

This Will Never Work...

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- Part time wizard
- OffSec Team Lead
- Bug Bounty...er? Bug Bounty Hunter?
- Recovering Systems Engineer
- Recovering Security Engineer



Disclaimer: Views are based on my own thoughts and experiences and do not reflect those of my employer



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Examples are based on real events, but have been abstracted to protect clients, hide origins, and keep you guessing!




Agenda


- Tell silly stories
- Get at least one laugh
- Maybe learn something



Explicitly Allow...INDEFINTELY!



derek.rook  So, we're actually kind of expecting this to fail, given ████████ flags psexec and we're using a default payload. If ████████ does catch it, we'd like to reset and use an obfuscated payload.

derek.rook  nm, it worked out of the box



Explicitly Allowing Questionable Payloads

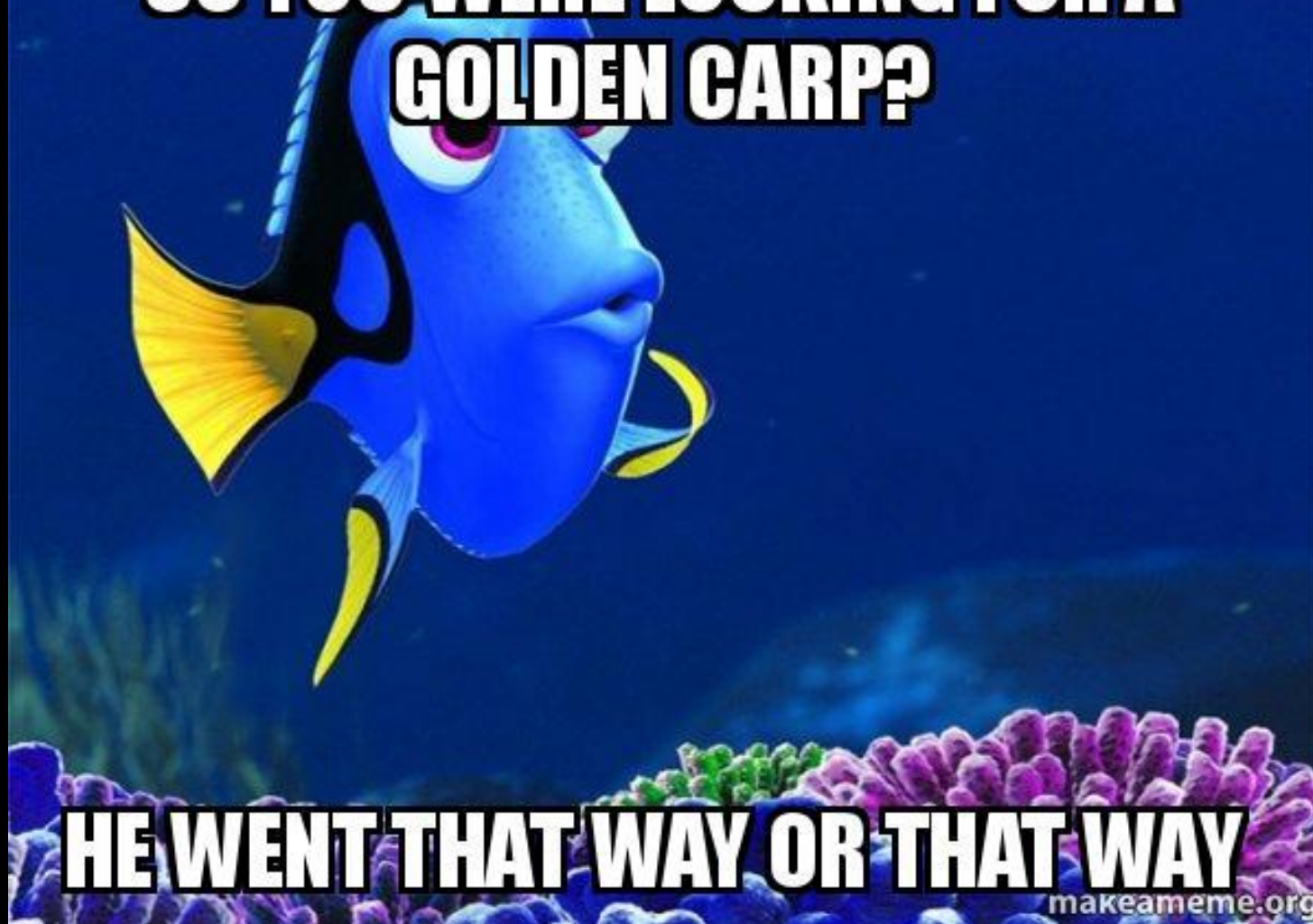
- PsExec isn't inherently bad
- Unintentional consequences
- Any exception should be time bound
- Exceptions should be audited



Who's on First?



**SO YOU WERE LOOKING FOR A
GOLDEN CARP?**



HE WENT THAT WAY OR THAT WAY

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HE WENT THAT WAY



**BUT IT'S NOT
MY BUSINESS LOL**

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The only problem is, I can't remember what I've forgotten.



Not My Job-ism

- No one saw value/impact till too late
- Wasted lots of time/money
- Took lots of escalating to fix
- Clear communication of expectations
- RACI/PARIS/DACI/etc



Please Excuse My Dear Aunt Sally



PEMDAS IS MORE LIKE GUIDELINES

THAN ACTUAL RULES

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What's The Point?

- Things to think about
- Partnership with OffSec
- As old Mad Eye would say...





CONSTANT VIGILANCE!



Thank You!

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