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### **Skills Summary**

Application Security
Web Security

Buffer overflow, Format-string exploits, Return-oriented programming, Reverse engineering SQL injection, Cross-site scripting, Template injection, Local file inclusion, Prototype pollution

Systems development

Rust, x86 Assembly, C / C++, Java

Web development

NodeJS, REST APIs, NGINX, Google Firebase

System administration Linux, Docker, SQL

# Work Experience

2020/04 - Present

#### Freelance Software Development

Wrote detailed technical documentation using LaTeX.

### Technical Extracurriculars

2019/09 - Present

### **CTF Competitions**

https://blog.jasonn.dev/ctf

- Reverse engineered binaries without symbols using Ghidra and Radare2.
- Performed dynamic analysis and debugged exploits using GDB.
- Identified vulnerabilities in binary applications and web services.
- Defeated common exploit mitigations such as position independent executables, address-space layout randomization, stack canaries, and relocation read-only.
- Created writeups to explain vulnerabilities and exploit techniques used in each challenge.

2017/09 - 2020/02

#### **Vex Robotics Club**

Sir Winston Churchill High School, Calgary, AB

- Wrote firmware in C++ which used the Vex API to receive instructions from a controller.
- Used feedback from sensor data to guide autonomous routines and aid user control.
- Created a user interface for the controller display screen to configure the robot at runtime.
- Our team won a programming award and we were invited to compete in the international event.

# **Hackathon Projects**

2022/01 Language Exchange

https://github.com/Green-Avocado/Language-Exchange

• DESCRIPTION.

2021/11 Speak-able

https://devpost.com/software/speak-able-inclusive-unconferencing

• DESCRIPTION.

2020/08 Study Tinder

https://devpost.com/software/study-tinder

• DESCRIPTION.

2020/08 BikePath

https://devpost.com/software/bikepath-dkpstx

 Developed a service to help users find alternative locations that would permit eco-friendly alternatives to driving, such as walking or biking. 2020/08

#### COVID Wait

https://devpost.com/software/covid-wait

 Created a website to help users avoid highly populated areas and reduce the risk of exposure to COVID-19.

# Cybersecurity Projects

2021/03 - Present

pwndocker

https://github.com/Green-Avocado/pwndocker

• The program is frequently used by myself in CTF competitions to create an environment for testing and debugging exploits.

2022/02

**BBY Stealer Malware Analysis** 

https://github.com/Green-Avocado/bbystealer-malware-analysis

• Helped affected victims with incident response.

2021/10 - 2022/01

**UBC MapleCTF** 

https://github.com/ubcctf/maple-ctf-ubc-2022

- Wrote challenges in C with intentional vulnerabilities to progressively introduce and test binary exploitation techniques.
- Used Docker to containerize challenges.

2021/09 - 2021/12

**EasyROP** 

https://github.com/Green-Avocado/EasyROP

• Wrote a program in Java to automate writing scripts for binary exploitation.

# **Personal Projects**

2020/12 - Present

website

https://github.com/Green-Avocado/website

- Used NodeJS with Express to serve web pages which are generated using a templating engine.
- Set up a reverse proxy using NGINX which secures connections using TLS and forwards requests to internal services.
- Used Docker to containerize internal services, allowing each service to be modified and restarted independently.
- Test website and scan for vulnerabilities using continuous integration.

2021/11 - 2022/01

atom-ide-rust

https://github.com/rust-lang/atom-ide-rust

- Contributed to an open source plugin for integrating rust-analyzer into the Atom text editor.
- Used NodeJS to read config files, parse JSON data, and interface with a language server.
- Wrote documentation using markdown to explain the usage of the plugin with examples.
- The plugin has been downloaded over 164 000 times.

2021/12

discord-balance-tracker

https://github.com/Green-Avocado/discord-balance-tracker

- Wrote a Rust application to track balances of users.
- Used asynchronous programming to interact with the Discord API.

2021/03

Etwahl

https://github.com/Green-Avocado/Etwahl

• Wrote a program in C++ to receive inputs from an electronic piano and send keyboard inputs.

### **Awards**

2022/01

CyberSci Vancouver Regionals - First Place

2020/03

Vex EDR Alberta Provincial Tournament - Think Award

2019/04

U of Calgary Science Engineering and Technology Challenge - First Place

Education

2020/09 - 2024/04

Bachelor of Science, Major in Computer Science

University of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC