## **How To Stay Rekt-Free in WEB3**



Master the Web3 Security layers protecting your crypto assets

## KERBERUS



## **Your 3-Layer Defense System**

#### **1. Build Your Fortress**

Securing wallets and private keys

#### **2. Define Your Actions**

Safe interactions with contracts and dApps

#### **3. Set Your Shield**

Mindset and habits against deception

Each layer builds on the next—master all three to stay protected

## **1st Layer: Build Your Web3 Fortress**

#### **Use Cold Storage**

Hardware wallets keep keys offline—no transaction without physical approval

- Buy direct from established brands like Ledger, Trezor, CoolWallet,
  SafePal etc.
- Avoid unauthorized resellers or unverified 3rd parties to avoid supply chain attacks
- Malware can't press physical buttons to approve transactions





### **The \$5 Wrench Attack**

**2025 saw a resurgence of physical attacks** targeting crypto holders

—including the kidnapping of Ledger's co-founder

Critical Reality: Even cold storage and multi-sig can't protect you if you expose a seed phrase by accident or under duress

## **Seed Phrase Hygiene**

#### X Never Do This

- Take photos of your seed phrase
- Save to cloud storage
- Print digital copies

#### **Do This**

- Write on paper or stamp into metal
- Store in physical safe
- Keep offline, always



One leaked photo such as "crypto\_keys.jpg" = your entire portfolio gone

## **Hot vs. Cold Wallet Strategy**





#### **Cold Wallet = Your Vault**

Hardware wallet should protect your longterm crypto holdings



#### **Hot Wallet = Pocket Cash**

Use a burner wallet for daily minting, trading, experimenting

If your hot wallet gets drained, you lose 0.1 ETH—not your entire bag



## **2nd Layer: Take the Right Actions**



#### **Read Before Signing**

SetApprovalForAll = giving permanent access to all your assets



#### **Use Transaction Simulators**

Kerberus and Pocket Universe show what transactions do in plain English



#### **Revoke Old Approvals**

Use Revoke.cash to clean up permissions every few months

### **Transaction Simulator in Action**

#### Without real-time Web3 security like Kerberus:

Click "Mint" → Sign blindly → Lose everything

#### **With Kerberus:**

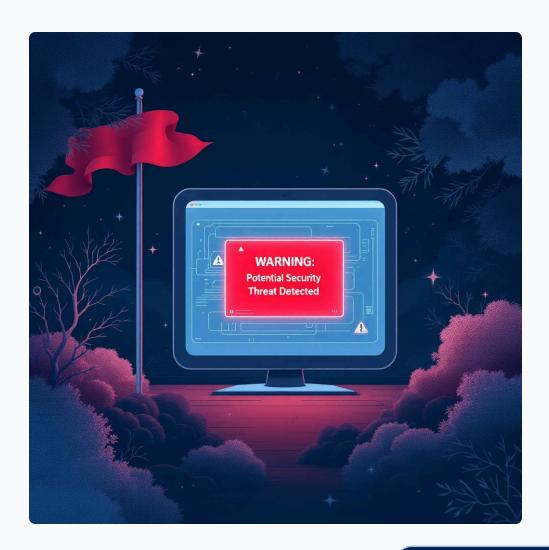
See clear warning:

#### THIS TRANSACTION WILL:

Send 0.1 ETH

X STEAL all Cool Cats NFTs

Reject immediately. Assets saved.



## **Layer 3: Strengthen Your Shield**



#### **Bookmark Official Links**

opensea.xyz ≠ opensea.io—one letter steals everything. Only use bookmarks.



#### **Use Burner Wallets for Mints**

New wallet, exact mint amount only. Drainer gets 0.1 ETH—not your main bag.



#### **Ignore take airdrops: No Free Lunch in Web3**

Random airdrops in your wallet are bait. Hide them. Never interact.



#### Disable or Ignore DMs

99% of unsolicited messages are scams. Turn off DMs on Discord and X.

## **The 2022 BAYC Instagram Hack**

\$3M

100%

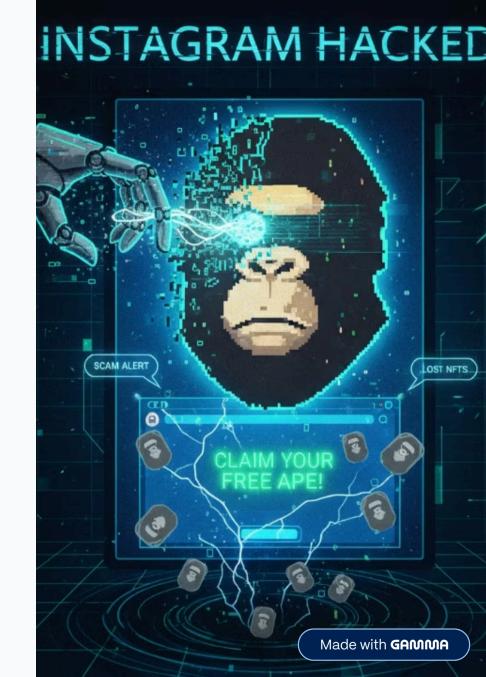
**Lost in minutes** 

**Preventable** 

Phishing link on compromised official account

With bookmarks and transaction simulators

# Stay vigilant. Stay rekt-free.



## Learn more at <u>Kerberus.com</u>

The world's leading Web3 security tool for real-time threat protection



