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OWASP Belgium Chapter

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Introduction

- Sponsor this evening:
 - ▶ Ernst & Young BE



- Call for additional sponsors
 - Chapter meeting places & catering
 - Support for local projects
- OWASP cannot recommend the use of products, services, or recommend specific companies

Program for this evening:

■ 18h30 - 18h45:

Sebastien Deleersnyder, BE Chapter Leader **OWASP Update**

■ 18h45 - 19h45:

Philippe Bogaerts

WEBGOAT and the Pantera Web Assessment Studio Project

- 19h45 20h00: Break
- 20h00 21h00:

Bart De Win, KU Leuven

Security implications of AOP for secure software



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OWASP

- Open Web Application Security Project
- OWASP Manifesto:
 - an open community dedicated to enabling organizations to develop, purchase, and maintain applications that can be trusted
- Non-profit, volunteer driven organization
 - All members are volunteers
 - All work is donated by sponsors
- OWASP
 - ▶ MediaWiki driven: <u>www.owasp.org</u>
 - Director: Andrew Van der Stock
 - ▶ New Owasp Evangelist: Dinis Cruz

OWASP?

- Provide free resources to the community
 - ▶ Publications, Articles, Standards, e.g.
 - OWASP Top 10
 - OWASP Guide
 - Testing Guide
 - ▶ Testing and Training Software, e.g.
 - WebGoat
 - WebScarab
 - .NET Projects
 - ▶ Local Chapters, Mailing Lists & Conferences
- Dual license model:
 - ▶ Open Source Licenses
 - ▶ Commercial License for Members

Autumn of Code 2006

- Sponsoring contributions to OWASP Projects
- Focus on the 'last-mile'
- Important Results:
 - ▶ Testing Guide v2 (99%)
 - WebScarab NG
 - ▶ Live CD (beta http://www.packetfocus.com/hackos)
 - ▶ Cal9000
 - ▶ OWASP Report Generator and Site Generator
 - Pantera
 - WebGoat 5.0 RC1 new lessons!



OWASP Membership

- Using OWASP material?
- Join us and become member!
- Support OWASP to continue to provide unbiased:
 - ▶ Tools
 - Documentation
 - ▶ Conferences
 - Mailing Lists
 - **)** ...

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Belgium Chapter - What do we have to offer?

- Quarterly Meetings
- Local Mailing List
- Presentations & Groups
- Open forum for discussion
- Meet fellow InfoSec professionals
- Create (Web)AppSec awareness in Belgium
- Local projects?

Belgium Chapter – House Rules

- Free & open to everyone
- Language
 - English preferred
 - ▶ Native language: no problem!
- No vendor pitches or \$ales presentations
- Respect for different opinions
- No flaming (including M\$ bashing)
- 1 CISSP CPE for each hour of OWASP chapter meeting
- Sign Sheet & I'll e-mail scan: you claim CPE credits

OWASP Local Chapter Meetings 2007

■ Next Meeting:

- ▶ Tuesday May 10 2007 (place?)
 - Legal Aspects (Web)AppSec (Jos Dumortier Lawfort)
 - AppSec Research Topics (KUL to be confirmed)

■ Normal Program:

- ▶ Short OWASP intro
- Presentation on introduction topic
- ▶ Panel, workshop, round-table, ... on more advanced topic

■ Topics:

▶ Call for input!

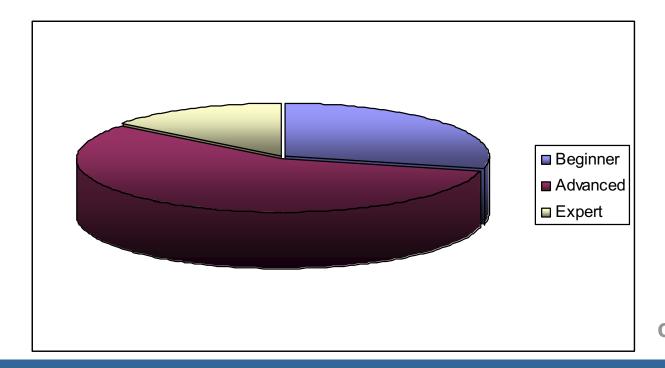
OWASP Conference

- Next conference: OWASP EU Italy
 - ▶ 2nd or 3rd week of May

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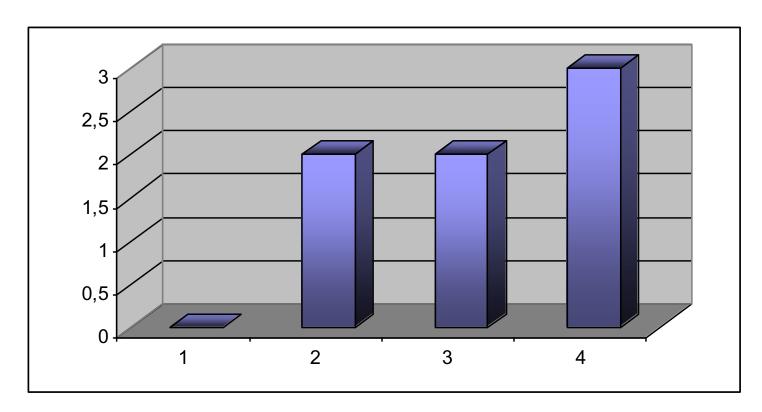
Q1: Do you consider yourself:

- a) "New to beginner" on (Web)AppSec topics
- b) "Having some knowledge-experience" on (Web)AppSec topics
- c) "Advanced to expert" on (Web)AppSec topics



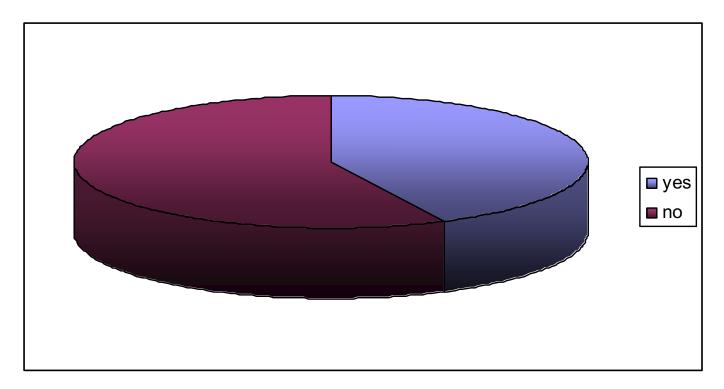
Q2: How many chapter meetings would you like to attend in 2007:

- a) 1
- b) 2
- c) 3
- d) 4



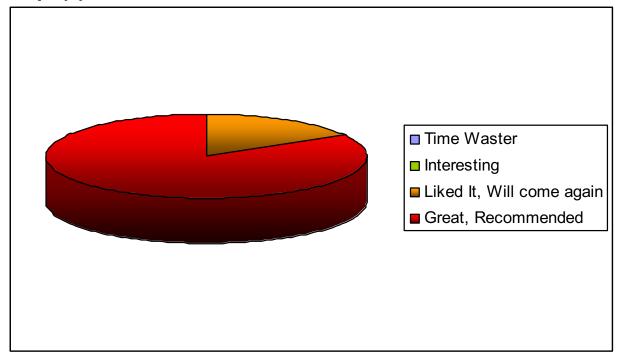
Q3: If given some time to prepare a topic, would you consider preparing a session for a chapter meeting:

- a) yes
- b) no



Q4: What is your opinion of the 2006 Owasp events?

- a) A waste of time
- b) Somewhat interesting, but I will not come anymore
- c) I liked it, and will maybe come to some chapter meetings next year
- d) Great! I would recommend it to everybody implicated or interested in (Web)AppSec



Q5: What would you recommend to make our chapter meetings more interesting for you?

- Create an OWASP introduction track (3-4 presentations on WebAppSec / small training)
- Small number of product related presentations (ex. WAF, XML gateway, ...) Technical!
- Stay on the technical level (leave "high level" stuff to ISACA/ISSA)
- Liked balance between technical / non-technical

That's it...

■ Any Questions?

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