# Cyber@UC Meeting 76

**MITRE Framework Continued** 

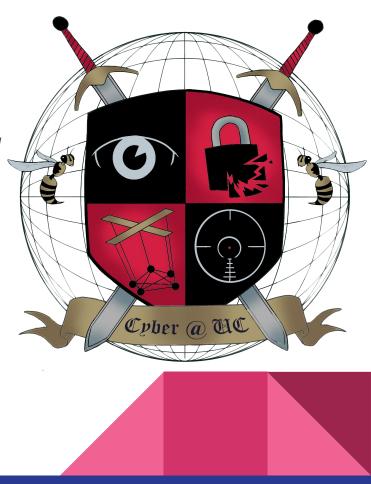
# If You're New!

- Join our Slack: cyberatuc.slack.com
- Check out our website: cyberatuc.org
- **SIGN IN!** (Slackbot will post the link in #general every Wed@6:30)
- Feel free to get involved with one of our committees: *Content Finance Public Affairs Outreach Recruitment*
- Ongoing work in our research lab!



#### Announcements

- IT'S ELECTION DAY!! Did you vote?
  - You have until 7:30; run to your polling place right now!
- Emblem Updates!
- Battelle Visit Nov. 20th
- NSA internships closed
- US Bank Partnership in the works!
- Chipotle fundraiser
  - $\circ$  \$175 raised out of \$300 required for donation
  - Learning experience
- Officer elections last week
- AJ Talk thursday
- Lab committee volunteers!



#### Election Results (incumbents shown in parentheses)

President (A.J. Cardarelli) Clif Wolfe

- Vice President (Hayden Schiff) Hayden Schiff
- **Treasurer** (*Ryan Baas*) Ryan Baas

Secretary (Mike Sengelmann) Timothy Robert Holstein Head of Content (Cory McPhillips) Christopher Morrison

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Head of Recruitment (Greg Barker) Greg Barker Weekly Content



Initial Access

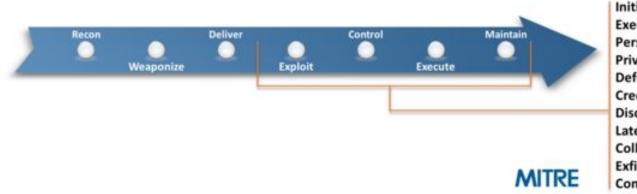
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# The Topics Today Go Something Exactly Like This

- ATT&CK Techniques and the Cyber Kill Chain
- Initial Access Techniques
- Some Examples
  - Eternal Blue sent via fax (DEF CON 26)
  - SMB Protocol Fuzzing on Nintendo Switch (DEF CON 26)
- Backdoor Factory Exploration



## ATT&CK and the Cyber Kill Chain



Initial Access Execution Persistence Privilege Escalation Defense Evasion Credential Access Discovery Lateral Movement Collection Exfiltration Command and Control



### **Initial Access**

"The initial access tactic represents the vectors adversaries use to gain an initial foothold within a network." - MITRE

- Boils down to getting code to run on a target via:
  - Technical Exploitation (Remote Code Execution)
  - Social Engineering (Indirect Code Execution)
- For 95% of threats, this means sending out phishing emails and looking for unpatched boxes with exposed services
- 9/10 threats on the OWASP Top Ten 2017 list can manifest as an Initial Access vector that an adversary can exploit



# Initial Access Techniques (Technical)



- Drive-by Downloads / Exploits
- Exploits of Public-Facing Services
- Supply Chain Compromise
- Valid Accounts



# Initial Access Techniques (Human)



- Malicious USB Devices
- Spear Phishing Attachments (Direct)
- Spear Phishing via Services (Indirect)
- Trusted Relationships (Spys)



## **Example Technique Implementations**

Malicious-USB/USB Rubber Ducky - Emulates a keyboard to abuse trusting USB devices

Hardware-Additions/Poison Tap - Project from Samy Kamkar that routes all of the internet traffic through itself over USB as a MiTM and back door installer.

Public-Services/Eternal Blue - SMB protocol exploit that enabled remote code execution, used by several malware strains from multiple APT's

Supply Chain/CCBkdr - Malware that was injected into CCleaner's source code and was distributed with the signed binaries of CCleaner

# What the Fax?! (DEF CON 26)

Eternal Blue implemented via custom firmware remotely loaded onto a printer/fax machine via fax:

https://youtu.be/qLCE8spVX9Q?t=2389



# Jailbreaking the 3DS (DEF CON 26)

How are exploits like Eternal Blue found? Probably through easy fuzzing like this:

https://youtu.be/WNUsKx2euFw?t=630



# Workshop: Backdoor Factory

Backdoor factory is a research utility for injecting backdoors into DLLs/EXE's

No longer developed, and only for research purposes

Included in Kali, otherwise clone the git repo

Inject a backdoor into an executable then upload it to VirusTotal to see which anti-virus systems would detect it.

./backdoor.py -h

https://github.com/secretsquirrel/the-backdoor-factory