

Enhancing Academic Cyber Resilience - Integrating TGuard into ACAD CSIRT Services





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Research Interest

- Malware
- Intrusion Detection
- Vulnerability Analysis
- Digital Forensics
- Cloud Security

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Agenda

- Academic Cyber Threat Landscape
- About ACAD CSIRT
- Key Achievement ACAD CSIRT Summit 2025
- Why TGuard?
- What ACAD CSIRT will provide
- Integration & Onboarding Workflow
- Use Cases
- Early Adopters
- Key Takeaways





Academic Cyber Threat Landscape







Indonesia University's Landscape

• 4500 Universities in Indonesia, 1500 of them teach IT

Only about 20 have CSIRTs

Now, that Indonesia has UU PDP (Data Privacy Law)

• It is a law NOW, to protect students' data privacy





About ACAD CSIRT



ACAD-CSIRT stands for Academic Computer Security Incident
 Response Team—a non-profit, non-governmental national CSIRT in
 Indonesia.

Core mission

- Unites university-related incident response teams to enhance the country's cybersecurity posture.
- Promotes security training and research, forging public-private partnerships across academia, government, and industry.
- Engages with global CSIRT organizations to share knowledge and strengthen international cybersecurity collaboration.





About ACAD CSIRT









Community Development & Coordination

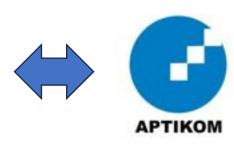












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ACAD CSIRT Summit 2025 - Program Highlights





- Cyber Competition Final showcase of student and professional cybersecurity skills.
- Incident Response Training hands-on simulations using NIST, SANS, and ISO frameworks.
- **Technical Workshops** deep dives on CSIRT setup, SOC ops, research funding, and honeypots.
- **Cybersecurity Expo** live demos of tools, solutions, and academic-industry innovations.
- Networking Sessions cross-sector collaboration and knowledge sharing.
- Field Visits / Industry Tours command center, IXPs, universities, and vendor facilities.
- MoU Signing Ceremony formalizing partnerships among academia, industry, and government.
- Closing & Awards reflections, competition winners, and VIP networking.





ACAD CSIRT Summit 2025 – The Event Gallery









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ACAD CSIRT Summit 2025 – The Winners









ACAD CSIRT Summit 2025 - Key Achievements

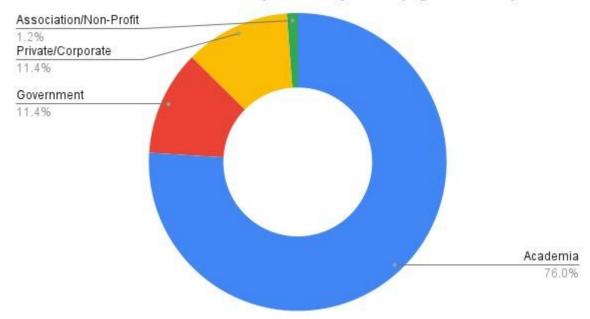
- Incident Handling Training Impact: Trained about 100 academics & professionals in incident handling (more than 300% than expected #s).
- **High Engagement IH Competition**: ACADefence 2025 drew 111 teams (247 individuals) more than double the expected 50.
- **Diverse Winners**: Top 5 competition winners spanned military, government, academia, and cybersecurity services.
- University Commitment: 162 campuses committed to CSIRT formation, far surpassing the 50% participation goal.
- Collaboration Highlight: Summit reinforced public—private partnerships as vital for national cyber resilience.
- People-Centric Focus: Stressed academia's role in empowering people as the core of sustainable cyber capacity.



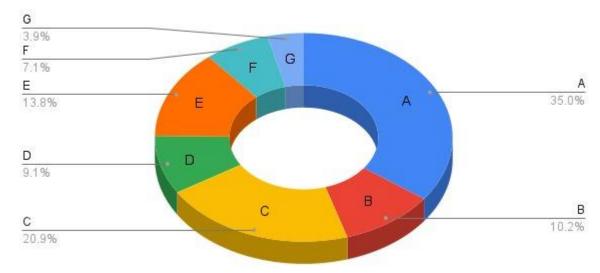


ACAD CSIRT Summit 2025 - Some Stats

Summit & Workshop Participants (By Sectors)



Workshop Participants By Track No. (%)





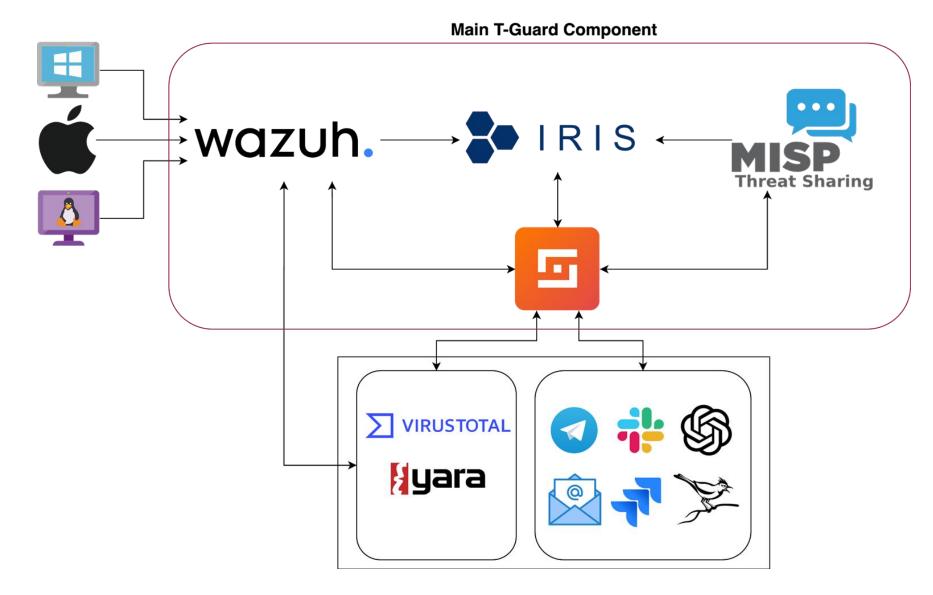


Why T-Guard?





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- Open & Cost-Efficient
 Built on open standards → avoids vendor lock-in & reduces license costs.
- Unified Security Hub
 Collects logs & alerts from Windows, Linux, macOS into one SOC platform.
- Threat Intelligence Built-In Integrated with MISP, VirusTotal, YARA for instant enrichment & detection.
- Automated Response (SOAR-Lite)
 Connects with Slack, Telegram, Email, Jira, Al-assistants to cut response times.
- Scalable Multi-Tenant Model
 Easily onboard multiple customers without heavy infra.
- Streamline Installation
 With proper Internet connection, Installation can be done within an hour.





What ACAD CSIRT provides

• Low-cost yearly subscription for all universities (4500 universities in Indonesia)

- Start with Basic Notification Services
 - 5 endpoint (Starter package)
 - 1 month log retention (longer retention is possible when required)

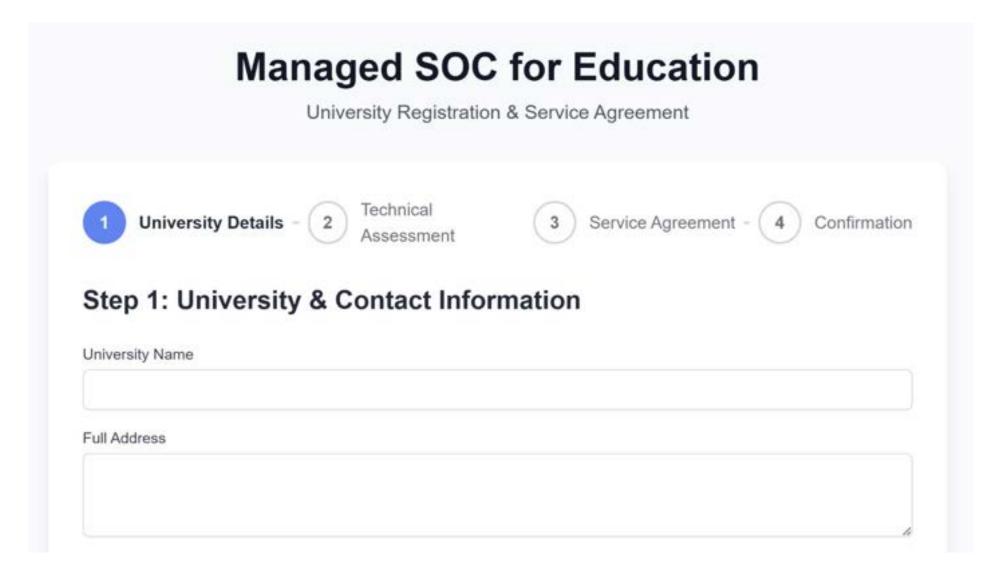
Threat Sharing among higher education







Simple Onboarding Workflow







Use Cases: Ransomware





Detection - RDP Brute-Force

- 1. The RDP brute force command triggered
- 2. Alert will be show up as follows:

ecurity Alerts					
Time 🕁	Technique(e)	Tectic(x)	Cescription	Level	Rule 10
Aug 20, 2024 @ 08:34:33.956	T1110	Credential Access	Multiple Windows logon failures.	10	60204
Aug 28, 2024 @ 08/34/30/253	T1078 T1531	Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access, Impact	Logon failure - Unknown user or bad password.		60122
Aug 28, 2024 @ 08:34:30:238	T1078 T1531	Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access, Impact	Logon failure - Unknown user or bad password.	5	60122
Aug 28, 2024 @ 08:34:28.662	T1078	Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access	Windows logon success.	3	60106
Aug 28, 2024 @ 08:34:26.625	T1078 T1531	Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access, Impact	Logon fallure - Unknown user or bad password.	5	60122
Aug 28, 2024 @ 08:34:22.998	T1078 T1531	Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access, Impact	Logon fallure - Unknown user or bad password.	367	60122
Aug 28, 2024 @ 08:34:19:284	T1078 T1531	Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access, Impact	Logon fallure - Unknown user or bad password.	5	60122
Aug 26, 2024 @ 08:34:15.630	T1078 T1531	Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access, Impact	Logon fallure - Unknown user or bad password.	6	60122
Aug 28, 2024 @ 08:34:14,571	T1078 T1531	Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access, Impact	Logon failure - Unknown user or bad password.	5	60122
Aug 29, 2024 @ 08:34:11.928	T1078 T1531	Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access, Impact	Logon failure - Unknown user or bad password.	5	60122





Detection - Script & File Creation

- The Lockbit file executed
- 2. Alert will be show up as follows:

Security Air	Uerts					
Time	ne -b	Technique(x)	Tacticin)	Crescription	Level	Rule ID
	g 28, 2024 gi 112:13:834	T1059 T1105	Execution, Command and Control	Scripting file created under Windows Temp or User folder		92200
	g 28, 2024 @ -12-13.786	T1059 T1105	Execution, Command and Control	Scripting file created under Windows Temp or User folder		92200
	g 28, 2024 g (12,13,462	T1059 T1105	Execution, Command and Control	Scripting file created under Windows Temp or User folder	6	92200
	g 28, 2024 gi 112:13:379	T1059 T1105	Execution, Command and Control	Scripting file created under Windows Temp or User folder	4	92200
	ug 28, 2024 (b 1:15:56.334	T1087 T1059.003	Discovery, Execution	Suspicious Windows and shell execution	3	92032
	ug 28, 2024 @ 1:15:55.645	T1087 T1059.003	Discovery, Execution	Suspicious Windows and shell execution	1	92032
	ug 28, 2024 (b 1:15:55.574	T1087 T1059.003	Discovery, Execution	Suspicious Windows cmd shell execution	3	92032
	ug 28, 2024 (b 1:15:35.495	T1087 T1059.003	Discovery, Execution	Suspicious Windows and shell execution	3	92032
	ug 28, 2024 (b 1:15:55.437	T1087 T1059.003	Discovery, Execution	Suspicious Windows cmd shell execution	3	92032
	ug 28, 2024 @ 1:15:55.378	T1087 T1059.003	Discovery, Execution	Suspicious Windows and shell execution	3	92032





Detection - Command & Control

- With the Lockbit file executed
- 2. Alert will be show up as follows:

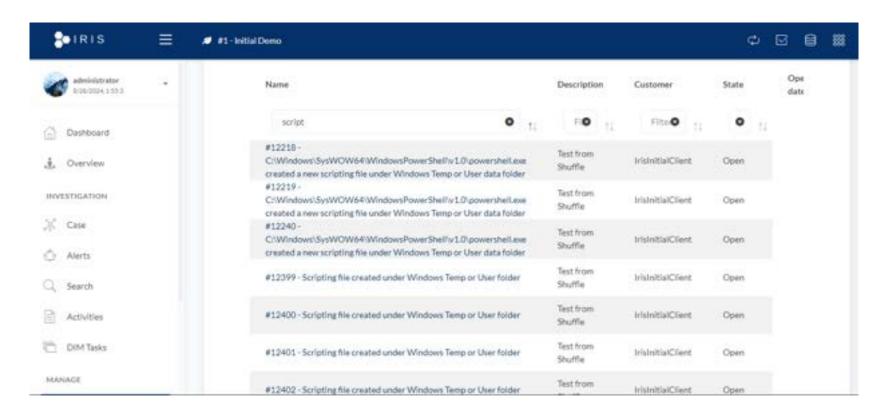
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>	Aug 28, 2024 @ 11:19:19:056	T1070.001	Defense Evasion	Multiple Registry Keys created in Event Viewer on WIN- F6NF7R6I6PJ. Possible Ransomware Activity.	10	100032
)	Aug 28, 2024 @ 11:19:09.011	T1070.001	Defense Evasion	Multiple Registry Keys created in Event Viewer on WIN- F6NF7R6I6PJ. Possible Ransomware Activity.	10	100032
	Aug 28, 2024 @ 11:18:59.030	T1070.001	Defense Evasion	Multiple Registry Keys created in Event Viewer on WIN- F6NF7R6I6PJ. Possible Ransomware Activity.	10	100032
	Aug 28, 2024 @ 11:18:49.029	T1070.001	Defense Evasion	Multiple Registry Keys created in Event Viewer on WIN- F6NF7R6I6PJ. Possible Ransomware Activity.	10	100032
	Aug 28, 2024 @ 11:18:39.081	T1070.001	Defense Evasion	Multiple Registry Keys created in Event Viewer on WIN- F6NF7R6i6PJ. Possible Ransomware Activity.	10	100032
	Aug 28, 2024 @ 11:18:29.016	T1070.001	Defense Evasion	Multiple Registry Keys created in Event Viewer on WIN- F6NF7R6I6PJ. Possible Ransomware Activity.	10	100032
9	Aug 28, 2024 @ 11:18:19.037	T1070.001	Defense Evasion	Multiple Registry Keys created in Event Viewer on WIN- F6NF7R6I6PJ. Possible Ransomware Activity.	10	100032





Auto-Ticketing

- Open IRIS:
 https://[IP_Address]:8443
 - Click Manage Cases in the left panel
 - 1. Choose Cases List
 - Ticket already created automatically







Use Cases: Web Defacement



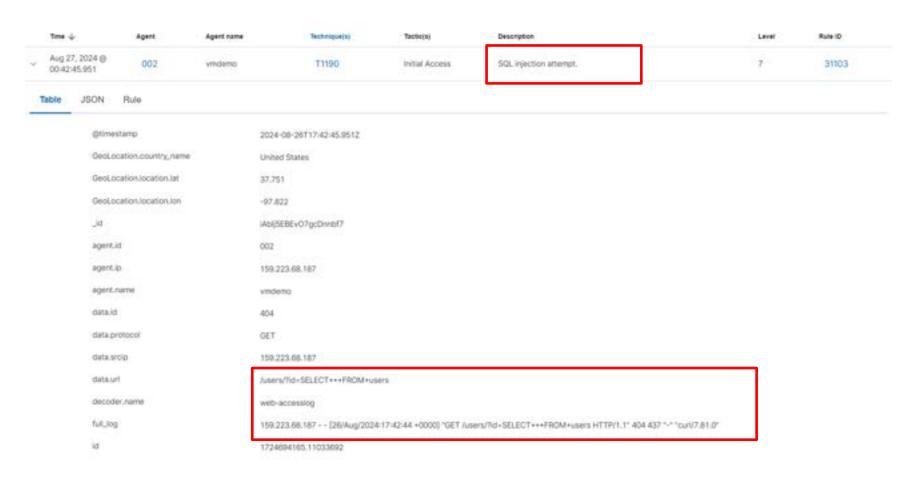


Wazuh Alert & Detection

When SQL Injection is performed

On the **Security Monitoring**

Wazuh detects the action





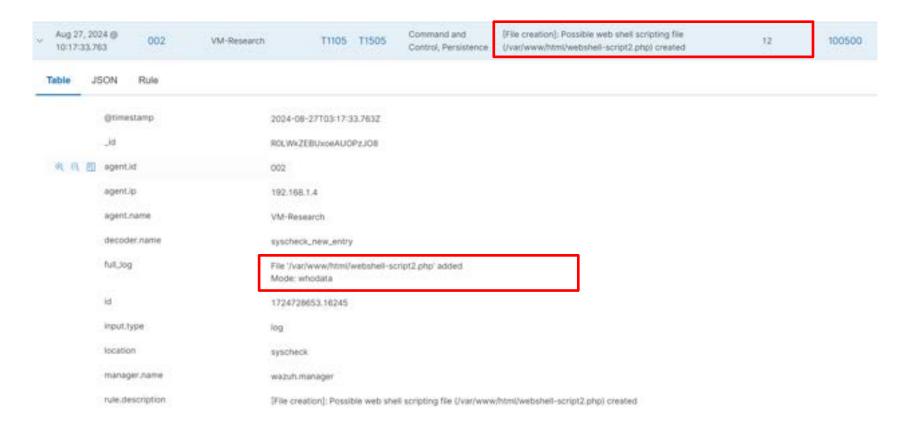


Wazuh Alert & Detection

When there is modification on Apache Directory

On the **Security Monitoring**

Wazuh detects the action







Web Defacement – Auto-Ticketing

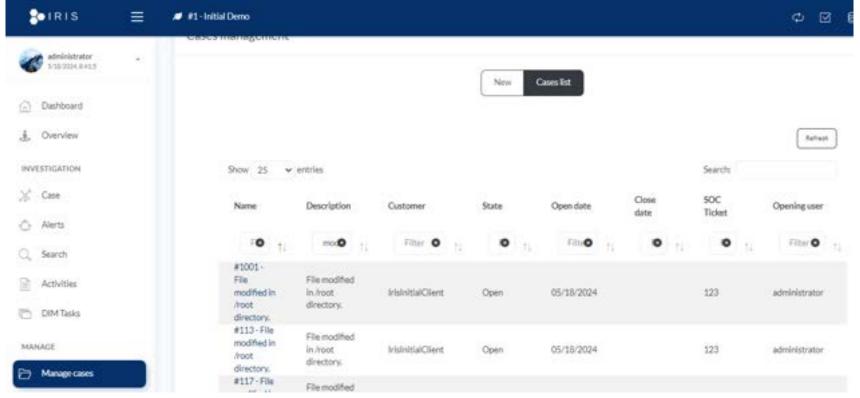
On IRIS:

https://[IP_Address]:8443

On the **Manage Cases** in the left panel

Cases List shows all the cases automatically created during the detection

This includes: Malware detection ticket automatically created







Early Adopters





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Key Takeaways

• 162 campuses signed up to initiate CSIRT programs, with a target of 500 new sign-ups annually.

• 5 early adopters engaged as the first institutions to begin active asset monitoring.

• Launched with basic service, incident notifications as the entry point.

 Campus visits organized in clusters to accelerate onboarding and implementation across regions.





Questions & Answers (Q&A)





