VICTOR KABANGI MURIITHI

Cybersecurity Analyst

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Professional Summary

Cybersecurity Analyst with a solid academic foundation and hands-on experience in threat detection, incident response, and security operations. Proven ability to monitor and analyze alerts using SIEM tools, perform reconnaissance, and escalate incidents as needed. Adept at working in fast-paced environments with strong interpersonal and analytical skills. Currently awaiting graduation with a BSc in Computer Security and Forensics from Meru University and actively participating in the CyberShujaa program focused on practical SOC skills. Dedicated to maintaining secure, compliant systems and passionate about defending against emerging cyber threats.

Key Skills

- Monitored security events and alerts using SIEM tools like Splunk

- Analyzed network traffic and firewall logs to identify anomalies

- Executed reconnaissance tasks using Nmap, dig, and DNSDumpster

- Utilized tools like SSH and curl for remote diagnostics and manual HTTP requests

- Documented incidents, investigations and escalations in accordance with SOC procedures

- Committed to continuous learning and staying current with cybersecurity trends

- Assisted with vulnerability assessments using tools like Nessus and OpenVAS, prioritizing remediation based on risk level.

- Familiar with key cybersecurity frameworks including MITRE ATT&CK, NIST, and CIS Controls.

- Collaborated with IT teams to implement firewall rules, access control policies, and encryption protocols.

- Used Python scripts to automate log parsing, alert generation, and simple data analysis tasks.

- Familiarity with antivirus/EDR platforms and endpoint protection strategies

Professional Experience

IT Support Attachee
Konza Technopolis, Machakos County | June-August,2024

- Supported basic cybersecurity and IT monitoring tasks
- Analyzed system logs and contributed to early-stage incident detection
- Gained hands-on experience with real-world tools and security practices

Education
Security Analyst Trainee -CyberShujaa Program

May 12 To Date

Bachelor of Science in Computer Security and Forensics
Meru University of Science and Technology | September,2021 – October,2025

Njega Boys High School | 2016-2021

Certifications
• CompTIA Security+ (in progress)

• Digital Forensics Essential (EC-Council)

- Computer Networks(Huawei)

Technical Tools
SIEM & Monitoring: Splunk, Wireshark
Vulnerability Management: Nessus, OpenVAS
Recon Tools: Nmap, DNSDumpster, dig
Security Utilities: curl, SSH, Python
Frameworks & Standards: MITRE ATT&CK, NIST, CIS, GDPR (familiarity)

Additional Information
• Strong interpersonal skills and ability to explain technical issues clearly.

• Committed to continuous learning and staying current with cyber trends

References

Available upon request