

Forum:[Hack Forums](#)

Thread: [HackForums going downhill ? HackForums becoming a monetizing forum? WTF.](#)

VisualComplex - May 4, 2014, 7:30 pm

My friend was a member of hackforums back in 2010 and quit in 2013, I used to design his threads and I would always explore around HF with his account but over the years I've noticed that Hackforums seems to be going down the drain, we used to have real Hacking discussion, account sellings, logins, rats, ddosers "STRESS TESTERS - ____-" and social engineering, wtf happend to hackforums, it's now "Educational hacking forums with limited and censored resources."

What do you guys think?

CMxCV - May 4, 2014, 7:31 pm

There will never be actual hacking back on HF. The feds are lurking...

Sparta. - May 4, 2014, 7:31 pm

Sorry buddy, but Omniscient wants the forum more clean. He was warned (from what I know) for having the discussion of blackhat activity. It still has discussions of hacking, but it has many other uses.

Shockley - May 4, 2014, 7:31 pm

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+Respect.

Tab - May 4, 2014, 7:31 pm

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?lien - May 4, 2014, 7:31 pm

With increasing popularity comes increasing nonsense in any online community. That said, HF has it's fair share. There is still a lot of quality to the site if you go to the right people and places. The site, like any other, is really what you make of it.

Vinnie - May 4, 2014, 7:32 pm

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CMxCV - May 4, 2014, 7:33 pm

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VisualComplex - May 4, 2014, 7:33 pm

(May 4, 2014 07:33 PM)St?r Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You joined in 2013 I don't think you know how it 'was'... Did you read the first sentence "My friend was a member of hackforums back in 2010 and quit in 2013, I used to design his threads and I would always explore around HF with his account" ?

Vamporno - May 4, 2014, 7:33 pm

The reason why their isn't that much blackhat stuff if because the Fed are on here and basically tell Omni to take stuff out of his website. For example, he removed BetaBot from HF because Feds said it was Fraud.

javie - May 4, 2014, 7:34 pm

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VisualComplex - May 4, 2014, 7:36 pm

(May 4, 2014 07:34 PM)Jectify Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I love it when users Use my signature lel. True sarcasm that accurately describes the majority of members on this forum. You told me it was fine to use it a few months ago.

Shockley - May 4, 2014, 7:36 pm

(May 4, 2014 07:32 PM)Vinnie Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) ^

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Nah bruh, it's just an uncommon thing to see, ya digg?

javie - May 4, 2014, 7:36 pm

(May 4, 2014 07:36 PM)VisualComplex Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) True sarcasm that accurately describes the majority of members on this forum. You told me it was fine to use it a few months ago. I was joking bud. I know I did. ?

Almighty Sosa™ - May 4, 2014, 7:36 pm

When you're running a website that makes you \$5,000-\$10,000 a day, you're gonna have to make it more cleaner.

Niner - May 4, 2014, 7:37 pm

HF is the lounge, random bullshit, e-whoring, an unregulated marketplace where you have a 90% chance of being scammed, ebook scams, crying about paypal limitations, suicide threads, and lots and lots of sad depressed loser kids.

?lien - May 4, 2014, 7:38 pm

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VisualComplex - May 4, 2014, 7:38 pm

Well let me ask you all something? Omni doesn't have to remove anything from the site nor modify it without a Seize and Desist order (I'm pretty sure), and if the orders do exist it should be made public.

lillix - May 4, 2014, 7:40 pm

Hack Forums? You mean Market Forums? There you go, you now have my opinion.

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Viral Dragon - May 4, 2014, 7:40 pm

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- 1) He lives in the US.
 - 2) His servers are hosted on US soil.
 - 3) It's "cease and desist".
 - 4) When you live in the US or have property in the US, they have to comply to the US laws.
- Whether you like it or not.

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-Viral.

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Well if you interpret the signature correctly and notice the sarcasm then you'll understand.

CRT - May 4, 2014, 7:43 pm

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?lien - May 4, 2014, 7:45 pm

(May 4, 2014 07:40 PM)VisualComplex Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Well if you interpret the signature correctly and notice the sarcasm then you'll understand.

My post was a sarcastic joke as well. I enjoy picking things apart sometimes. It's a side effect of over-analyzing everything.

ASLR - May 4, 2014, 7:45 pm

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So there are two roads

A) Rebel against the feds, get harassed and threatened by law enforcement and possibly lose a huge source of income

B) Get to keep your community and site you built, stay legally clean, continue making banak.

Which road would you take?

VisualComplex - May 4, 2014, 7:47 pm

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Not all the members were "fuckwits"; A forum that is financially stable and has a substantial amount of income should be able to moderate said "fuckwits" and take necessary action to enforce rules and allow policy abiding members to continue discussion. Why punish all for only a few "fuckwits" mistakes? ?

Prince Gumball - May 4, 2014, 7:49 pm

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He's not a fed. Lol. The feds are not on every PM, thread and account. ._. The very notion is just ridiculous.

-Viral.

Positive - May 4, 2014, 7:52 pm

Thank you for your feedback.

This forum has and will continue to grow on the daily. Most of that discussion was banned because it is illegal and will not only get the members in trouble, but Omniscient (the site owner) in lawsuits.

He's doing it to protect us, and himself. Stop whining.