# Kenneth Nnadi Cyber Security Analyst

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#### WORK EXPERIENCE

#### University of Oregon, Eugene, OR

Cyber Security Teaching/Lab Assistant 08/2022 – 17/06/2024

- Developed and updated teaching materials for Networking Fundamentals courses.
- Delivered lectures and facilitated hands-on lab sessions for 80+ students, including Arduino humidity and temperature sensor exercises.
- Demonstrated and taught cybersecurity tools (Owasp ZAP, Firewall proxy, IDS/IPS, SIEM (Nessus), OpenVAS, Hashcat, John the Ripper, Wireshark, etc.) to 100+ students.
- Provided timely support to 100+ students through in-person interactions and email.
- Taught Microsoft suites (Azure, Entra ID, 365, IoT Plug and Play, and Microsoft Sentinel) and AWS security.
- Conducted OpenSSL exercises to teach PKI and cryptography to 100+ senior students.

#### Springboard, San Francisco, CA

Cyber Security Bootcamp Career Track 06/2022 – 07/2023

- Engaged in over 380+ hours of immersive, hands-on course material, providing a comprehensive understanding of various aspects of cybersecurity.
- Benefited from personalized mentorship and guidance from industry experts, ensuring a valuable learning experience and professional oversight.
- Successfully completed an in-depth capstone project, showcasing the application of acquired knowledge and skills in a real-world scenario.
- Completed 35+ mini projects that provided practical, real-world context, enabling a deeper understanding of the cybersecurity landscape.
- Engaged in over 30+ labs that bridged theoretical concepts to practical implementation, enhancing proficiency in areas such as systems security, network security, vulnerability assessment, risk assessment, and more.

## National Youth Service Corps, Akwa Ibom, Nigeria

Information Communication Technology Teacher 11/2020 – 10/2021

- Instructed 150+ High School Senior Classes in Information Communication Technology, delivering comprehensive lessons and fostering student engagement.
- Organized and facilitated practical classes to enhance 150+ students' hands-on experience and understanding of ICT concepts.
- Volunteered as a COVID-19 Vaccination Monitor, ensuring smooth operations and adherence to safety protocols during vaccination campaigns.
- Volunteered for the Ministry of Humanitarian Affairs, Disaster Management, and Social Development as an Enumerator for the Federal Government's primary school feeding program, conducting data collection and verification of 10,000+ pupils.

## Center for Information and Telecommunication Engineering, Port Harcourt, Nigeria

Network Engineering/Admin Internship

06/2018 - 01/2019

- Spearheaded efforts to test the ability of 1300+ email accounts to withstand phishing attempts within 48 hours on the job.
- Managed the company's DNS, email, VPN, and firewall infrastructure, achieving 100% uptime for SaaS offering with 750+ users.
- Identified and resolved security issues in 40+ custom application logic, preventing data exposure.
- Acquired in-depth knowledge and practical skills in CISCO switching and routing for efficient network management and monitoring.
- Implemented strategies for software security management to protect systems from vulnerabilities and cyber threats.

• Completed the CISCO Cyber Security Essentials and CCNA course, gaining insights into network security and cyber risk mitigation.

## **EDUCATION**

## University of Oregon, Eugene, OR

Master's Degree — Computer Science/Cyber Security 06/2022 - 06/2024

#### University of Port Harcourt, Port Harcourt, RI

Bachelor's Degree — Computer Science 09/2015 - 11/2019

#### CERTIFICATIONS

- Certified Information Systems Security Professional (CISSP)
- CompTIA Security+
- Springboard Cyber Security Bootcamp Certification
- Google Professional Data Analytics
- Microsoft Power BI for Data Analytics
- Microsoft Excel (Advanced)

#### **PROJECTS**

- OpenVAS Vulnerability management using GVM API <u>click here</u>
- Short-lived Certificate in Zero Trust Model click here
- Network Intrusion Detection System Using Machine learning <u>click here</u> (\*find other links on my LinkedIn)

## **SKILLS**

## **Technical Skills:**

Incident Response: Advanced, Ethical Hacking: Experienced, Threat Modeling, Vulnerability Management, Identity and Access Management, Application Security, Encryption, Risk Management, Network Security, Firewall Management, Intrusion Detection and Prevention Systems: Suricata, Snort, Monitoring and Logging: Prometheus, Splunk, Security Information and Event Management (SIEM): Splunk, Nessus, IBM QRadar, Web Application Security: Owasp ZAP, Burp Suite, Cloud Security: AWS Security, Microsoft Azure Security e.g. sentinel, Google Cloud Security, Endpoint Security: CrowdStrike, Symantec, Container Security: Docker, Kubernetes, Programming Languages: Python, C/C++, Network Analysis Tools: Wireshark, tcpdump, Version Control Systems: Git, Operating Systems: Linux, Windows Server, Other Tools: OpenVAS, Hashcat, John the Ripper, Metasploit etc.

#### **Soft Skills:**

• Leadership, Team Management, Time Management, Communication, Customer support.

### **Compliance Standards:**

- NIST SP 800-37 & 53
- ISO 27001, SOX, PCI-DSS etc
- GDPR