A REALLY, REALLY BRIEF HISTORY OF DCG

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GROUP
UP

2002
FINDING OTHER HACKERS WAS HARD
91 active Defcon Groups worldwide ..and growing again!
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THE PANEL
DCG Panel

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BY Creative Designs
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• (1) Defcon Groups Logo
• (2) A Really, Really Brief History of the DCG
  – (3) late 2002 ideas led to creation of Defcon Groups
  – (4) was one of a dozen or so folks starting a group
    • group would be great and far exceed the awesomeness of our local 2600 (or so I thought)
  – (5) officially launched in 2003 at Defcon 11
    • (6) reality of local 207
  – (7) trekked to Oregon and participated in 503 scene
    • highs, lows, but everyone got busy
– (8) moved to Seattle and found the thriving 206
  • more hackers!

• (9) And the Years Passed
  – most active groups off doing their own thing
  – many groups looking to abandon the Defcon
    banner in favor of hackerspaces
    • they have much cooler names
  – many groups simply didn't exist or respond
    • began with a list of over 170+ groups internationally
    • 102 were inactive! (seriously, I have the list to prove it)
    • 30 had significantly changed; hey, I’d not been the POC
      for DC207 for over 6 years!
• (10) DCG Lives!
  – 91 active groups worldwide today
  – at least 4 or 5 in the DCG inbox starting up

• (11) What is Coming?
  – Social media: facebook, google+, twitter.
  – Antisocial media: mailing lists, forums, ... DCG-specific site launch later this year!
  – Hacker media: irc, bbs, group-built infrastructure?

• (12) Enough tangent, the groups that have been there, done that, do that – the PANEL!