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Experienced Cybersecurity Professional with hands-on expertise in firewall administration, cloud computing, IT support, cloud system administration, and network security. A visionary cybersecurity researcher with a strong passion for securing digital ecosystems and driving innovative solutions to emerging threats.

Work History

Jul 2023 - Dec 2024

Associate Security Research @Vairav Technology Security Pvt. Ltd., Nepal

- Cloud & Product Evaluation: Deployed and managed multi-cloud test environments
 across AWS, GCP, and Azure to evaluate and benchmark over 20 different
 cybersecurity products, including firewalls, WAFs, and SASE solutions.
- Advanced Security Testing: Executed comprehensive security tests and threat simulations, including OWASP Top 10 attacks, malware, and DDoS, to assess vendor product effectiveness and identify critical security gaps.
- **Data Analysis & Reporting**: Conducted in-depth analysis and ranking of security products based on empirical data, providing evidence-based reports that **guided client security infrastructure decisions**.
- Automation & Process Improvement: Collaborated with cross-functional teams to automate testing workflows, reducing manual testing efforts by over 50% and improving result consistency.
- **Vendor & Client Relations**: Communicated directly with clients and vendors to address security needs and present technical findings.
- Infrastructure as Code: Architectured and deployed cloud infrastructure manually and using Terraform.
- **Training & Development**: Trained and mentored new trainees and interns on operational procedures and cybersecurity best practices.

May 2023 – Jun 2023

Security Research (Trainee) @Vairav Technology Security Pvt. Ltd., Nepal

- Threat Analysis: Performed threat intelligence for adware and phishing URLs. Gained hands-on experience in analyzing browser exploits, XSS, and DDoS attacks.
- **Security Testing**: Assisted with testing and evaluating firewall solutions from various vendors, documenting findings in detailed reports.

Feb 2023 - Apr 2023

Security Research (Internship) @Vairav Technology Security Pvt. Ltd., Nepal

- **Operational Support**: Conducted tests and documented overall cybersecurity operations, providing key insights and filling scorecards.
- **Vulnerability Assessment**: Focused on browser-based vulnerabilities, assisting in running tests to identify and report on issues.

Education

Jan/2025 – Present

Master of Science in Cybersecurity

@ University of Wolverhampton, Wolverhampton, UK

Expected to graduate on March, 2026

2021 - 2023

Bachelor's Degree in Information Technology

@ University of Wolverhampton, Wolverhampton, UK

English : **B2** Others : **Hindi** Mother Tongue : **Nepali**

Projects

Phishing URI Downloader

Automated Phishing URL Downloader

Python script to **automate phishing URL collection** from threat feeds. Demonstrates skills in **data retrieval and scripting** for

cybersecurity intelligence.

The Most Powerful £33 Laptop I've Ever Built: A Retro Tech Story

Transformed a vintage ThinkPad X200s into a powerful daily driver with a £33 budget. The project involved upgrading to a SSD and 8GB of RAM, repasting the CPU, and migrating to a lightweight Arch-based Linux distribution. This hands-on project demonstrates skills in hardware upgrades, system optimization, and Linux administration.

Find more projects in my GitHub profile @ Mystifiedsus and Medium @susankhakman

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