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Experience

Praetorian Security, Inc. | Security Engineer
 Present

July 2021 -

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- Perform solo and grouped (team of 2) security assessments for numerous clients
- Work across multiple technologies web applications, cloud infrastructure and micro-services
- Conduct interviews to understand and document details of client systems
- Recommend improvements for client systems to improve their security posture
- Georgia Institute of Technology | Graduate TA 2021

Jan 2020 - May

- Supervised course logistics for the course CS 6035/4235 Intro to InfoSec
- Prepared and graded examinations, assignments and weekly quizzes
- Held weekly QnA sessions for a class of 200+ students
- Google LLC | Security Engineer Intern 2020

May 2020 - Aug

- Improved Fuzzbench build system to utilize a single source of truth for building benchmark docker images
- Eliminate differences between standard and OSS-Fuzz benchmark integration
- o Integrated a coverage guided fuzzer, Manul into Google Fuzzbench project
- Written PoC fuzz targets for 2 open source projects
- Paramount Computer Systems | Security Intern 2019

Aug 2018 - Jan

 Implemented a Secure File Upload Web Server with account management built for clients to upload log files securely to a public facing server

Education and Bash Education and Automated Vulnerability Assessment (VA) Bot using Python and Bash

- Georgia destitute of Techorology of Nessus, Mass-scan, Nmap Aug 2019 May 2021 elivered sessions on Ransomware awareness to healthcare practitioners MS in Cybersecurity | CGPA 3.92 / 4.0
- BITS Pilani
 Aug 2015 Jun

2019

Core(Skil) Somputer Science | CGPA - 9.51 / 10.0

- Proficient in Python, bash and fundamentals of C, C++, java, and web (html/css/js/php)
- Experienced in using **BurpSuite** with knowledge of **OWASP Top 10**
- Experienced with tools such as Nmap, Nikto, Wireshark and Hydra
- Knowledgeable about GDB, Ghidra and binary exploitation techniques
- Experienced in Kali Linux with command over Linux systems
- Knowledgeable in Computer Networking, Docker and build systems like Make
- Past participant in a few Capture The Flag competitions







Projects

Analysis of Top 1 Million Domains

- March 2020
- Analyzed Majestic, Alexa and Tranco lists applied to 3 security metrics HTTP/2.0 adoption, IPv6 adoption and TLS adoption
- Crawled 1 million domain lists for 30 days and visualized popularity changes
- o Performed trend analysis for Top 100, 1000, 10000 forecasts
- SubDextract Sub domain enumeration

March 2020

- Implemented using Python, useful even in local-only network environments
- Incorporated fast and reliable queries such as CT logs, SAN, DNS, etc.
- Yields 10x speedup with decrement of 30% # subdomains compared to Sublist3r
- Cookie-Less secure Login

Jan 2019

- Constructed login page without cookies using php and js constructs
- Enforced security against SQLi, token/cookie based attacks and replay attacks
- EncCat Encrypted TCP socket Communication

May 2018

- Created a secure communications and large file sharing tool on python
- Emulated netcat with addition of a self-devised encryption scheme (salsa20 + rsa)
- Yields 2x speedup for file transfers against cryptcat (twofish)
- Secure Voting on Blockchain (Ethereum Platform)

Apr 2018

- Developed a secure voting system using node.js in a team of 2
- Secured against replay attacks, session hijacking, XSS and CSRF using helmet.js

Accomplishments

- Dubai Police CTF Competition Top 15 (Feb 2019)
- Hack in The Box (HiTB) Conference 2018, Dubai (Oct 2018)
 Secured Rank 1 (UAE) in CTF (Professional Tier) competition under team "PCR_RT"
- IEEE Xtreme 11.0 : Programming competition (Oct 2017)
 Secured Rank 1 (UAE), Rank 415 globally, under team "Optimise Prime"
- Research Proposal | Dubai Electronic Security Center (DESC)

 Proposed a network topology with self healing threat identification and correction.
- Developed prototype for a Healthcare activities Tracking System as part of team
 Medikate in NYU Abu Dhabi Hackathon 2019
- Participated in Global OSINT Search Party CTF by TraceLabs
- Solved numerous challenges from HackTheBox, VulnHub, Root-me and Pwnable

Extra-Curricular and Hobbies

- President, Founder and Workshop Instructor for ACM The Hacker's Exclusive (HEx), an SIG (special interest group) at BITS Pilani, Dubai Campus
- Managed student employment and placements as a Student Executive, Careers
 Division at BITS Pilani, Dubai Campus
- Tinkering with linux systems and security tools in my home lab
- Avid involvement (talks and CTF) in Security Conferences like BSides, HiTB
- Drumming, Photography, Digital Presence Design and Digital Concept Art



