Yash Patil

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Location: Ulhasnagar, Maharashtra, India

EDUCATION

University of Mumbai

B.E. in **Information Technology** with Honours in Cyber Security CGPA (till sem 6): 9.09; IETE Student Forum Best Member '24-'25

K. C. College, Thane Nov 2022 – June 2026

EXPERIENCE

Cyber Security Research Intern: Android Internals & Reverse Engineering

Feb 2025 - Present

Center of Excellence (CoE) in Complex and NonLinear Dynamic Systems (CNDS) - VJTI

- Worked with the researcher team to enhance internal tooling for reverse engineering and analysis of the baseband processor on Android
- Recreated CVE-2021-25479 and CVE-2021-25478 using the open-source FirmWire framework in an emulated environment, following documented workflows involving fuzzing, system emulation, and static analysis with Ghidra and IDA
- Developed a local cellular network test network using **SDR** and open-source stacks like srsRAN, OpenLTE, OpenBTS, YatesBTS, and OpenAirInterface
- Built APK static analysis scripts to automate reverse engineering workflows using JadX and Ghidra
- Researched the fundamentals of Android's Binder IPC mechanism and its associated vulnerabilities

PROJECTS

AirQualitySensor

ESP32 (C/C++), React (TS), Firebase, aWOT, ArduinoJson

Source Code

- Developed firmware with **ESP-IDF RTOS** in modular **C/C++**, implementing **watchdog handling**, **multicore task scheduling**, and task pinning with **aWOT** and **ArduinoJson** for REST APIs.
- Built a React + TypeScript SPA with Router and Firebase Realtime DB integration for real-time visualization.
- Enabled dual connectivity (LAN + Cloud) by syncing ESP and frontend with Firebase alongside local APIs.

Datadash

Java, Python, C/C++, cryptography, GitHub CI/CD

Source Code

- Built a secure file transfer system with AES-256 encryption across Android, Linux, Windows, and Python.
- Implemented socket-level programming for direct file transfer with crash recovery and preference management.
- Created a GitHub CI/CD pipeline to automate compilation of Linux binaries and Windows executables; also contributed to the landing page backend.

Other Projects:

- OpenMedia Flask, SQLAlchemy, Bootstrap; microblogging platform with media uploads and privacy features.
- <u>Digital Encrypted Diary</u> GnuPG + Python/Bash; CLI diary with Git-based sync and year-wise encrypted files.
- <u>ReadNexus</u> Py/Flask + SBERT + Pandas + Bootstrap; full-stack book recommender with semantic search, collaborative filtering, and popularity-based suggestions.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages : Python, JavaScript/TypeScript, Java, C/C++, Bash

Frameworks : Django, Flask, React, Node.js, Express, SQLAlchemy, Mongoose, Bootstrap, REST APIs, JWT

Tools : Git, Docker, Azure, Postman, CLI, CI/CD, Swagger/OpenAPI, GNU/Linux utilities

CERTIFICATIONS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- 1st Debugging (Technotia, Kamaladevi) & Codesprint Codathon (GDSC, KC@2023); Dept. Topper (IT, 2023-24)
- 2nd Reverse Coding (Technotia); 2nd T915 Android Internals CTF (VJTI); 3rd SIH Internal Hackathon (K.C. College)
- Virtual Internships via Eduskills: CyberSecurity, Android Developer, Data Science Master, Computer Networks