TYPE FROM EVERY DEPARTMENT AND ALL EVENT SPACES. THANK YOU TO ALL ATTENDEES FOR CONTINUING TO LOSE THINGS AND KEEP US BUSY!

HERE ARE SOME OF OUR METRICS FOR DC31:

- 360 TOTAL ITEMS
  - 59 GLASSES
  - 43 WATER BOTTLES
  - 35 PHONES
  - 22 WALLETS
  - 1 DILDO OF THE PURPLE VARIETY
  - 1 PEPPER SPRAY (UNRELATED TO THE DILDO)
- 633 DISPATCH CALLS
  - 222 WATER
  - 95 TRASH
  - 52 FACILITIES
  - 26 HOTEL SECURITY
  - 20 ELEVATOR/ESCALATOR
  - 1 EVACUATION

IN ADDITION TO LOST + FOUND, WE DEPLOY A REPEATED, MULTISITE ENCRYPTED RADIO SYSTEM FOR GOON COMMUNICATIONS. WE PROGRAM AND MAINTAIN ALL GOON RADIOS.

VIDEO TEAM

A VIDEO TEAM CREATED TO CAPTURE THE STORIES BEHIND THE CONTESTS, EVENTS AND SHENANIGANS

BIG THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO TOOK THE TIME TO SPEAK WITH THEM AND BIGGER THANKS TO THE VIDEO TEAM FOR HELPING US GET THE WORD OUT

VILLAGES

AEROSPACE
AI
APPSEC
BLACKS IN CYBER
BIO HACKING
BLUE TEAM
CAR HACKING
CLOUD
CRYPTO & PRIVACY
DATA DUPLICATION
DCG VR
EMBEDDED SYSTEMS
HAM RADIO
HARDWARE HACKING
ICS
IOT
LOCKPICK
MISINFORMATION
PACKET HACKING
PASSWORD
PAYMENT
PHYSICAL SECURITY
POLICY
QUANTUM
RADIO FREQUENCY
RECON
RED TEAM
SOCIAL ENGINEERING
SOLDERING SKILLS
TAMPER EVIDENT
TELECOM
VOTING
XR

HACKERS WITH DISABILITIES (HDA)

MAKING DEF CON AWESOMELY ACCESSIBLE

- 4TH YEAR PROVIDING ASSISTANCE TO DEF CON ATTENDEES WITH ADA NEEDS
- ELECTRONIC ADA GUIDE TO DEFCON
- TWITTER/X, DEF CON FORUMS, AND EMAIL ASSISTANCE WITH ADA NEEDS
- SAFE HARBOR ROOM
- “DECK OUT MY MOBILITY RIDE”
- TALKS ON HACKING MOBILITY DEVICES
- YEAR ROUND SUPPORT & ADVOCACY FOR DEF CON ADA NEEDS



MERCH

NEW STUFF INCLUDED - ELECTRONIC ORDER TAKING -
PICTURES ONLINE - SLIDE SHOW IN QUEUE — HACKER TRACKER

FUN STATS:
AVERAGE ORDER VELOCITY ON THURSDAY - 33% FASTER AND AVERAGE WAIT TIME DOWN 40% FROM DEF CON 30
AVERAGE ORDER SIZE UP 30% YEAR ON YEAR
MOST POPULAR SHIRT SIZE: MEDIUM
FIRST INDIVIDUAL ITEM SIZE TO SELL OUT- 8:20 AM THURSDAY
FIRST ITEM ALL SIZES TO SELL OUT - 3:45 PM THURSDAY
NUMBER OF CREDIT CARDS TAKEN: 0

DEMO LABS

FOSTERING THE ABILITY FOR RESEARCHERS AND THE COMMUNITY TO CONNECT, INTERACT, AND COLLABORATE
EACH DEMO LAB IS GIVEN A 2 HR TIME FOR PRESENTATION, Q&A AND INTERACTION

58 DEMO LABS SUBMISSIONS RECEIVED
36 DEMO LABS SELECTED

PRESENTED IN THE FORUM BOARDROOMS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

CONTESTS & EVENTS

? CUBE
5N4CK3Y
ADVERSARY WARS
AUTO DRIVING CTF
BATTLE OF THE BOTS
BETTING ON YOUR DIGITAL RIGHTS
BEVERAGE COOLING CONTRAPTION
BLACKS IN CYBER CTF
BLUE TEAM CTF
BOOK EXCHANGE
CAPTURE THE PACKET
CAR HACKING CTF
CHESS TOURNAMENT
CLOUD CTF
CMD+CTRL
CRACK ME IF YOU CAN
CREATIVE WRITING
CYCLE OVERRIDE
DARKNET-NG
DEF CON CTF
DARK TANGENT LOOK-ALIKE
DUNGEONS @ DEFCON
EMBEDDED CTF
HAC-MAN
HACK-A-SAT 4
HACKFORTRESS
HACKER JEOPARDY
HACKER KARAOKE
HACK3R RUNW@Y
HAM RADIO EXAMS
HAM RADIO FOX HUNTING
HARDWARE HACKING CTF
HARDWIRED
INTELOPS
IOT CTF
IT'S IN THAT PLACE...
KUBERNETES CTF
LONELY HARD DRIVE
MAPS OF THE DIGITAL LANDS
MUD DUMB TERMINAL ED.
NEXT TOP THREAT MODEL
OCTOPUS GAME
PHISH STORIES
pTFS – MAYHEM / STARPHISH
PUB QUIZ
RADIO FREQUECY CTF
RED ALERT ICS CTF
RED TEAM CTF
.RUN
SCAVENGER HUNT
SEC-V VISHING
SEC-V YOUTH CHALLENGE
STICKER DESIGN
TECH TRIVIA
TELECHALLENGE
THE GOLD BUG
THE SUMMIT
TINFOIL HAT
TOOOL DOZIER DRILL
TOXIC BBQ
TRACE LABS OSINT CTF
UNOFFICIAL DC SHOOT
VENATOR AURUM
WHOSE SILDE?


BLACK BADGE CONTESTS


DSE COMMUNITY CTF

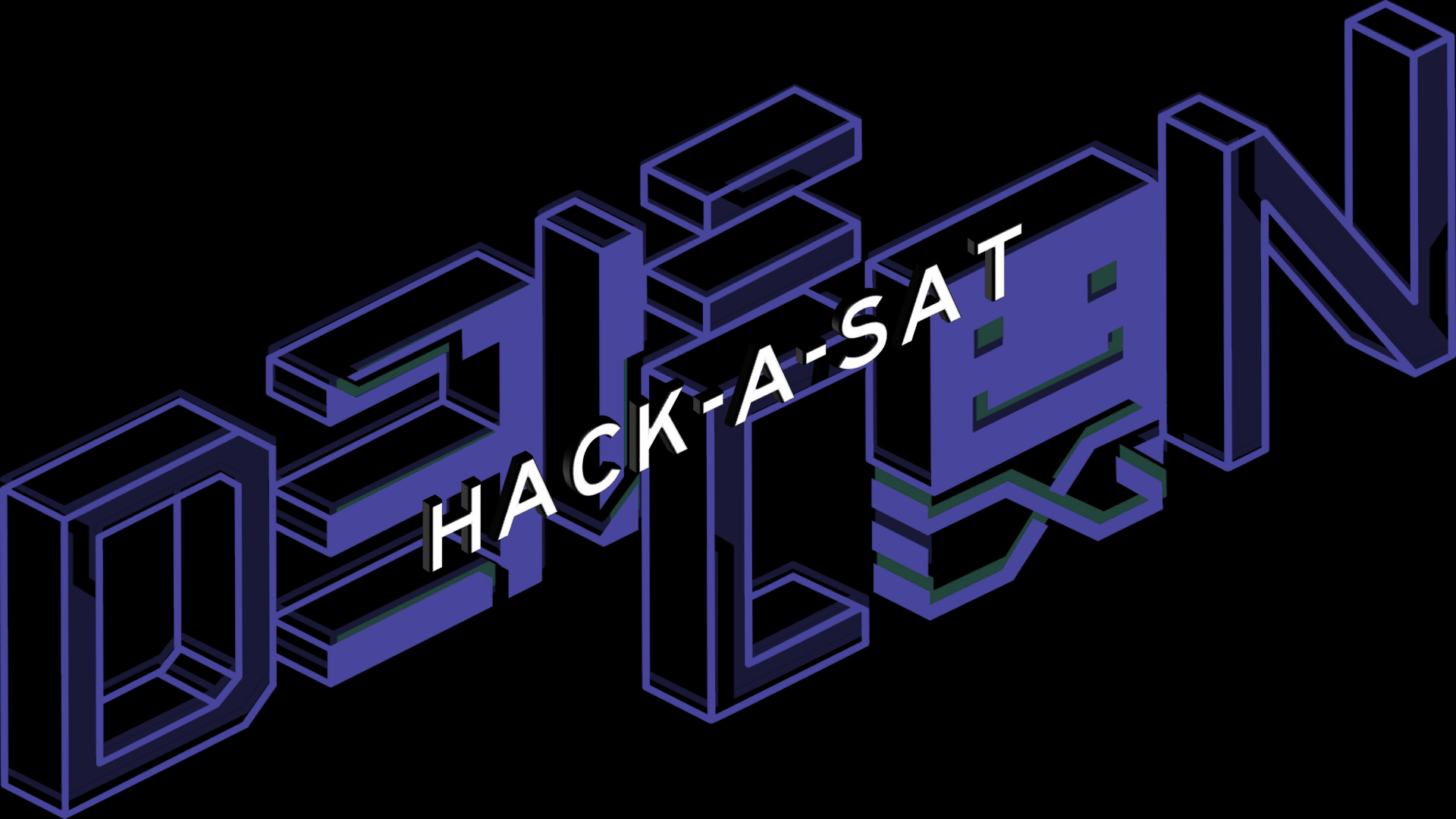

RED ALERT ICS CTF


DUNGEONS @ DEF CON


CAPTURE THE PACKET


DEFCON
CAR HACKING CTF


HACKFORTRESS


DEFCON
HACK-A-SAT


CAPTURE THE FLAG
NAUTILUS INSTITUTE


CAPTURE THE FLAG
THIRD PLACE
TWN48 - 6756


CAPTURE THE FLAG
SECOND PLACE
BLUE WATER - 7428


CAPTURE THE FLAG
WINNERS
MAPLE MALLARD
MAGISTRATES
9801

THANK YOU TO ALL DEF CON DEPARTMENTS

ARTISTS & ENTERTAINMENT
BADGES
CFP REVIEW BOARD
COMMUNITIES
CONTESTS / EVENTS
DC GROUPS
DC KIDS
DCTV
DÉCOR
DEMO LABS
DISCORD DEVOPS
DISPATCH
EXHIBITORS
FORUMS
HDA
HQ
IHR
MERCH
NFO
NOC
OPS
PARTIES / MEETUPS
PHOTO & VIDEO
POLICY
PRESS
PRODUCTION
QM
REGISTRATION
SOC / HOTLINE
SPEAKER OPS
TRAINING
VENDORS
VILLAGES
WORKSHOPS

TO GOONS OLD AND NEW

RETIRING GOLD BADGE GOONS (10+ YEARS)

PROCTOR - WEDNESDAY - DIGITAL RESISTOR
MAGEN - MONSTER - STUMPER - PHARTACUS

CURRENT GOLD BADGE HOLDERS

NOONS (NEW GOONS)

DEF CON 31 ORGANIZERS

DT, NIKITA, JANET, NEIL, WILL, DARINGTON, JEFF, TOM, AND TCMBC

ALL DEPARTMENT LEADS AND SECONDS

DEF CON - ONLINE

DEFCON.SOCIAL ON MASTODON
DEF CON FORUM APP - IOS/ANDROID
MOVIE NIGHTS FOR SHARED SOCIAL VIEWING
DEF CON GROUPS MEET UPS
HACKERS STILL *LOVE* DISCORD
#LINECON AND OTHER ROOMS OPEN
R/DEFCON - @DEFCON ON IG AND TWITTER
YEAR-ROUND A&E STREAMING ON TWITCH
STAY TUNED FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS - @DEFCON


DEF CON 32
AUGUST 8 - 11, 2024
DEF CON 33
AUGUST 7 – 10, 2025
REGISTRATION FOR DEF CON 32
HOTELS IS LIVE AT DEFCON.ORG


SEE YOU NEXT YEAR AT...
CAESARS FORUM
LINQ – HARRAH'S - FLAMINGO

MORE CON-TENT
COMING SOON

FULL MAIN TRACK TALKS
FULL VILLAGES TALKS
SOUNDTRACK
CONTESTS WINNERS

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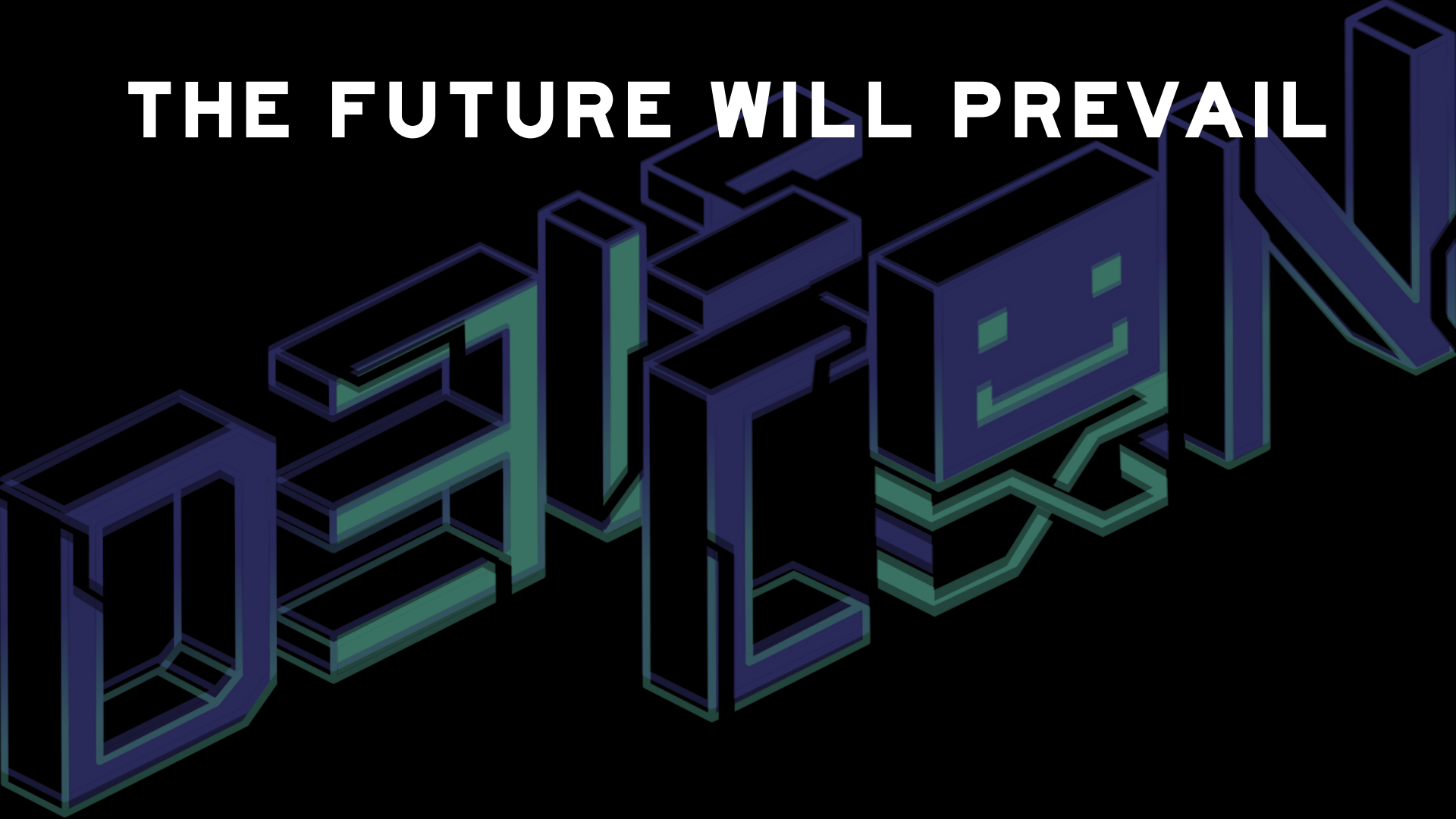
FORUM MOBILE APPS

THE FUTURE WILL PREVAIL



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your DEFCON


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