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REPORT on INDUSTRY TALK 2

SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT OF CREDENCE (TMSUBSIDIARY)

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Description of The System Development

The TM Credence system development process begins with data collection from sources like databases, news, and social media (e.g. Twitter). This is followed by data analysis and transformation to a decision-friendly format. Analytics and modeling enhance data accuracy for predictions. Visualization, through charts, simplifies complex data. The insights gained, strategic, tactical, and operational, are valuable for TM Credence's system development.

History

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- In 2022, TM launched Credence, a subsidiary focusing on cloud services to enhance digital transformation for enterprises and the public sector.
- Credence is a service-based company with experts dedicated to computing tasks, solely focusing on the growth of cloud and digital services analytics.
 - Credence will provide capabilities from tech infrastructure to business insights, cloud advisory, IT landscape migration, software as a service, managed services, as well as analytics and insights.

[Reference: https://tm.com.my/index.php/news/tm-launch-credence]

Technology and Tools Used in Credence's System Development

Credence basically used –
[Hadoop/MapReduce, NoSQL, PostgreSQL for data management,
Apache Spark's Mllib for machine learning prototyping]

Database/OLAP

- PostgreSQL (database management system (RDBMS))
- ClickHouse (Online Analytical Processing(OLAP))
- Druid (Real-time analytics for large datasets

Visualization Tools

- Tableau (Data visualization tool)
- PowerBI (Business Analytics Tool)
- Metabase (Tool to explore, create dashboards and ask ad-hoc questions to make sense of data)
- Superset (Data Exploration and Visualization Platform)

ETL/ELT

- Airflow (Author, Schedule, and monitor workflows for complex ETL tasks)
- Spark (Data processing engine for big data processing and analytics)

Programming Language

- SQL (Managing and querying relational databases)
- Python (Data analysis, machine learning, scripting and general-purpose programming)
- Bash Syntax (Automating tasks, managing files and executing commands)

The platform was well-equipped to provide valuable insights into the DIA.

Reflection from each member

Nur Syakirah Adilah

To thrive as a system developer over the next four years, I need to establish a solid understanding of cybersecurity principles, leveraging my current status as a bachelor's student specializing in network and security. This mainly includes encryption, secure coding, and how to identify and mitigate security vulnerabilities in addition to fine-tuning my technical skills, problem-solving abilities, and flexibility to adapt to new technologies. This acknowledgment stems from the dynamic nature of the technology field, where rapid developments necessitate continuous growth and learning.

Lim En Dhong

Over the next four years, I am dedicated to excelling as a system developer through active class engagement, securing internships for practical experience, participating in community events, staying current with industry trends, obtaining pertinent certifications, and seeking mentorship. This holistic strategy ensures a well-rounded and comprehensive journey in system development, enhancing both theoretical knowledge and practical skills. By immersing myself in diverse aspects of the field, I aim to build a strong foundation, stay competitive, and foster continuous growth in this dynamic and evolving industry.

Ain Najiha

In order to become a system developer within the next four years, I need to enhance my skills in developing systems such as programming languages and data structures. In addition, I also have to contribute more in classes and gain more practical experience from events, workshops or hands-on projects to seek more opportunities to be a better developer. Moreover, I need to be alert and stay updated about technologies and tools in system development so I can adapt throughout my career. Lastly, I need to improve my soft skills like communication skills and critical thinking skills as it is a crucial element to become a great system developer.

Fam Qai Zen

I want to become a skilled cybersecurity-focused system developer over the course of the next four years. I'll improve my knowledge of creating reliable and secure systems, putting cutting-edge encryption techniques into practice and carrying out exhaustive vulnerability analyses. I hope to greatly contribute to the creation of robust and dependable systems by keeping up with new threats and implementing preventative security measures. My development will be greatly aided by involvement in cybersecurity communities, industry certifications and ongoing education. In the end, I want to be a key player in defending digital environments from ever changing cyberthreats

Tan Jian Ming

To become a system developer in the next four years, I will first focus on mastering fundamental computer science concepts such as programming language. Furthermore, participating in coding projects and practical assignments will allow me to gain hands-on experience. I will also adopt a mindset of continuous learning by remaining curious and exploring new technologies. In a nutshell, adapting these skills may help me a lot in becoming a successful system developer.

Mah Wilson

Through this industrial talk, I realised that in order to become a competent and capable cybersecurity-centric systems developer, I will need to plan thoroughly, be resolute and committed, maintain a proper mindset and uphold proper work ethics. The areas I will focus on improving are my technical skills, soft skills, continuous learning, building rapport and networking with my peers, mentors and industry leaders and last but not least, be optimistic and prepare for the future to come.

Yousif Salah

I want to be an elite developer of cybersecurity systems in the next four years. Motivated by the desire to create invulnerable fortresses of code, I will fine-tune my skills in developing robust and dependable systems. I'm excited about learning the latest encryption techniques, analyzing all weaknesses with an eagle eye and padding my skills at every opportunity to be ahead of shifting threats. By engaging in cybersecurity communities, obtaining industry certificates with all gunpowder and focusing on continuous learning of technical knowledge, I'll be able to become a strong defender of the cyber-space.