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## Cyber Security Consultant

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### Profile

I am a dedicated Information Security professional with over 6+ years of hands-on experience in Vulnerability Assessment and Penetration Testing (VAPT), including source code review, web/API/mobile application security testing, network security, and Active Directory assessments.

I hold a Bachelor's degree in Information Technology from the Open University of Sudan and currently work as a Cyber Security Consultant.

In addition to my consultancy work, I provide security training to institutions and universities in Sudan. I also actively participate in bug bounty programs on the HackerOne platform on a part-time basis and am an avid CTF competitor, having competed in prestigious events such as Black Hat Middle East and Africa.

I am passionate about continuous learning, embracing new challenges, and building meaningful professional connections in the field of cybersecurity.

### Education

**Bachelor degree in Information Technology**

2015 – 2020

Open University of Sudan

### Professional Experience

#### **Cyber Security Consultant**

Since August 2024

**New Solutions / Riyadh, Saudi Arabia**

**Basic Job:** perform the various penetration testing services — web, API, mobile (iOS and Android), Network, and Active Directory penetration testing, and writing detailed reports.

#### **Security Consultant**

from September 2023 to July 2024

**OISSG Consultancy / Doha, Qatar**

**Basic Job:** Core responsibilities include performing various penetration testing services — including web, API, mobile, network, and Active Directory penetration testing, as well as internal and external penetration testing, source code reviews, and writing detailed reports.

- White box, Black box, and Gray Box

#### **Senior Cyber Security**

from January 2023 to October 2023

**Kilotech Security / Jeddah, Saudi Arabia**

**Basic Job:** perform the various penetration testing services(web, API, mobile, and Active directory Penetration Testing), source code reviews, write reports, as well as manage and write website content.

- Conducted vulnerability assessments for various web and mobile applications, networks, firewall configurations, and Active Directory. Reported identified vulnerabilities and worked to mitigate them.

### Penetration Tester

from March 2020 to March 2021

#### National Information Center / Khartoum, Sudan

**Basic Job:** penetration testing across various domains — web applications, APIs, mobile applications, networks, and Active Directory.

Additional responsibilities include internal and external penetration testing, operating system and server hardening, and producing detailed technical reports.

I have discovered and reported vulnerabilities across multiple websites, applications, and networks. Expertise also includes server and OS hardening (Linux & Windows).

### Cyber Security Trainer

from June 2020 to July 2021

#### Afro-Tech Training Center / Khartoum, Sudan

**Basic Job:** I taught some people in different institutes about foundational and advanced training in key areas of cybersecurity, including Cybersecurity Fundamentals, Web Application Security, and Penetration Testing.

I taught some people about Capture The Flag (CTF) challenges to enhance their practical skills in real-world scenarios.

Also, I taught some people a Bug Bounty course, focusing on identifying and reporting security vulnerabilities in live environments.

## Skills

- Hacker mindset.
- Windows and Linux Privilege Escalation.
- Attacking and Defending Active Directory.
- Writer on Medium (vulnerabilities and everything related to offensive security)
- Problem Solving Applying problem-solving skills to address and resolve cybersecurity issues encountered during penetration testing and bug bounty projects.
- Digital Forensics (memory analysis using volatility, windows forensic, linux forensic, hash cracking, Wireshark, steganography)
- Programming Languages by PHP, Python, C++, Java
- Communication, Strong communication and data presentation skills
- Adaptability, Swiftly adjusts to changing settings and obstacles to suit the needs of the task at hand
- Web, Mobile, API Penetration Testing.
- Scripting Languages (Bash, Python).
- Good knowledge about OWASP TOP 10 Vulnerabilities and exploit it.
- Windows and Linux Server's Administration
- Source Code Review (Manual, Tools)
- CTF Player (Web Security, Digital Forensics, Binary Exploitation, Malware Analysis)
- Source Code Review (PHP, Java, Python, Node.js)
- Problem-Solving, Methodically uses logic and analysis to come to a solution
- Relationship Building, Works to build and maintain relationships in order to help achieve work-related goals

## Certificates

**OffSec Web Expert (OSWE)**

**API Penetration Testing** [↗](#)

**Web Application Penetration  
Testing extreme (eWPTx)** [↗](#)

**HTB (Dante, Zephyr, Rastalabs,  
Offshore, Cybernetics)**

**eLearnSecurity Mobile  
Application Penetration Tester  
(eMAPT)** [↗](#)

**CRTO (Certified Red Team  
Operator)**  
In progress

## Training & Courses

### ● OSEP, Offensive Security

I completed the PEN-300 (**Evasion Techniques and Breaching Defenses**) training, advancing my skills in advanced penetration testing, evasive techniques, and bypassing enterprise security mechanisms. This hands-on course deepened my ability to perform stealthy attacks and assess hardened environments effectively.

### ● OSCP, Offensive Security

I completed PEN-200 (**PWK**) training, enhancing expertise in ethical hacking and penetration testing through hands-on experience. This practical approach greatly sharpened my mindset for tackling complex cybersecurity challenges.

### ● CRTP, Pentester Academy

I completed the **Certified Red Team Professional** training, by Pentester Academy, which deepened my expertise in ethical hacking and Active Directory exploitation in Windows environments through immersive, hands-on labs. This practical experience enhanced my ability to execute real-world attacks, including enumeration, privilege escalation, and lateral movement within Windows infrastructures.

## The courses I had given

### • Cyber Security Fundamentals

*Afro-Tech Training Center*

### • Web Applications Security

*Afro-Tech Training Center*

### • Capture The Flag Challenge

*Afro-Tech Training Center*

### • Bug Bounty Course

*Afro-Tech Training Center*

### • Cyber Security Workshop

*National Ribat University*

## Languages

• Arabic (native)

• English

## Honors & Awards

### **63th Place in BlackHatMea 2022 CTF Competition - BlackHat | Nov 2022**

Competed against 250 teams from over 35 countries, our team achieved a remarkable 57th place ranking in the prestigious worldwide competition held in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia.

### **Second Place in Sudan National Cybersecurity Competition 2021.**

Achieved 2nd place in Sudan National Cybersecurity Competition Organized by Trend Micro and cybertalents.

### **Third Place in Sudan National Cybersecurity Competition 2020.**

Achieved 3rd place in Sudan National Cybersecurity Competition Organized by Trend Micro and cybertalents.

## Publications

### ● **Preparation for the OSWE/AWAE exam**

10/04/2024

Three Python scripts targeting three vulnerabilities - deserialization, file upload, and SSTI - Designed to aid in preparation for the OSWE certification.

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