

# How Barclays Upskills a Global Security Team with RangeForce

## Challenge

Security breaches present a serious risk to the financial services industry. In an effort to minimize the possibility of a successful cyber attack, the Barclays team needed a robust cybersecurity training partner that could increase its team's defensive and operational readiness.

The security team searched for a viable training solution that could offer insight into the team's existing skill-set while also providing collaborative, hands-on training experiences to better equip them for the latest cyber threats.



Barclays is a British multinational investment bank and financial services organization.

## Requirements

- ✓ Assess and track security skills over time
- ✓ Train and develop against the latest cyber attacks
- ✓ Test and refine cybersecurity processes with real-world experience

## Solution

RangeForce partnered with Barclays to deliver continuous cybersecurity skills development for individuals and teams. The cloud-based RangeForce platform hosts hundreds of interactive modules covering critical cybersecurity tools and processes.

Role-specific content covers training for SOC Analyst 1, SOC Analyst 2, Threat Hunter, Web Application Security, Cloud Security, and more. Comprehensive reporting empowers managers to quantify organizational proficiency across cybersecurity skill-sets.

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Realistic attack scenarios can be deployed in highly realistic virtual environments to facilitate team-based exercises against real threats. These exercises expose teams to real-world cyber attacks in familiar settings, featuring real IT infrastructure, real security tools, and real threats.

The intense exercise provides ideal practice space for individuals and teams and quickly reveals operational gaps and weaknesses in existing security processes. Following a threat exercise, an After-Action Report is provided to teams to provide next-steps for a remedial skills development plan using the RangeForce platform.

### Key Outcomes

- ✓ Improved coordination and cooperation across global security teams
- ✓ Identified and remediated operational security weaknesses
- ✓ Developed a continuous and metric-driven training program

## Results

Since 2015, RangeForce has trained over 400 Barclays employees throughout the world, including Cape Town, Prague, London, and New York City. The entire security organization in the company's global workforce now upskills as part of a unified, holistic training program.

The Barclays team regularly uses RangeForce to evaluate its ongoing resilience against cyberattacks and to refine its collaboration during high-stress situations.

“These sessions are very educational. Having to learn under intense pressure and a timer is also a great exercise. It would be great to have RangeForce available as an ongoing training resource.”





RangeForce empowers team cyber readiness at scale. Refine your defensive capabilities against the latest threats with a continuous approach to cybersecurity skills development. See real threats in action and sharpen the skills needed to defend your organization with interactive modules, challenges, and team-based threat exercises that reflect the real world.

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