



## Colombian Bank Boosts Cyber Defenses with Stellar Cyber's Open XDR Platform

CoopCentral has been a Colombian cooperative bank for over 55 years, and now offers a wide range of financial products and services to its members, including savings accounts, current accounts, credit cards, loans, investments and BaaS. Naturally, the bank is committed to providing strong security for its customers. In recent years, however, there has been a significant increase in cyber threats against organizations of all kinds and sizes. To better protect its infrastructure from these threats, CoopCentral wanted to implement a new, more effective cybersecurity solution.





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## Finding A Solution

"We were looking for SOC services that could provide us with complete visibility into our systems and networks, as well as the ability to quickly detect and respond to cyber threats," said Ronny Ramirez, VP of Technology and Digital Banking at CoopCentral. During its search, the IT team came through the Cyber Security Operations Center of GAMMA Ingenieros, which is based on the Stellar Cyber Open XDR (Open Extended Detection and Response) platform. Gamma Ingenieros has offered solutions and services in Cybersecurity, Cyber-Defense and Private Cloud since 1983, and recommended Stellar Cyber's Open XDR Platform for SecOps.

There were several key reasons why the bank selected Gamma Ingenieros CSOC with Stellar Cyber's technology:

- It provides complete visibility into all systems and networks. It integrates easily with the bank's existing security tools and correlates data from those tools with data from its own sensors to deliver a total picture from across the bank's entire infrastructure.
- It quickly detects and responds to cyber threats, allowing the bank to mitigate the impact of attacks by stopping them more quickly. It also provides the team's security analysts with a contextual, prioritized list of identified threats, along with suggestions about how to address them.

- The platform is very easy to use and manage. The bank and Gamma Ingenieros had it up and running within hours, and the security team was trained on it within a day. The platform's award-winning dashboard makes it easy to identify threats and see where they originate.
- It reduced the bank's overall cybersecurity costs because the platform automates many manual security tasks in many cases, it responds autonomously to low-level threats so the team can focus on stopping the more complex ones. It also provides key NG-SIEM, NDR, UEBA and TIP functions built-in and under one license.

## The Future

With the Stellar Cyber platform and Gamma Ingenieros, CoopCentral found an easy and cost-effective way to take full control of its cybersecurity environment. "Going forward, we will use the Stellar Cyber technology to continually improve our cybersecurity," said Ramirez. "We are committed to protecting our customers and will continue to invest in security technology and processes to make sure we can do that effectively."

"We are very pleased with the decision to improve our response capabilities by implementing IA for Security Operations with Stellar Cyber and Gamma Ingenieros to protect our customers, which is a fundamental part of our business mission here at CoopCentral." said Ramirez.

Stellar Cyber Open XDR platform delivers comprehensive, unified security without complexity, empowering lean security teams of any skill to successfully secure their environments. With Stellar Cyber, organizations reduce risk with early and precise identification and remediation of threats while slashing costs, retaining investments in existing tools, and improving analyst productivity, delivering an 8X improvement in MTTD and a 20X improvement in MTTR. The company is based in Silicon Valley. For more information, visit https://stellarcyber.ai.

