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Thread: [First project as grey-black hat](#)

anna-san - October 12, 2025, 5:17 pm

What was your first gray or black hat project? What did you learn from it?

I mean, you tried to hack a website, developed a virus, a hacking tool or something...

I've been curious about it, it's common to hear a lot of people talking about hacking and pentesting, but of course it's not that easy.

Besides websites like HTB that are for practice, I would like to know how have been the path from the beginning (in this case the first "project") of someone who is or used to be a grey or black hat.

DramaKing - October 12, 2025, 5:28 pm

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anna-san - October 12, 2025, 11:36 pm

(Oct 12, 2025 05:28 PM)DramaKing Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I would add a story here if I wore one of those hats and wanted to incriminate myself. Some people here act like nothing they say here can be held against them.

oh, sorry, I did not mean that way. I'm not asking about names, times nor something that could be so specific. It was more like "I broke into my school website coz I wanted to look if I could find something" or "I developed a malware to make fun of a friend"

Projects that now you can say were stupid but in that time you took that seriously

Bastille - October 13, 2025, 1:42 am

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okok, I see. Yeah, the grey-hat line can be in different places depending on each person and their moral.

I appreciate your post, even if not is a project it is something you would like to do.

I hope to see you around too!