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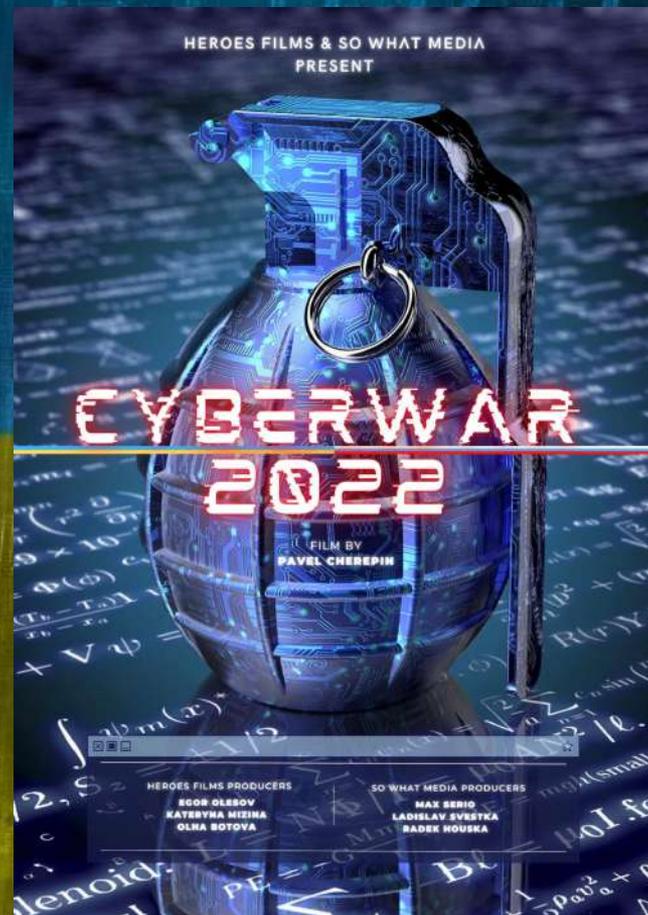
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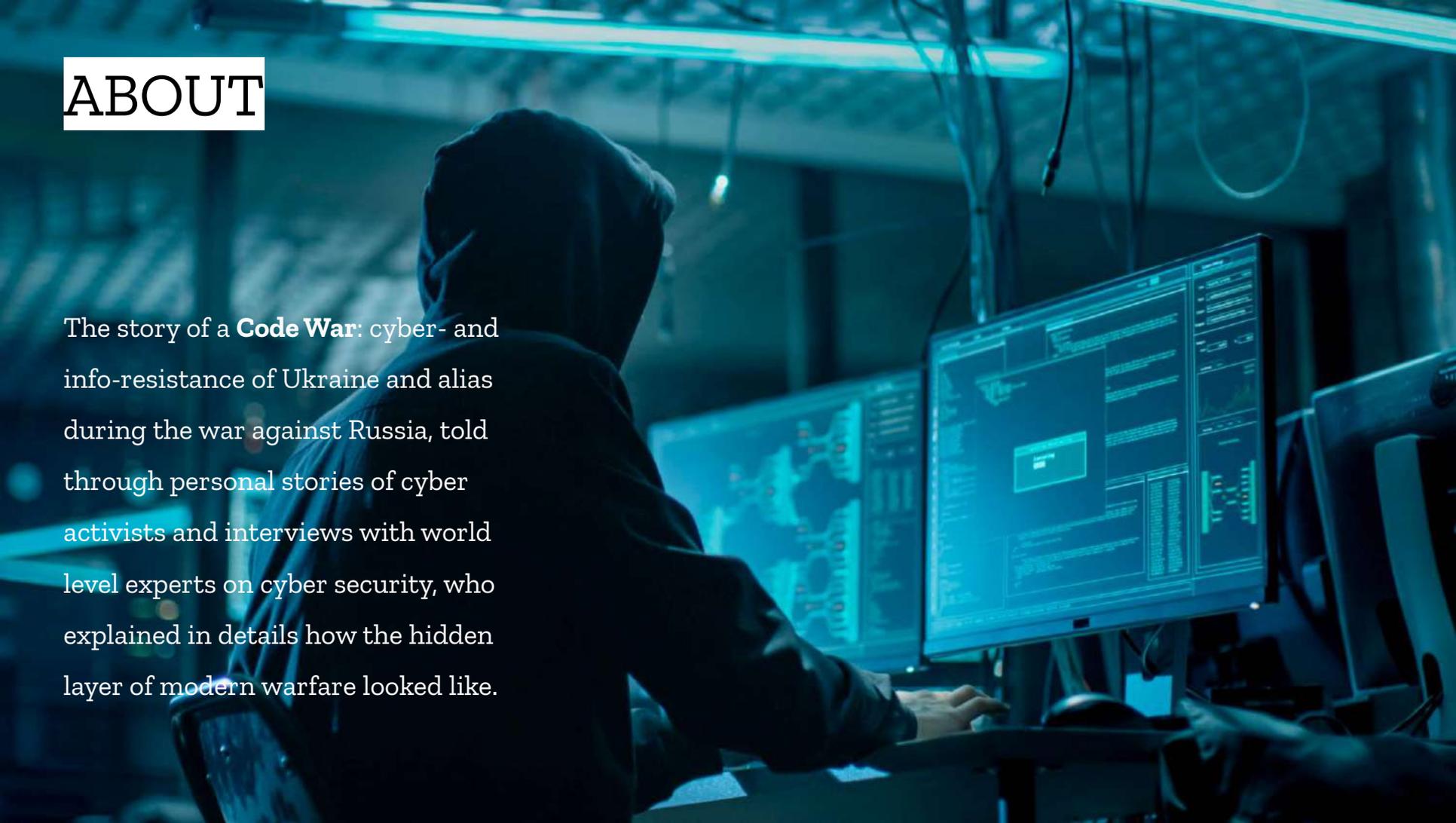
Status: In production

Delivery: November 2022

Trailer: vimeo.com/741126253



ABOUT

A person wearing a dark hoodie is seen from behind, sitting at a desk in a server room. They are looking at several computer monitors displaying data and code. The room is dimly lit with blue light from the monitors and overhead fixtures. Cables and server racks are visible in the background.

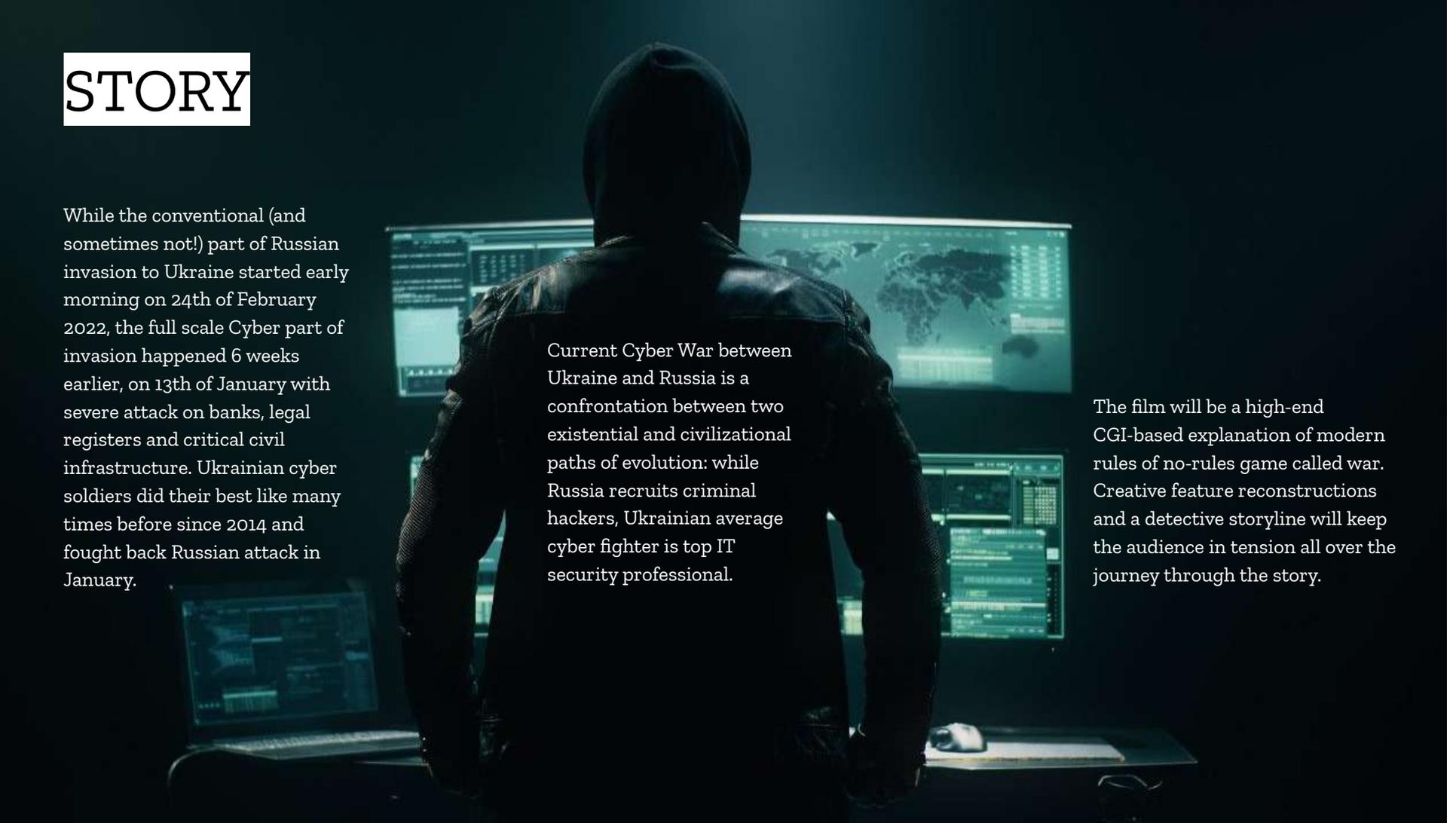
The story of a **Code War**: cyber- and info-resistance of Ukraine and allies during the war against Russia, told through personal stories of cyber activists and interviews with world level experts on cyber security, who explained in details how the hidden layer of modern warfare looked like.

FEATURES

- Unique exclusive investigation with recruiting enemy hacker, who reveals top secret information.
- Details of military and hackers cyber operations, revealing both attacking and defending strategies.
- Presence of USA, Israel, China, India and international hacker groups, both military hackers and civil hackers on cyber battlefield.
- Ukrainian protagonists with dramatic personal stories and top world experts speaking about various aspects of modern cyber warfare.
- CGI map of Cyber Warfare 2022 including roles, tactics and estimated potentials of parties.
- Investigation of the effect of Cyber War on everyday life of average people.
- Top World cyber war experts as project speakers.



STORY

A person wearing a dark hoodie is seen from behind, sitting at a desk in a dimly lit room. They are looking at several computer monitors. The monitors display various data visualizations, including a world map and code-like text. The overall atmosphere is mysterious and technical, suggesting a cyber environment.

While the conventional (and sometimes not!) part of Russian invasion to Ukraine started early morning on 24th of February 2022, the full scale Cyber part of invasion happened 6 weeks earlier, on 13th of January with severe attack on banks, legal registers and critical civil infrastructure. Ukrainian cyber soldiers did their best like many times before since 2014 and fought back Russian attack in January.

Current Cyber War between Ukraine and Russia is a confrontation between two existential and civilizational paths of evolution: while Russia recruits criminal hackers, Ukrainian average cyber fighter is top IT security professional.

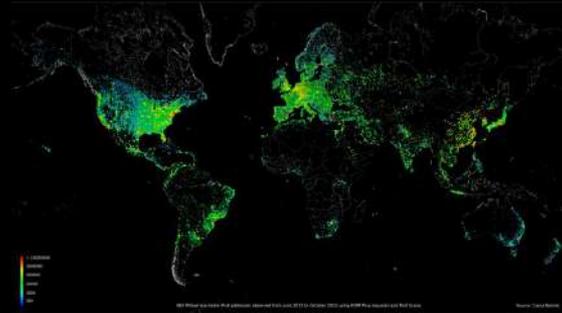
The film will be a high-end CGI-based explanation of modern rules of no-rules game called war. Creative feature reconstructions and a detective storyline will keep the audience in tension all over the journey through the story.

SCRIPTLINE

- Deepfake artistic introduction to the topic
- Astrakhan' People Republic: a day when several FSB generals lost their ranks
- 2014 - 2021, retrospective of Russian cyber invasion to Ukraine
- 13/01/2022 - The Strike Day: losses and coincidence
- Countergame. Anthem of Ukraine on Russian TV
- Banking system and Media cases: Mass Disruption vs Mass Destruction
- Map of World Cyber Forces 2022, roles of governments, privateers and Elon Musk
- Anonymous phenomenon, what's common between masked hackers and army of Genghis Khan
- Everyday life affected by Cyber War. Revelation of unexpected coincidences.



MOODBOARD





DIRECTOR

Pavel Cherepin, IMDB

Ukrainian award-winning
documentary director.
Ex-CEO of international
content/IT company.

PRODUCERS

HEROES FILMS

Ukrainian audio-visual content making company, known for international award winning documentaries, documentary-related co-production and services.

SO WHAT MEDIA

Documentary and live action production company based in Prague that specialise in wildlife, lifestyle, biography, and history series and films.



Egor Olesov, [IMDB](#)



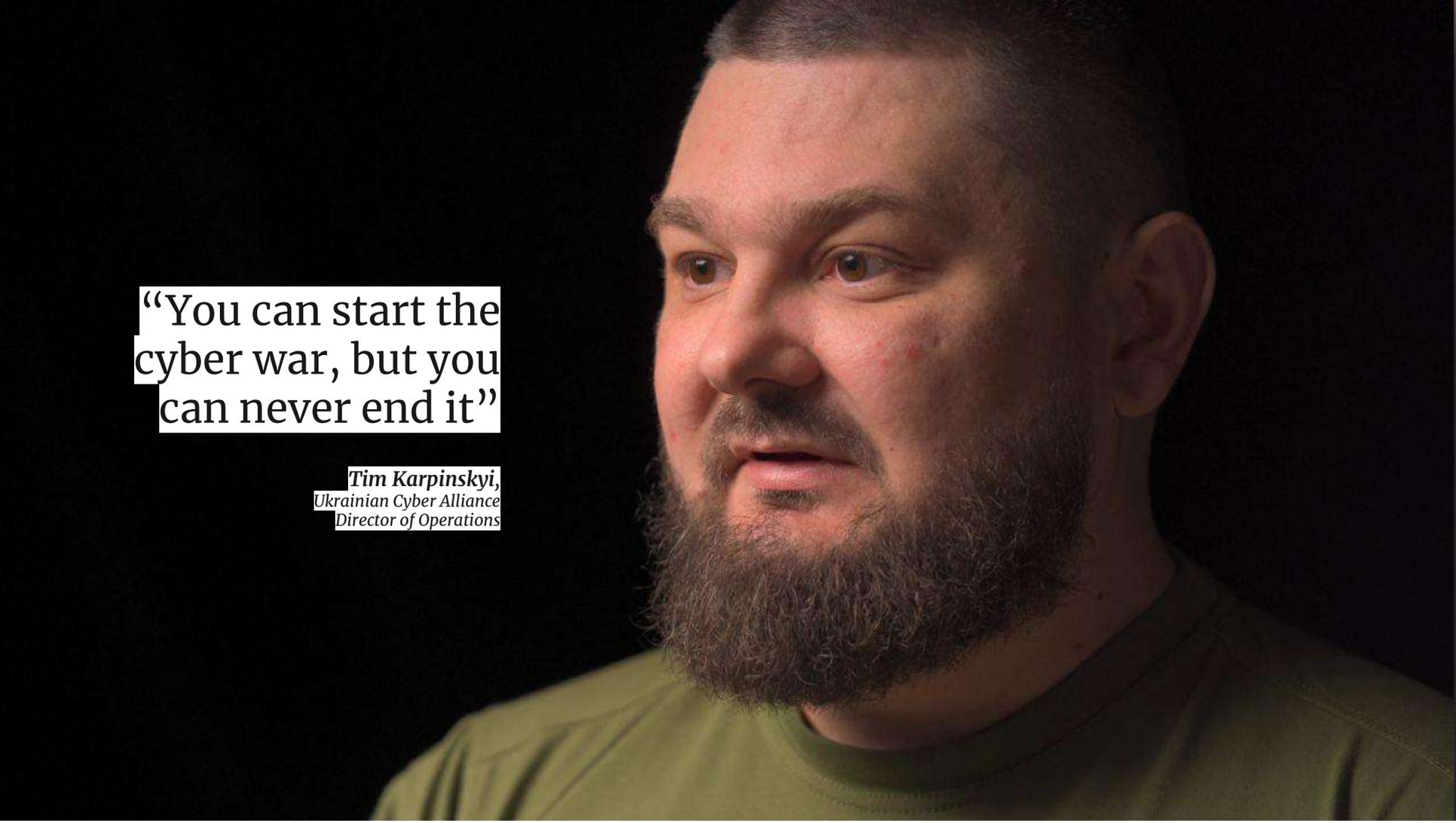
Kateryna Mizina



Max Serio, [IMDB](#)



Ladislav Svestka

A close-up portrait of a man with a full, dark beard and mustache, looking slightly to the left. He is wearing a dark green t-shirt. The background is dark and out of focus.

“You can start the
cyber war, but you
can never end it”

Tim Karpynski,
Ukrainian Cyber Alliance
Director of Operations



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