

Prioritizing Trust while Creating Applications

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Effective DevOps

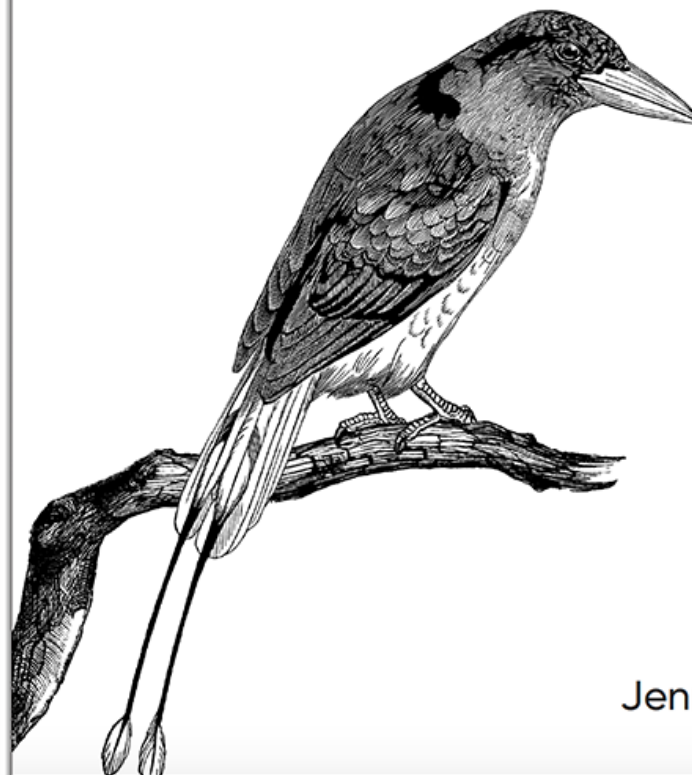
BUILDING A CULTURE OF COLLABORATION,
AFFINITY, AND TOOLING AT SCALE

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Modern System Administration

Building and Maintaining Reliable Systems



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A top-down view of several hands of different skin tones (white, light brown, dark brown, and black) interlocking in a circular pattern. The hands are wearing various colored long-sleeved shirts (white, light blue, and grey). The background is a plain, light grey surface.

Trust

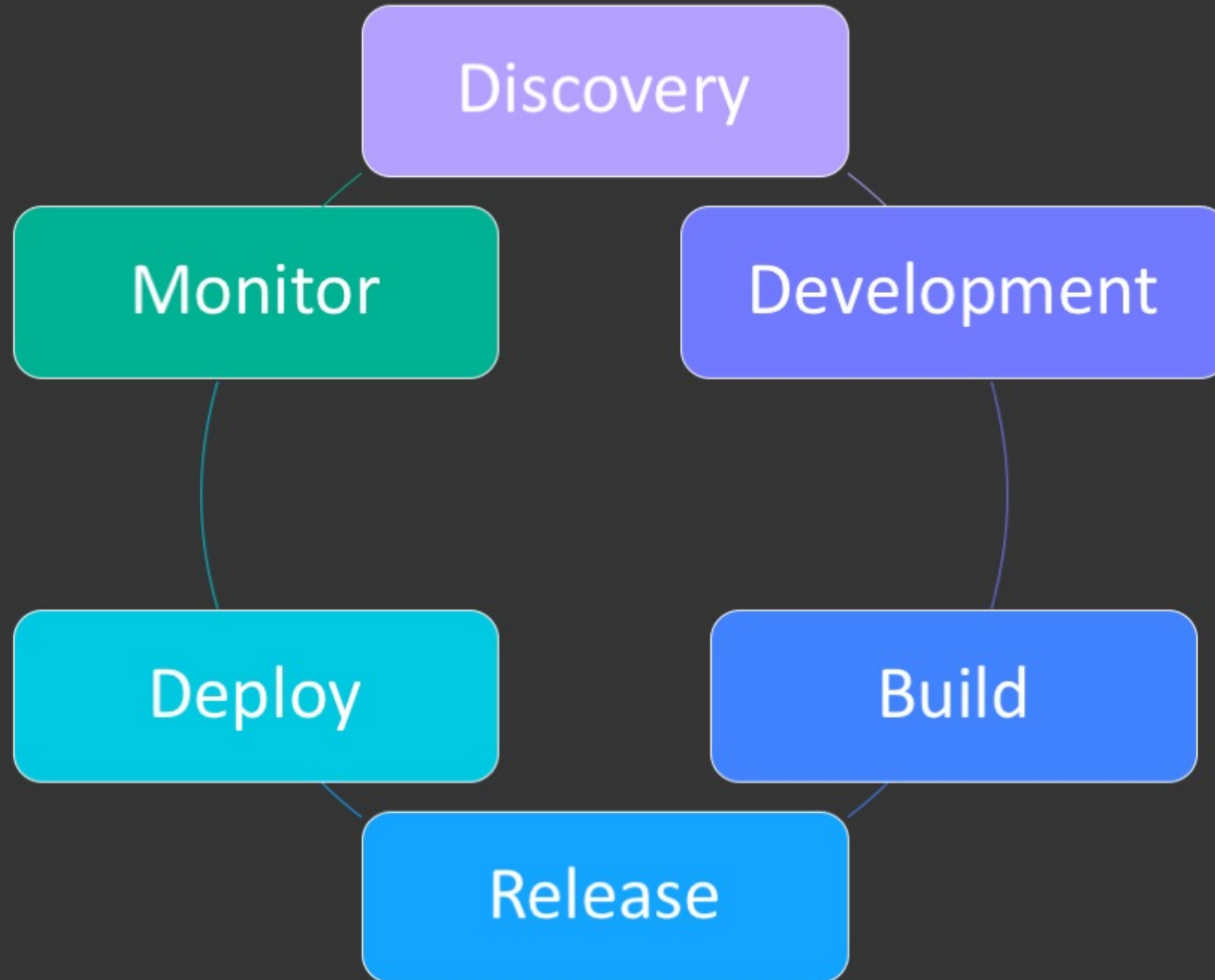




<https://haveibeenpwned.com/>







Agenda

- Establish Common Context
- Build Foundations
- Advancing Principles



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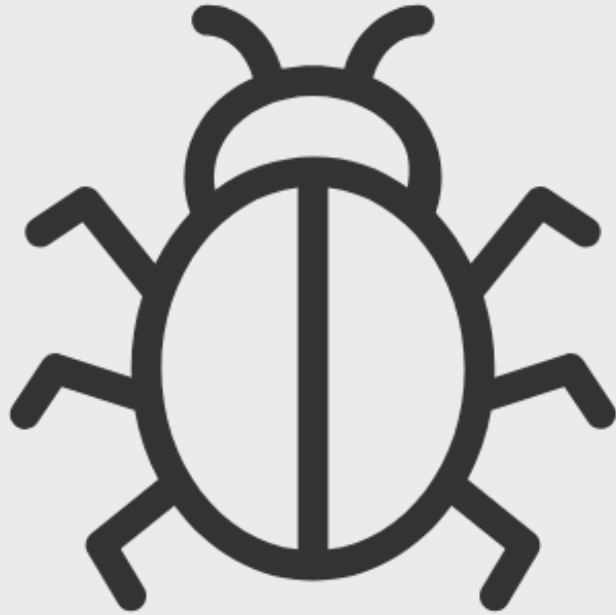


Availability



Integrity





Bug versus Flaw

Motivations

- Financial Gain
- Espionage/Strategic Gain
- Fun/Ideology/Grudge

Build Foundations

A photograph of Mont Saint-Michel, a medieval abbey and fortified island in Normandy, France. The image shows the iconic spire of the abbey rising from a hill, surrounded by a dense cluster of stone buildings and a high defensive wall. The foreground is a wide, flat, and rocky beach at low tide, with the sea visible in the distance under a cloudy sky.

Defense in Depth

Snyk State of Open Source Security Report 2019

- 78% vulnerabilities in indirect dependencies
- 37% of open source developers no security testing in CI
- 54% docker image no security testing
- Top 10 docker images contain > 30 vulnerable system libraries

Source: <https://snyk.io/opensourcesecurity-2019/>



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- What can a user see? do?
- What information is logged?
- Approach for failed logins

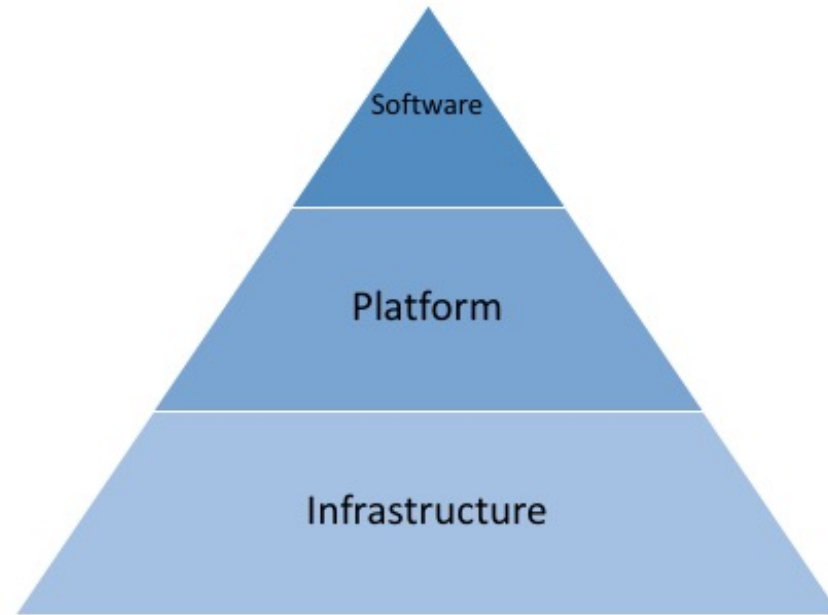
OWASP: Application Security Verification Standard
Project































Threat Modeling

Architectural Trade-offs



Operational Burden



Responsibility	On-Prem	IaaS	PaaS	SaaS
Data classification & accountability				
Client & end-point protection				
Identity & access management				
Application level controls				
Network controls				
Host infrastructure				
Physical security				
 Cloud Customer  Cloud Provider				

Testing Code

Static Code Analysis

```
static OSStatus
SSLVerifySignedServerKeyExchange(SSLContext *ctx, bool isRsa, SSLBuffer signedParams,
                                uint8_t *signature, UInt16 signatureLen)
{
    OSStatus      err;
    ...

    if ((err = SSLHashSHA1.update(&hashCtx, &serverRandom)) != 0)
        goto fail;
    if ((err = SSLHashSHA1.update(&hashCtx, &signedParams)) != 0)
        goto fail;
    goto fail;
    if ((err = SSLHashSHA1.final(&hashCtx, &hashOut)) != 0)
        goto fail;
    ...
}
```

Source:

<https://www.imperialviolet.org/2014/02/22/applebug.htm>

Coding Standards

```
Lint/AmbiguousOperator:  
  Enabled: true  
Lint/AmbiguousBlockAssociation:  
  Enabled: true  
Lint/AmbiguousRegexpLiteral:  
  Enabled: true  
Lint/AssignmentInCondition:  
  Enabled: true  
Layout/BlockAlignment:  
  EnforcedStyleAlignWith: start_of_block  
  Enabled: true  
Lint/CircularArgumentReference:  
  Enabled: true  
Layout/ConditionPosition:  
  Enabled: true  
Lint/Debugger:  
  Enabled: true  
Layout/DefEndAlignment:  
  Enabled: true  
Lint/DeprecatedClassMethods:  
  Enabled: true
```

A low-angle, upward-looking photograph of several modern skyscrapers with glass facades. The buildings are reflected in each other, creating a complex geometric pattern. The sky is a clear, bright blue with scattered white clouds. The overall tone is professional and tech-oriented.

Secure Code Reviews

Planning for Security Escalations

- Identify
- Assess
- Remediate

Incident Response Resource

- Building a Minimum Viable Response Plan:
jhand.co/CreateResponsePlan



Leverage your platform's services

Recognize your platform's limits


Security Center - Overview


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 Security policy


 Regulatory compliance


RESOURCE SECURITY HYGIENE


 Recommendations


 Compute & apps

 IoT hubs & resources


 Networking


 Data & storage

 Identity & access (Preview)


 Security solutions


ADVANCED CLOUD DEFENSE

 Adaptive application controls

 Just in time VM access

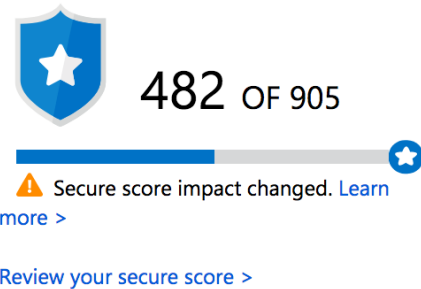
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 What's new

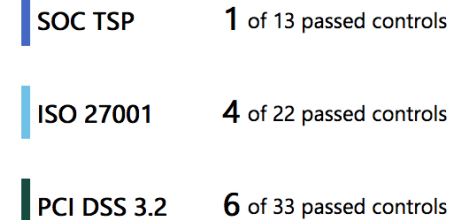
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Policy & compliance

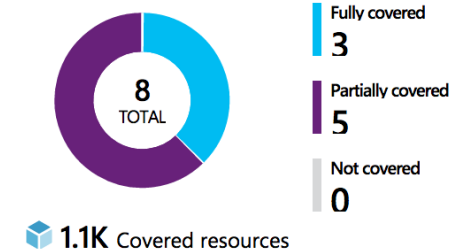
Secure score



Regulatory compliance

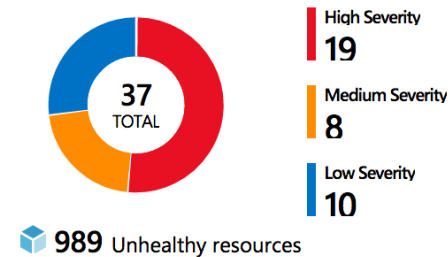


Subscription coverage

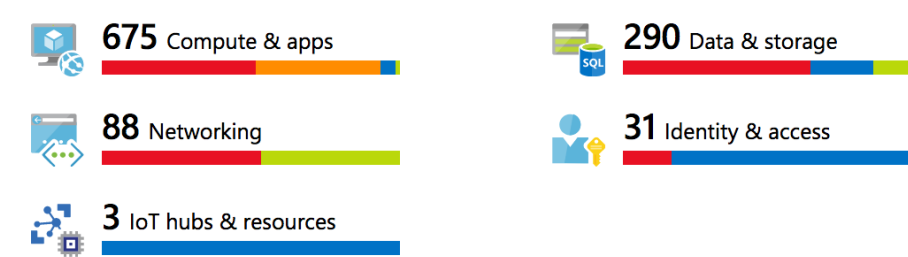


Resource security hygiene

Recommendations



Resource health monitoring

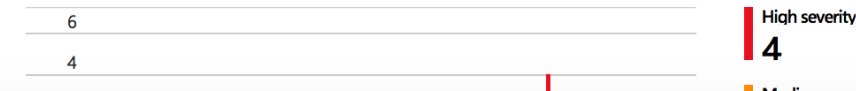


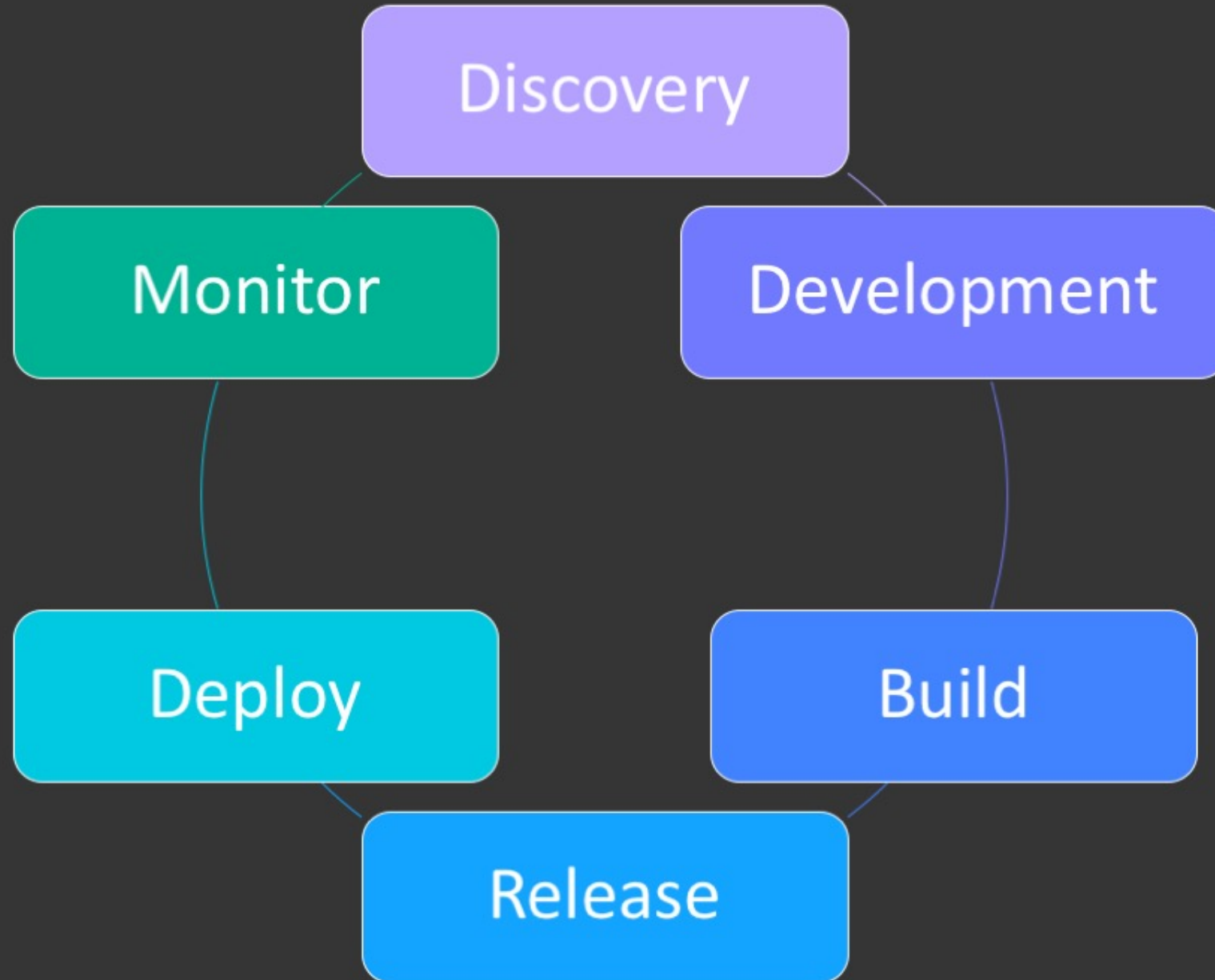
Threat protection

Security alerts by severity



Security alerts over time





Advancing Principles

Bug Bounty Programs

Capture the Flag (CTF)

- CTF with Google
- CTF Circle - CTF distributed team for Nonbinary Folks and Women

Red Team Exercise

“ Fundamentally, if somebody wants to get in, they’re getting in...accept that. What we tell clients is: Number one, you’re in the fight, whether you thought you were or not. Number two, you almost certainly are penetrated.

- Michael Hayden, Former Director of NSA & CIA

What's Next?

- Identify your security maturity
- Assess valuable practices
- Encourage learning security skills
- Incorporate feedback
- Update threat models

Security is
everybody's job!



Thank you

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