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Thread: [\[Hardware\] How to learn more about hardware hacking?](#)

Wozniak - January 17, 2015, 9:16 pm

I really want to get into some of it. I am already, but I am curious about things that I don't hear a lot about. Like opening an xbox 360, and reusing some of it some how. Perhaps like the fans, or the more fascinating parts.

Taking a part everyday things, and making them do better, or unexpected things altogether!
I know about sites like HackADay, but still not good enough.

Is it possible to take something apart, remove the power button for example, and make it turn on from an RF signal instead without any programming? Of course programming isn't the problem, I can do that, but I don't want to use external/3rd party devices like the arduino (I do have one). Just simple to more complex circuit bending?

It's hard to explain all what I'm looking for, but looking at some points above maybe someone can help me find some places to learn.

Or maybe I should just take a college course in Hardware/etc. Though then I wouldn't be able to learn other courses and what not about Ethical Hacking and other forms of security like reverse engineering!

I'm so all over the place...

I found a great (from the look of it) course of Hardware Security. Maybe not all I wanted, but it seems to be good enough. :)

Linux™ - January 17, 2015, 11:44 pm

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Wozniak - January 18, 2015, 7:51 am

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I know. But the hardware/gadgets section is super dead. And I hardly get anything from their. So I posted here, since it's still hacking

But okay