

# ELVIN DESOUZA

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## WORK EXPERIENCE

### COLLEGE POND-CONVERGE

Web Engineer

- Created and maintained web pages for the website built with WordPress
- Designed and implemented forms, parsed responses, and aggregated data
- Increased traffic by monitoring SEO and tweaking relevant parameters
- Optimized pages for load time, mobile viewing & accessibility, revamped CSS/frontend and other styling
- Worked on various front- and back-end projects, including Linux server troubleshooting and administration

Jul – Oct 2022

Mumbai, India



## EDUCATION

### HOCHSCHULE HOF UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES

International Exchange Student - Computer Science

Feb – Oct 2023

Hof, Germany



Expected May 2024

Pune, India

VISHWAKARMA UNIVERSITY ( CGPA: 8.74/10, GPA: 8.91/10 )

Bachelor of Technology ( BTech. ) in Computer Engineering, in association with IBM

Specialization in Information Security



RASIKLAL M. DHARIWAL JUNIOR COLLEGE ( HSC, FEB 2020 ) 79.85%

ST. VINCENT'S HIGH SCHOOL, PUNE ( SSC, MAR 2018 ) 89.80%



## CERTIFICATIONS & LICENSES

- CompTIA Security+
- CyberOps Associate
- AWS Academy Cloud Foundations
- LinkedIn Learning Certifications ( full list [here](#) )



## COMMUNITY & LEADERSHIP

### REVOLUTION SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT CLUB | Tech and Project Departments' Lead

Jun 2021 – Jan 2023

- Spread knowledge of industry-standard technology by organizing hackathons, workshops, projects and [webinars](#)
- Conducted research on bleeding edge tooling, and worked on projects involving the same
- Increased community outreach as a Content Strategist by writing in-depth technical pieces

## PROJECTS & OUTCOMES ( [My Website](#) )

### LOST IN TRANSLATION

Mar 2023 – Now

- Project under Prof. Dr. Florian Adamsky, Institute for Information Systems at Hochschule Hof - Exploiting Automatic Website Translations (through phishing websites) using Homoglyph Attacks

### CAN JOHNNY ENCRYPT EMAILS ON SMARTPHONES?

Mar 2023 – Now

- Research under Prof. Dr. Florian Adamsky, Institute for Information Systems at Hochschule Hof - Encryption and Signing of E-Mails using S/MIME and OpenPGP on Smartphones

### GPG-GUI ( [Website](#) )

Feb 2020

- Graphical application for secure(GPG encryption) storage of important documents and photos, written in Python

## TECHNICAL SKILLS & ADDITIONAL

### Key Skills:

- Python ( scripting and automation with standard library, pytest, selenium, Django, etc. )
- Application Security and Secure Software Development, DevSecOps ( [Website](#) )
- Linux ( scripting/command-line, architecture, administration, etc. )

**Programming Languages & Tools:** Python, Javascript, Burp Suite, SQL, Bash/Shell scripting, Git, VS Code

**Languages/Communication Skills:** English(C2), Hindi, Marathi, German(A1)