



# A View From the Front Lines

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**700+**

Threat Researchers, Platform Engineers, Malware Analysts, Intelligence Analysts, And Investigators

**4**

Cyber Threat Operations Centers Worldwide

**30+**

Languages Across 26 Countries

**700+**

Breach Investigations In 2018

**24,000**

Intelligence Reports Published In 2018

**70+**

Dedicated Researchers



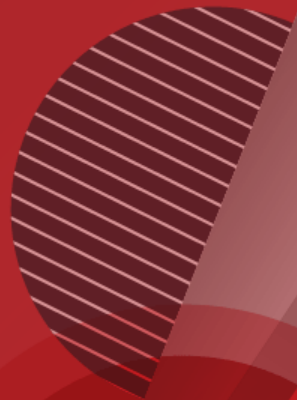
## David GROUT

15+ years  
Prior SE leader  
Think Tanks  
Lots of breach experience

## Industries Served

- Retail
- Healthcare
- Power & Utilities
- Oil & Gas
- Governments
- Telecommunications

**WHY ARE WE HERE?**



# Evolution of Cyber Security Landscape





# What Happened during the last 18 months

# Dwell Times Continue to Decline

GLOBAL MEDIAN DWELL TIME

COMPROMISE NOTIFICATION	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
ALL	416	343	229	205	146	99	101	78
EXTERNAL					320	107	188	184
INTERNAL					56	80	57.5	50.5

MEDIAN DWELL TIME

**416**  
DAYS IN 2011

**78**  
DAYS IN 2018

GLOBAL DWELL TIME DISTRIBUTION



# Newly Named APT Groups





APT37 – North Korea  
Confirmed Targets

Targets – Defense,  
Aerospace, Petrochemical,  
Western Companies

TTPS– Compromise Web,  
Spear-phishing  
Destructive Capabilities





APT38 – North Korea  
Confirmed Targets

Targets – Financial  
Institutions, InterBank  
financial systems

TTPS– Compromise Web,  
Spear-phishing  
Destructive Capabilities





APT39 Iran Nexus Group  
Confirmed Targets

Targets – Transportation,  
Aviation,  
Telecommunication

TTPs– Compromise Web,  
Spear-phishing  
RDP, Mimikatz





APT40 – China  
Belt & Road Initiative

Targets – Aerospace,  
Military, High-Tech,  
Transportation, Chemical,  
University ...



TTPS– Variety of malware,  
Exploit CVEs, WebShells,  
Windows Command Lines



**Russia: Sponsoring Increasingly  
Destructive Attacks & Influence**



**Targets – OT Systems,  
Elections**



**TTPS– Focus on Safety  
System, Built a framework  
Influence campaign,  
destabilization focus**

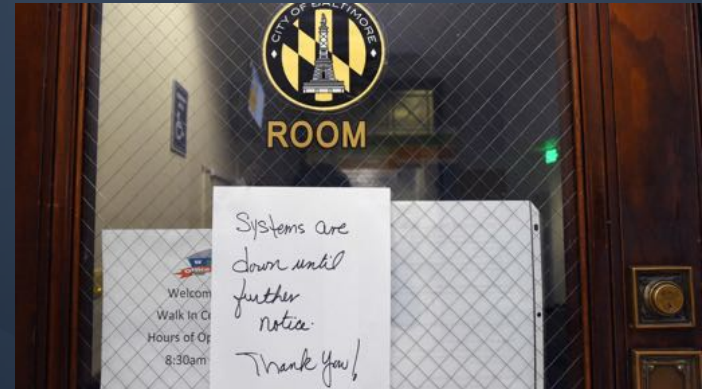
# Current landscape



May 2019: Real-time kinetic response to a cyber threat



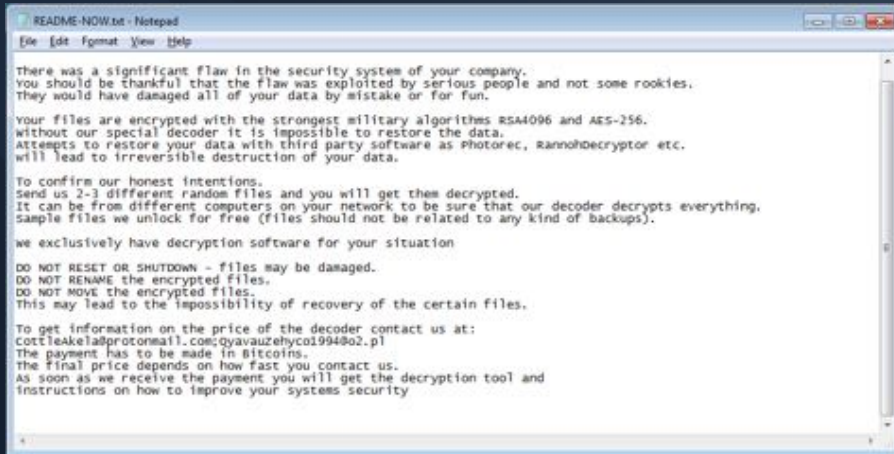
December 2018 : Ministry of Justice APT10 Indictment



May 2019 : Baltimore city under ransom



# Current landscape

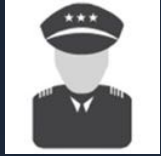


March 2019: FIN6 using  
LockerGoga

Top 10 risks in terms of Likelihood	Top 10 risks in terms of Impact
1 Extreme weather events	1 Weapons of mass destruction
2 Failure of climate-change mitigation and adaptation	2 Failure of climate-change mitigation and adaptation
3 Natural disasters	3 Extreme weather events
4 Data fraud or theft	4 Water crises
5 Cyber-attacks	5 Natural disasters
6 Man-made environmental disasters	6 Biodiversity loss and ecosystem collapse
7 Large-scale involuntary migration	7 Cyber-attacks
8 Biodiversity loss and ecosystem collapse	8 Critical information infrastructure breakdown
9 Water crises	9 Man-made environmental disasters
10 Asset bubbles in a major economy	10 Spread of infectious diseases

December 2018: Davos classified  
Cyber as a Top WW risks

# ITALY – state of play



Cyber Espionage



- MODERATE RISK
- The amount of cyber espionage activity targeting Italy is roughly comparable to that targeting other advanced regional powers not currently involved in kinetic conflicts or major territorial disputes.



Cyber Crime



- HIGH RISK
- Frequently observed types of activity include fraud, personal or corporate data theft, and ransomware use. Due to Italians' heavy reliance on mobile internet access, mobile malware continues to be a particularly effective method of compromise.



Hacktivism



- MODERATE RISK
- Numerous hacktivist groups operate in Italy, and membership in these collectives likely overlaps considerably.



**What do we need to do ?**



# Our strategy



## INTELLIGENCE

Knowing the threats, the attackers to strengthen protection and reaction



## TOOLS - PLATFORM

Delivering tools to increase detection, investigation, automation and remediation



## RESPONSE

Ability to answer and investigate breaches



REMOVE ASSUMPTIONS  
PROVE SECURITY



END-TO-END  
VALIDATION

# VERODIN SECURITY INSTRUMENTATION

Verodin is a security instrumentation platform that continuously measures, tests, and improves cyber security effectiveness.

1

CONTROLS  
EFFECTIVENESS

2

OPTIMIZE &  
RATIONALIZE

3

ENVIRONMENTAL  
DRIFT DETECTION

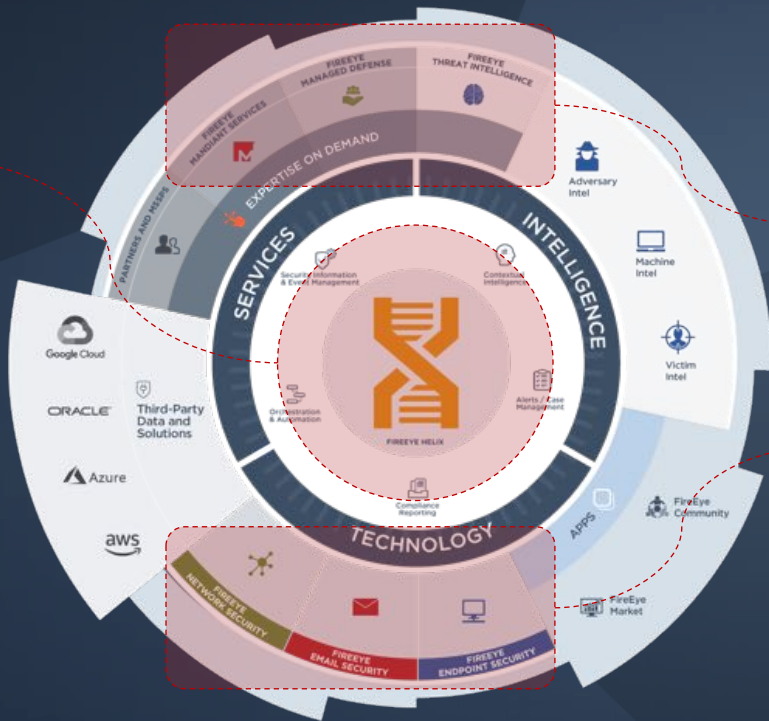
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UNDERSTANDING  
CYBER RISK

SECURITY INSTRUMENTATION PLATFORM

# VERODIN INTEGRATION WITH FIREEYE

Integrating with  
Helix to automate  
and orchestrate  
observed  
outcomes for a  
continuous self-  
healing security  
operation



Applying our understanding of the attacker derived on the front lines to continuously monitor and improve security posture

Monitoring and measuring proper deployment, configuration, and integration to deliver maximum ROI

# FireEye Take Aways

Cyber security depends on the intersection of **diplomacy**, **technology**, and **people**.



- Products, services, intel alone won't cut it
- We need to be thinking of integrated platforms
- We can reduce human effort through orchestration
- Continuous evaluation is key for success

**PROTECT. DEFEND. INNOVATE.**

