

Forum:[Hack Forums](#)

Thread: [Why doesn't Hackforums/Omniscient exist on Wikipedia.](#)

Mr. Robot - February 14, 2016, 4:25 am

I was just curious - I mean, it's an amazing forum.

I do think there should be a locked section and only Omniscient can put tutorials in or take them out - that would be awesome like a Hall of Fame that had the prime stuff in it.

Anyways I can get HF back up on wikipedia if it's wanted.

It was taken down by the looks of things for not being notable which is utter bullshit.

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hackforums>

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Unturned - February 14, 2016, 4:56 am

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Mr. Robot - February 14, 2016, 4:59 am

(Feb 14, 2016 05:56 AM)Unturned Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) The less kids here, more rat victims

Well, I mean true.... for some I guess - I on the other hand would prefer people know about account security.

Pusheen - February 14, 2016, 5:01 am

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Mr. Robot - February 14, 2016, 5:06 am

(Feb 14, 2016 06:01 AM)Beary Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I'd like to see a Wikipedia for it, I'd be willing to chip in and help out.

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minimalist - February 14, 2016, 5:09 am

Where will you get the sources from this time to ensure that the information passes Wikipedia's standards?

LaFlam3 - February 14, 2016, 5:09 am

Since it is fulfilled with brainless/braindead imbeciles it wouldn't be a pleasure for intelligent people to visit.

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Yay, sounds good to me. Do you have any idea what the old one on Wikipedia said that caused it to get taken down?

emadaldin1 - February 14, 2016, 5:12 am

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Omniscient means to know everything - so not really weird, just other people using the word :)

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I know right, such a HQ comment from a HQ member.

Omniscient wants HQ members who respect the forum - I don't know his standpoint on the focus towards educating the new generations on how online security works but I imagine if people want inspiration and he can be a source for that, he would be more than happy to assist.

.fn - February 14, 2016, 5:23 am

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You realise that isn't about the admin of this site right? That "omniscient" is a word that exists? It means to know everything. Gods are usually portrayed as omniscient. Many characters in comics, books, films and the like are too.

wander is a multi dwc - February 14, 2016, 5:38 am

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SIM-2223238 - February 14, 2016, 6:20 am

The article was made in 2010, in 2010 it wasn't that large yet but now it is.

Time to write a article!

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Said I was joking lol I'm not stupid enough to declare war on wikipedia with a thread and then go do it.

Varane - February 14, 2016, 8:43 am

I don't know, let's get it up on Wikipedia?

LaFlam3 - February 14, 2016, 8:51 am

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Why not? I'd be pretty interesting to see a Wikipedia for Hack Forums besides the HF Wiki.

Rote - February 14, 2016, 9:04 am

In way I think its somewhat of a good thing that its not.. there are some extremely worth scams/incidents that could perhaps end up on the page and its better to keep them in the past. imo

Kioshima - February 14, 2016, 9:06 am

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Can - February 14, 2016, 9:20 am

+1 for HackForums on WikiPedia!

Philip J Fry - February 14, 2016, 9:23 am

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Maybe clear up some confusion surrounding the name, some people hear Hackforums and just assume its all blackhat stuff and stear clear