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## Summary

Motivated junior cybersecurity analyst with a solid foundation in cloud computing and demonstrated expertise in network security, threat detection, and incident response. Skilled in cloud security principles and proficient with tools such as Splunk and Wireshark, as well as AWS Cloud services. Certified as an AWS Cloud Practitioner and in Cisco's Introduction to Cybersecurity and Networking, I am dedicated to continuous learning and applying my problem-solving abilities to strengthen organizational security against evolving cyber threats in both on-premises and cloud-native environments.

Currently expanding expertise through self-paced IBM, Cisco and Google SOAR cybersecurity programs, with a strong drive to apply knowledge in practical environments.

## Experience

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Cyber Security Intern

Remote

MasterCard

2024 - 2024

- Executed a remote Mastercard Cybersecurity internship on Forage, gaining hands-on expertise in threat detection, risk assessment, and network security, while developing analytical problem-solving skills and a heightened awareness of common vulnerabilities.
  - Developed skills in identifying vulnerabilities, analyzing security incidents, and implementing preventive measures, demonstrating a commitment to advancing cybersecurity expertise in practical environments.
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Cyber Security Intern

Remote

Commonwealth Bank

2025-2025

- Executed a remote Commonwealth Bank Cybersecurity internship on Forage, gaining hands-on expertise in Data Analysis, Incident Response, Security Awareness and Penetration Testing.

- Developed skills in analyzing security incidents on splunk, and sharpening my data analysis and report writing, demonstrating eagerness to learning in Cybersecurity.

## Skills

- **Hard Skills:** Linux, OWASP, TCP/IP, Nmap, Wireshark, Burp Suite, Networking, Analytical, Python
  - **Soft Skills:** Self-motivated, Problem-solving, Analytical-mindset, Independent learner
  - **Language:** English, Kiswahili, Spanish (Basic)

## Education

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science  
Dedan Kimathi University of Technology

2024-ongoing

## Certifications

## IBM Cybersecurity Fundamentals

AWS Cloud Practitioner

Google SOAR (Security Orchestration, Automation, and Response) Development – Ongoing (Self-paced)

Cisco Junior Cyber Security Analyst – Ongoing (Self-Paced)

Cisco Python Certification

## References

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