Amir Hamza

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Education

Iowa State University Bachelor of Science Computer Engineering

Graduation

May 2021

CGPA: 2.70

Spring'20: 3.56 Summer'20: 4.00

Certification

CompTIA Security+
(in progress)

Skills

Security Tools

Burp Suite, OWASP ZAP, Metasploit, NMAP, and Netcat

Languages

Java, JavaScript, TypeScript, C, Kotlin, and C#

Libraries and Frameworks

Frontend: Bootstrap, React.js/Redux, Angular.js, and Android SDK Backend: Spring Boot, Node.js, and .NET

Databases

Microsoft SQL Server, MySQL, and MongoDB



Building company's internal financial tools in Angular.js and .NET

- Worked with penetration testers to develop a custom **Metasploit** reverse shell payload in **C#** that bypasses antivirus detection
- Carried out web penetration with **Burp Suite** to find web vulnerabilities
- Provided quality and assurance of the codebase and drafted best practices for company's internal tools in ASP.NET
- Contributed to DevSecOps initiatives through the building and integration of unit tests into build pipelines

- Collaborated with UX Engineers to restructure the Android app layout by remove dependency on third party features
- Built REST APIs in Spring Boot and wrote unit tests to add new features
- Rewrote legacy frontend code from Java to Kotlin

IT Security Analyst - Iowa State University

▼ Ames, IA

August'19 - May'20

- Carried out web penetration for 300+ websites with Burp Suite
- Drafted reports to list findings, mitigation, and best practices
- Worked with developers to ensure vulnerabilities were addressed

Projects

- Senior Design Project Warehouse Drone: Developing a quadcopter to track inventory in a warehouse
- Independent Study IoT Price Tag: Worked under Professor Akhilesh Tyagi to develop a low powered IoT price-tag controlled wireless by a **MERN** stack web app for industry use
- CS309 Final Project Anonymous Discussion Post: An Android and Spring Boot application intended for students to discuss controversial topics anonymously. Awarded the best backend developer in the class

Leadership

- President Cardinal Space Mining Club: Built a mining robot and lead my team to NASA's Robotics Mining Competition 2019 and stood 4th out of 46 college teams
- President IEEE Student Branch: Arranged company recruiting seminars in Electrical and Computer Engineering department for 400+ club members. Consulted the department chair on strengthening the undergraduate program