Araf Rahman

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Student Visa (500) at Wollongong, NSW

Education

Bachelor of Computer Science @ University of Wollongong   Expected July 2027

- 86.5 WAM.
- Recipient of Dean's Merit List.

Projects

Live SOC Monitoring (LetsDefend)   *Feb 2026 - Present*

- Monitored real life security alerts, performed triage and investigated incidents in a simulated SOC environment.

Web Attack Detection and Analysis (LetsDefend)   *Feb 2026*

- Detected and investigated web attacks including SQL injection, command injection, XSS, brute force, broken access control, SSRF, directory traversal, etc. using HTTP requests, access logs, SIEM alerts.

Flight booking and management web app   *Nov 2025*

- Used Python, Flask, SQLAlchemy, SQL, Git, HTML, CSS to develop a web app with flight creation, search, booking and secure authentication functionality.

Certifications

- CompTIA Security+, CompTIA Network+
- Microsoft Certified: Azure Security Engineer Associate (AZ-500)
- Microsoft Certified: Identity and Access Administrator Associate (SC-300)
- Microsoft Certified: Azure Administrator Associate (AZ-104)
- Microsoft Certified: Security, Compliance, and Identity Fundamentals (SC-900)

Work Experience

Freelance Ecommerce Operator   *Jan 2021 - Dec 2024*

- Collaborated with 4 team members to provide Ecommerce services to 30+ clients.

- Explained business decisions and Shopify, Meta ad analytics to non-technical clients.

Freelance Web Designer   *Jan 2018 - Dec 2020*

- Delivered over 10 websites using HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, JS and Wordpress.
- Maintained high rating by taking direction from clients and revising websites based on feedback and critique.