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Thread: [The "bronze tutorial award" is ruining the tutorial section.](#)

HSGM - July 7, 2019, 7:59 am

I know it wasn't the intention of omni or staff, but the tutorials section of HF has turned into a pile of shit with idiots posting very quick guides they spent 3 seconds on, with basically almost nothing to do with hacking. Things like how to set a proxy, change user-agent, etc.

I'm not gonna call anyone out cause I understand people just want the award and aren't posting with malicious intent, but its annoying as shit. I was gonna write some of my own tutorials as well but as this point it would be drowned out by people spamming 10 LQ threads in a row.

Not even sure what to suggest doing, but at least some type of limit of threads per day/week/etc would help at least slow down the spam.

Money- - July 7, 2019, 8:05 am

I do notice some quick threads about that lol. To be honest lets see what Omi thinks of this. Maybe some requirements for these type of threads.

Omniscient - July 7, 2019, 8:25 am

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Axe - July 7, 2019, 8:26 am

Just took a look, damn thats a lot of LQ threads. "How to reverse image search > Use TinEye". Really?

Omniscient - July 7, 2019, 11:35 am

I put Mentors on it to watch for LQP.

SIM-3205632 - July 7, 2019, 11:40 am

Ahh yikes

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Dotexe - July 7, 2019, 11:41 am

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Sadly :(

Omniscient - July 7, 2019, 11:47 am

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Dorrance - July 7, 2019, 11:47 am

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I'm glad you noticed some of the LQP in the section n spam

+mK - July 7, 2019, 11:58 am

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McDolands - July 7, 2019, 11:59 am

These tutorials help bring traffic to hf and do a whole lot for SEO.

Dotexe - July 7, 2019, 12:00 pm

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Refinement - July 7, 2019, 12:00 pm

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SIM-3205632 - July 7, 2019, 12:14 pm

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ririki - July 7, 2019, 12:28 pm

I wouldn't exactly call them "hacking tutorials" but they are just fine imo.

I can see them being helpful for many members.

WhatTheGox - July 7, 2019, 1:22 pm

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So if an high intelligence hacker releases extremely useful tutorials just to get the award but didn't spend "effort" into the thread they should be deleted or?

Good point.

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WhatTheGox - July 7, 2019, 1:32 pm

(Jul 7, 2019 01:29 PM)Dotexe Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I think you have some problems sir, please take care!
I do have some problems, everyone has.

If you claim that you got none then you are worse then the people who create those shit threads just to get the award.

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Yeah i have no doubts Omniscient will regulate this, he's doing a very well job at maintaing this forum (all staff does) and introducing new features from what i can see.

It's just that it looks like people are hating others just cuz they had the chance to obtain the award more easily then they could think off them selves, even tho some threads are complete trash there are threads that are good aswell, both good for newbies and SEO, it's not like 100% of the threads posted are trash.

Dotexe - July 7, 2019, 1:56 pm

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I really don't care about this hence why I'm not making threads, [this](#) is what i call a tutorial, not "how to download youtube video" or "Get rid of adware" and the content in it is to do simple scan with malwarebytes, stop trying to look like smart cuz you are not.

flavoral - July 7, 2019, 2:43 pm

(Jul 7, 2019 11:47 AM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) All those threads look perfectly fine to me. What's wrong with their content?

This thread for example: <https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=5987400>

1.It's not hacking, exploiting a bug nor anything.

2.It actually should belong to the social media section. At this point we might people try to farm the award by posting ewhoring TUTs in that section too.

Also, i think this thread <https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=5987433> maybe we can have a rule that threads/content in them should be in English so people can actually understand what they're looking at.

xibot - July 7, 2019, 2:46 pm

(Jul 7, 2019 11:47 AM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) All those threads look perfectly fine to me. What's wrong with their content?

Every single one of those is plagiarized.

xibot - July 7, 2019, 3:00 pm

(Jul 7, 2019 02:54 PM)M0HX Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) not a single one of mine is plagiarized. I wrote every fugging letter ?

Questionable quality, but at least you put some effort in.

GnosticPlayers - July 7, 2019, 3:15 pm

I mean, I think when new comers who might be well versed in cyber security come onto the site for the first time and visit the Hacking Tutorials section, I think they'll think this site is a joke, as the total amount of threads that look like shitposts...

Axe - July 7, 2019, 4:02 pm

(Jul 7, 2019 02:38 PM)M0HX Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) define hacking/hacks? isn't the way to get into things ? or making it easier to hack something? or simply a hack that will save you time doing something or make it easier?

that's what my threads are based on generally.

also...stop whining. I'm making more tutorials just in case ?

Dude your "tutorials" are so simple and I don't see how they're all related to hacking. Like your reverse image "tutorial". If you can't admit your threads were merely in pursuit of the award at the expense of quality nobody should take you seriously

Axe - July 7, 2019, 4:32 pm

(Jul 7, 2019 04:19 PM)M0HX Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I actually wanted to share these tutorials long ago because I find them useful myself and I wanted to share my knowledge with HF.

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I dOnT sEe How TheY ArE ReLatED to HackiNg

did you read all of them or just saw the titles?

plus I am making quite few more soon.

I'd rather save myself of the non-content, I read two and that was enough for me. If you do believe you posted some HQ tutorials feel free to point them out and I'll happily recant, if they actually are HQ.

Axe - July 7, 2019, 5:15 pm

(Jul 7, 2019 05:11 PM)M0HX Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) <https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=5987143>
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<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=5987556>
<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=5987138>
<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=5987510>

Some of those seem HQ I'll give you that, but there's still the ones like your reverse image search and ipgrabber tutorials which are just common sense, already exist and are just plain unnecessary.

But you got me on my word, so yeah I recant

Dorrance - July 7, 2019, 5:37 pm

I also hope we take a look into other awards you must be approved for.

I would love to see the businessman have to be approved based. Anyone can spam funny contracts with someone, in the mass of days or weeks to obtain the award so easily.

Spaark - July 7, 2019, 6:05 pm

(Jul 7, 2019 08:25 AM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Some awards are going to be removed because we're converting the section into Approved only threads.

This is such good news. I know Wake was very passionate about this idea. I hope it's put into action soon. People abusing this with their shit-tier threads should be stripped imo.

Omniscient - July 7, 2019, 8:31 pm

Thanks for the suggestion.

btw, stop being a bunch of whiny bitches.