Lab: Creating a Multi-Account AWS Environment

Objective

Use both the AWS Console and Terraform to:

- Create an Organization
- Add accounts
- Attach SCPs
- Set up IAM roles for cross-account access

Part A: AWS Console Steps

- 1. Navigate to AWS Organizations
- 2. Create a new Organization
- 3. Add a new Organizational Unit (OU)
- 4. Invite an existing AWS account
- 5. Create and attach an SCP that denies S3 access

Part B: Terraform Steps

- 1. Use aws_organizations_organization and aws_organizations_account
- 2. Attach SCP using aws_organizations_policy_attachment
- 3. Create cross-account IAM roles and trust policy

Validation

- Verify SCP effects using policy simulator
- Use sts:AssumeRole to test cross-account access