

## ABOUT ME

Highly efficient, self-driven, and independent Cybersecurity Engineer with a strong foundation in software engineering and cybersecurity. I'm building a successful career in the industry, specializing in *ethical hacking* and *Red Team operations*.

I thrive in multicultural, cross-functional teams, prioritizing results, **clear communication & collaboration**. With a curious and proactive approach, I actively engage within teams, continuously learn, and share knowledge to drive innovation and exceed expectations, when possible.

## EDUCATION

- Hybridge | 2024 - 2026

*Bachelor's in Software Engineering*

## CERTIFICATIONS



- HTB | CBBH  
**Certified Bug Bounty Hunter**  
*In progress - Expected for 03/26*

## SKILLS

### Technical

- Linux
- Windows
- Python
- Bash
- Git
- Virtualization
- Containerization
- Vulnerability assessment
- Penetration testing
- Automated scanning
- Process Documentation
- Technical report generation
- Task automation
- AWS & Azure
- Configuration Management
- Red teaming

### Soft

- Coaching & Mentoring
- Great time management
- Self direct learning
- Team Collaboration
- Flexibility
- Critical thinking
- Problem solving
- Effective communication
- Proactivity
- Analytical
- Conflict resolution
- Discipline
- Curiosity
- Resilience
- Self Awareness
- Punctuality

## CONTACT

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# RAUL GARCIA LAGUNAS

## ETHICAL HACKER

OPEN TO RELOCATION

## EXPERIENCE

### AppSec Engineer

Deloitte Global, Nov 2023 - Current

- Conducted White Box Testing, thoroughly analyzing the lines of code, triaging issues, and reducing 90% of security issues.
- Conducted comprehensive DAST & SAST scans, identified and mitigated critical vulnerabilities, and enhanced the stakeholder's overall security posture by 80%.
- Debugged scanner issues, improved security tools efficiency, provided optimal solutions and solved 100% of incidents.
- Triaged and re-scored issue severity, prioritizing remediation efforts, and mitigating 90% of the issues.
- Maintained direct communication with stakeholders and development teams, reaching their expectations 100% of the time.
- Meticulously tested tools & scanners, ensuring thorough documentation and records for future reference.
- Integrated DevSecOps practices, optimizing security throughout the software development lifecycle.

### Cybersecurity Penetration Tester

IQSEC, Apr 2023 - Nov2023

- Executed black box & white box penetration tests, uncovering and addressing 80% of critical vulnerabilities present in the targets.
- Conducted comprehensive web, infrastructure, & mobile pentesting assessments, helping secure diverse environments.
- Automated scanning processes using tools like Acunetix, Nessus, Checkmarx, and Threat Simulator, providing additional value by sharing mitigation plans.
- Developed and led phishing campaigns, improving customer security awareness by 100%.
- Authored detailed technical & executive reports, clearly communicating findings and mitigation plans to customers.
- Developed custom exploits & payloads bypassing 70% of target security measures.
- Tested cloud environments and complex networks, uncovering high value assets

### SOC Monitor

Grupo Smartekh, Dec 2022 - Apr 2023

- Monitored IDS, IPS, SIEM, XSOAR, and Firewalls, promptly identifying and mitigating security incidents, helping reduce the MTTR BY 10%.
- Reviewed logs and identified vulnerabilities and threats, enhancing customer's security posture.
- Responded to incidents following NIST & MITRE ATT&CK frameworks, ensuring effective resolution 100% of the time.
- Performed L1 - L2 Firewall, SIEM, EDR & XSOAR troubleshooting, resolving complex technical issues, and documenting it.
- Utilized Zoho ticketing system for efficient incident tracking management and effective customer communication.

### Cloud Office Technician

Rackspace, Jan 2022 - Jul 2022

- Delivered exceptional customer service and technical support, addressing diverse client needs efficiently.
- Managed ticket responses and performed L1 - L2 troubleshooting, ensuring high customer satisfaction.
- Rebuilt email clients, configured DNS servers, and set up DMARC & SPF policies, ensuring secure email communication.
- Set up AWS & Azure environments, enhancing customer's cloud infrastructure.