

# Aditya Dindi

Cyber Security Professional

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## Personal Profile

An aspiring Information Technology professional with an interest in Cybersecurity interning at MITRE as a Defensive Cyber Operations Intern and a Security Researcher at Hackers Arcade with the goal of obtaining the Offensive Security Certified Professional (OSCP) and CompTIA Security+ Certifications.

## Education

**University of Texas at San Antonio, TX (August 2021 to current) (Expected Graduation: 2025 as Honors Scholar)**

*Bachelor of Business Administration in Cyber Security and Information Systems (Double Major)*

Competitions:

*Collegiate Cyber Defense Competition (CCDC) 2022: 3rd Place in Southwest Regionals*

*National Centers in Academic Excellence Cyber Games (NCAE) 2022: 3rd Place in Regionals*

Relevant Coursework:

*Unlocking Cyber: Cyber Security case studies, hands-on labs, industry tools of the trade.*

*Programming Languages 1 with Scripting: Python Programming: Functions, IPO, Loops, OOPs, Recursion*

## Experience

**Security Researcher, Hackers Arcade (March 2021 to current) | [hackersarcade.com](https://hackersarcade.com)**

Hackers Arcade is an online platform where you can learn about cyber security through excellent learning resources and challenges. It also involves security research and working on different projects that helps advance the cyber security community. Hackers Arcade contributed and is consistently contributing to the cybersecurity community by constantly teaching and uploading cybersecurity related content.

**Deputy Secretary, CompTIA Student Chapter, University of Texas at San Antonio (January 2022 to current)**

Serving as the Deputy Secretary at UTSA's CompTIA Student Chapter club, the most outstanding new student organization in 2021 at UTSA. Responsibilities include keeping track of club records which includes meetings, events, contact information and ensuring this information is accessible. Assist President and VP in tasks they may need additional hands with.

## Technical Skills

**Cybersecurity Tools:** Kali Linux • Nmap • BurpSuite • Wireshark • Hydra • JohnTheRipper • Metasploit • Nessus Vulnerability Scanner |

*Security Writeups using these tools: [writeups.adityadindi.me](https://writeups.adityadindi.me)*

**Programming/Scripting Languages:** Java, Python, Bash, C

**Web Development:** HTML/CSS, Javascript, Git/GitHub | *Github Page: [Pyrus369](https://pyrus369.github.io)*

**Databases:** MySQL, SQL, MariaDB

## Certifications

Microsoft Technology Associate: Security Fundamentals

Cisco Information Technologies Essentials

Junior Penetration Tester - TryHackMe

## Activities and Interests

**Online Hacking Platforms:** TryHackMe Rank: Top 500, Hackthebox, Offensive Security Proving Grounds, PortSwigger Web Academy.

**Daily Hacking Challenge:** Learning something new about Information Security Every Day | [Daily Hacking Challenge 2022](https://dailyhackingchallenge.com)

**Conferences:** Texas Cyber Summit 2021, Alamo AFCEA Emerging Leaders: Mentor Protégé Night

**Capture the flag competitions:** PicoCTF, National Cyber League, UTCTF, NahamCon CTF, RitsecCTF, DeadFaceCTF, KnightCTF, iCTF

**Cyber Range:** UTSA Cyber Range: *SOC Analyst Team Training: Firewall, SIEM and SIM Monitoring*

**Clubs:** Table Tennis, Chess, Computer Science, CompTIA Student Chapter, Computer Security Association.

## Achievements

- Distinguished Presidential Scholarship (Awarded to students who display exceptional scholastic achievement in high school)
- Honors Student Scholarship (Awarded to students who are part of the Honors College)

## **Competitions**

### **Member, National Collegiate Cyber Defense Competition (CCDC), University of Texas at San Antonio (2022)**

Member of the University of Texas at San Antonio's CCDC team that qualified for Regionals 2022. CCDC is a competition for college students to demonstrate their technical and business skills by managing and protecting an existing simulated corporate network infrastructure. The team was responsible for responding to business tasks while a live Professional Red team attempted to break into the systems.

### **Captain, National Centers of Academic Excellence Cyber Games (NCAE), University of Texas at San Antonio (2022)**

Captain of the University of Texas at San Antonio's NCAE team. NCAE is a competition for college students where we learn about cyber competitions in an environment focused on teamwork, building confidence and growing our skills.

### **Member, National Security Agency National Cyber Exercise (NSA NCX), University of Texas at San Antonio (2022)**

Member of the University of Texas at San Antonio's Malware and Cyber Combat Exercise Teams. NCX is a year-round education, training and exercise program that culminates in a three-day cyber competition that challenges participating academy and military service college students in near full-spectrum cyber operations.

## **Professional Development**

- ❖ Learn Social Engineering From Scratch
- ❖ Practical Ethical Hacking - The Complete Course
- ❖ Learn Ethical Hacking From Scratch
- ❖ Website Hacking / Penetration Testing & Bug Bounty Hunting

## **Volunteer Work**

### **In-Person Student Volunteer, Texas Cyber Summit (August 2021 - October 2021)**

Tasks included registering Volunteers and Speakers, providing badges and t-shirts, and helping everyone navigate through the event.

### **Computer technician, Centennial High School (August 2019 to February 2020)**

Volunteered by fixing and setting up cables for all school computers on a daily basis. Helped keep computers in the school available with little to no downtime.

### **Stonemere Rehabilitation center (June 2019 - Aug 2019)**

Helped elderly people who were recovering from surgeries they had recently. Helped them get from place to place within the hospital, organized games and other fun events.