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I am specialised in Network and Security, a problem solver, a young Saudi who graduated from the U.K, experienced in Aramco JV, a startup firm, built and managed IT department from scratch.

A summary:

I began in 2008 with a self-learning about cybersecurity subjects. In 2010, I joined College of Telecom & Information in Riyadh to obtain a Networking diploma degree, graduated with very good score, Won CCNA NetRiders world competition as a top talent. In 2012, I moved to the U.K, scored 6.5 in IELTS, got my bachelor's degree in Computer Network, received excellence letter from the Royal Embassy of Saudi Arabia in London. In 2015, I returned to Riyadh and kicks off as an IT field engineer.

In 2016, I joined a start-up-company, a JV with Aramco & Saudi Electricity, designed a complete IT Network Infrastructure, developed a website, managed cyber-security threats, built relationships with vendors, as well as handled the IT operation and maintenance with little experience and training. This was the most challenged time as a fresh graduate and indeed was followed by many responsibilities and achievements.

Employment Experience

Cybersecurity Specialist

The GCC Lab, a Joint Venture with (Aramco & Saudi Electricity)

Sep 2016 – Present in Dammam

Achievements and Responsibilities

- Achieved a saving of more than 4 Million SAR by negotiating vendor agreements.
- Designed fully IT Network Infrastructure with 99.98% availability, high performance, security, reliability, and cost saving of 2.633,385.00 SAR.
- Built relationship with solutions partners, Microsoft Azure, Cisco, Google Cloud, VMware.
- Ensured System Backup & Restore, Systems Integrations.
- Participated in implementing the ERP System.
- Planned, Managed database migration such as company e-mails migration.
- Participated in developing and implementing the IT Policy and Procedures.
- Established Business to Business (B2B) with Jarir, STC, Mobily, EzOrder.
- Asset Management and tracking.

Cybersecurity Management

- Conducted an IT Breach investigation, prepare reports to be presented to the CEO.
- Recommended security enhancements to executive management.
- Achieved zero cyber-attacks on the company website.
- Plan for a cyber security awareness training session.
- Monitor for security breach.

Digital Marketing

- Designed, Developed new website with more than 2 Million SAR of cost saving.
- Design, and Build Company Brands with Branding Management
- Planned and organized exhibitions events for the company within Saudi & GCC Countries.

Network Engineer

Saudi Services for Electro Mechanic Works co.

Feb 2016 - Aug 2016 (7 months) in Riyadh

- Planned, Designed, Installed & maintained of LAN Networks.
- Self-learned Website Development to design a new company website from scratch.

Network Technician (co-op)

King Abdulaziz City for Science and Technology

Feb 2013 - Apr 2013 (3 months) in Riyadh

- Worked as part of technician team to provide technical support.

Self-Learning

2008 -2010

- I learnt, demonstrated different subjects in cyber security such as Reverse Engineering, SQL Injection, Penetration Testing, Application Vulnerabilities and more.
- I made training courses for people to learn such as Buffer Overflow and Metasploit courses.
- I wrote and published vulnerabilities exploits relate to software and hardware on the Internet.

Education and Qualifications

Prince Mohammad Bin Salman College (MBSC)

Digital Transformation Program.

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- Managing data, Technology, People & Relations, participants hone their fundamental understanding of the business value of Digital Transformation and emerge with fresh insights into making better business decisions, addressing, and managing challenges through the power of analytics, and becoming agents of organizational change.

Harvard Business School Online

Certificate in Management Essentials

December 2019

- Management Essentials is an 8-week, 35-hour online certificate program from Harvard Business School. Management Essentials takes a distinctive, hands-on approach to management. Participants in this course learn to identify, understand, design, and shape critical organizational and managerial processes as a means of getting the work done.

University of Portsmouth, UK

Bachelor's Degree, Computer Networks

2013 – 2015

- Graduated with Honours Degree SECOND CLASS Honours (upper-division).
- Received Awards for Excellence from Saudi Cultural Bureau in London.

College of Telecommunication and Information at Riyadh

Diploma's Degree, Networking

2010 – 2012

- Graduated with Very Good with a G.P.A of 4.43 on 23/12/2011 G.
- Won in the EMEA 2011 international NetRiders competition as Top Talent.
- Completed CCNA course.

Licenses & Certifications

1. (CISSP) Certified Information Systems Security Professional in the UAE 2019.
2. Implementing Cisco Data Center Unified Computing, in the UK 2019.
3. Cisco IP Routing, in the UAE 2017.

Skills

- Critical thinking
- Problem Solving
- Writing communication