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Each training session focuses on practical demonstrations, interactive exercises, and discussions based on real-life situations to ensure the acquisition of key skills.

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- on-site or remotely
- in French or English
- individually or in groups

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BUG BOUNTY OVERVIEW



a. Description

*This half-a-day course offers a complete introduction to the world of bug bounty. **Tailored for directors, CISO, team leader**, this session covers everything from the history and structure of bug bounty programs to real-world vulnerability reporting and triaging. Through **case studies, best practices, and industry insights**, participants will leave equipped with a strong foundation to begin (or improve) their bug bounty journey, **both from the hacker and company perspectives**.*

b. Educational goals

- Understand what a *bug bounty* program is
- Learn how *bug bounty* fits into a security strategy
- Identify key roles and responsibilities
- Know how to handle vulnerability reports
- Evaluate your organization's *bug bounty* readiness

c. Prerequisites

- Basic understanding of cybersecurity principles
- Familiarity with vulnerability management and risk assessment

d. Targeted audience

- Cybersecurity managers and security teams
- CISO and risk management professionals
- Organizations new to *bug bounty*

e. Program

Welcome & icebreaker

- Instructor intro & participant backgrounds
- What to expect from the course
- What is *bug bounty* and why it matters?

Understanding *bug bounty*: the ecosystem

- History and evolution of programs
- Roles and motivations: companies, platforms, hackers, 3rd parties
- *Pentest* vs. *bug bounty*: key differences

Anatomy of a *bug bounty* program

- How programs are structured
- Public vs. private programs
- What companies expect vs. what hackers expect

Reports: triaging & managing conflicts

- Lifecycle of a report
- Handling duplicates and disputes

Policy & program management

- What companies should prepare before launching
- Program evolution: scope, rewards, privacy
- Common mistakes to avoid

Rules, ethics & real case studies

- The unofficial rules of *bug bounty*
- Safe harbor, disclosure policies
- Failures and successes: *Verizon*, *Shopify*, *Zomato*...

Wrap-up & Q&A

- Recap of the day
- Open Q&A and personalized advice