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Professional Summary

Dynamic cybersecurity leader with 6+ years of experience driving strategic security solutions and compliance initiatives. Proven track record in SOC compliance, penetration testing, and training global teams. Skilled in deploying modern cybersecurity frameworks and fostering security-first cultures to safeguard organizational assets. Seeking senior remote roles to deliver measurable improvements in risk management and cybersecurity resilience.

Core Competencies

- **Technical Expertise**: Penetration Testing, Python, AWS, Azure, Kubernetes, CI/CD, ELK Stack, Custom AI Model Creation, Solutions Architecting

- **Leadership & Training**: Security Awareness Programs, SOC Development, Policy Design

- **Incident Response**: Threat Analysis, Forensics, Network Defense

- **Compliance & Governance**: SOC Compliance, Risk Assessment, Security Audits

Certifications

- EC-Council Certified Ethical Hacker (C|EH), 2019

- CompTIA Security+, 2024

- CompTIA Network+, 2019

- AWS Certified Cloud Practioner, 2025

- Azure 900 Foundations, 2025

- CISSP (in progress, expected 2025)

Professional Experience

Cybersecurity Consultant
Self *(Remote)* | July 2023 – Present

- Conducted security assessments, vulnerability scans, and penetration tests to enhance security postures.

- Implemented secure cloud architectures, ensuring compliance with SOC 2, NIST, and ISO 27001.

- Developed and executed incident response plans, leading forensic investigations and threat-hunting efforts.

- Designed and automated security controls, improving detection and response capabilities.

- Provided CISO-level advisory services, guiding security roadmaps and risk management strategies.

- Delivered cybersecurity training programs, increasing awareness of social engineering and secure coding practices.

- Led red team engagements, simulating real-world attacks to strengthen defenses.

Cybersecurity Engineer
Rent Dynamics LLC (Remote) | Nov 2021 – June 2023

- Spearheaded the company's inaugural SOC compliance, achieving audit readiness in 12 months.

- Designed custom security awareness training, reducing phishing incidents by 30%.

- Conducted penetration tests, identifying critical vulnerabilities and driving remediation.

- Automated risk assessments, saving 100+ man-hours annually.

Network Security Engineer
Cigent Technology (Fort Myers, FL) | June 2019 – Nov 2021

- Developed SOC alerting systems, improving incident detection speed by 25%.

- Implemented XDR systems, enhancing threat mitigation rates.

- Introduced beacon detection tools, reducing false positives by 15%.

Education

- **Master's Degree in Cybersecurity**, Southern New Hampshire University (2019 – 2022, Honors)

- **Bachelor's Degree in Mathematics**, Southern New Hampshire University (2016 – 2018, Honors)

Availability

Seeking senior remote contract roles with 10% travel flexibility.