SHARON CHEPTOO

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Education

CyberShujaa Program
Security Analyst
May 2025- To Date

Multimedia University
BSc in Software Engineering
Sep 2015-Dec 2020

Certifications

TryHackme SOC Level 1 path
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Junior Cybersecurity Analyst – Cisco Networking Academy
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Cyber Threat Management – Cisco Networking Academy
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Introduction to Cybersecurity – Cisco Networking Academy
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Key Skills

SIEM Tools
Vulnerability scanning
Cyber Threat Intelligence
Log Analysis & Event Correlation
Network Fundamentals

Profile

Organized and dependable candidate successful at safeguarding information, networks and computers, and minimize technical interruptions and unwanted intrusions with a positive attitude. I am proficient in cybersecurity and networking and I stay updated with the latest IT trends and cybercrimes. My primary goal is to be comfortable in handling more challenging tasks and have a successful career as a cybersecurity analyst.

Experience

CYBERSECURITY ANALYST (APPLIED PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE)
UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY – AFRICA – Nairobi County, Kenya
MAY 2025 – Present

- Performed Vulnerability Assessments to identify and report security weaknesses
- Gained hands-on experience with Active Directory for access control and user management
- Utilized Threat Intelligence Tools to analyze cyber threats and potential attack vectors, and conducted passive reconnaissance using open-source intelligence (OSINT) tools to gather information

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SPECIALIST(CONTRACT-BASED)
PRIVATE CLIENT | UPWORK PLATFORM |REMOTE
JAN 2021 – APR 2025

- Supported software development and documentation tasks based on assigned project requirements
- Produced high-quality technical content on cybersecurity and networking
- Prepared user guides, configuration guides for routers and switches, and developed standard operating procedures (SOPs)

IT SUPPORT INTERN
GOVERNMENT HOSPITAL -Kericho County, Kenya
MAY 2019 – AUG 2019

- Provided technical support and troubleshooting for staff, ensuring smooth operation of the network and computing infrastructure
- Implemented system backup and network security measures to ensure data protection and system reliability
- Implemented network and infrastructure-related projects.

Referees

Available upon request.