

# Journal Entry #5

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Out of the seven motives individuals would commit crimes, I found a particular ranking to them. At rank 1, I would place "For Money" as this is why most people would do anything. Almost everyone can be bribed, and hackers are no exception. At rank 2, I would place "Revenge" as this can lead most people to do terrible things. Revenge often leads to harmful actions such as mocking, bullying, hurting, and even killing others. At rank 3, I would place "Boredom" as this causes most people to hack and code as it gives them something to do. At rank 4, I would put "Entertainment" as with "Boredom." This gives people something to do, and unfortunately, most hackers love causing chaos. At rank 5, I would place "Recognition" as few people would hack and risk getting caught for recognition. At rank 6, I would put "Political." Even though it has been done in the past, an individual would need help to seek this out. Finally, at rank 7, "Multiple reasons," while each hacker has different reasons to hack, most of the list above covers the core reasons they hack.