

COVER LETTER

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Ms Abby Tan
Head of Human Resource Department
Grab APAC Campus
88 Seletar Gateway, 09-01
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Application for Cybersecurity Analyst (Job Ref No. 50003)

Dear Ms Abby Tan,

I am writing to express my strong interest in applying for the Cybersecurity Analyst position at Grab. Having watched Grab evolve from a transportation app into a daily necessity for millions, the trust your users inspires me place in the platform. I want to be part of the team that safeguards that trust.

My resume outlines my technical proficiency with tools like Nmap and Wireshark, but what it cannot capture is the mindset I bring to defense. During my time as a member of the Board Games Club at Nanyang Polytechnic, I learned that winning requires anticipating an opponent's moves three steps ahead. I apply this same strategic thinking to cybersecurity. I don't just look at alerts as errors to be fixed; I view them as moves in a larger game, constantly asking, "If I were the attacker, what would I do next?" This curiosity drives me to investigate the context of a vulnerability, not just its code

This strategic approach is backed by the operational discipline I gained during my IT Support internship. I learned early on that security policies are useless if they hinder the business. My experience balancing strict patching protocols with user efficiency taught me how to communicate security needs with empathy – a soft skill I know is vital for a fast-moving company like Grab.

I am eager to bring my "Hunger" for learning and my commitment to "Honour" to your security operations center. I would welcome the opportunity to discuss how my background in strategy and support makes me a unique fit for your team.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Yours sincerely,
Koh Le Jie



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🌐 My Portfolio Website

SKILLS

- Enterprise networking
- Security monitoring
(Log/Alert Review)
- System administration
- Windows/Linux
fundamentals
- Web development
fundamentals: Flask,
HTML/CSS
- Cloud fundamentals
(AWS/Azure/GCP)
- Problem Solving
- Detail-Oriented

CERTIFICATIONS

- Fortinet NSE 1-3 (Network
Security Associate)
- Fortinet Information Security
Awareness
- Cisco NetAcad: Intro to
Cybersecurity, Cybersecurity
Essentials



EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Motivated cybersecurity graduate focused on security monitoring, incident response support, and vulnerability assessment. Hands-on project experience in vulnerability scanning (Nmap/OpenVAS) and incident investigation (Wireshark, Sguil, Kibana). Detail-oriented with strong documentation habits and a careful approach to validating findings before escalation.



WORK EXPERIENCE

Income Insurance Limited (Internship)

SEP 2023 - APR 2024

IT Support Specialist

- Imaged and set up desktops/laptops (OS cloning + device configuration)
- Applied company endpoint policies and standard security settings.
- Managed device inventory and tracked issuance/returns.
- Provided IT support for company and BYOD devices (troubleshooting + escalation).
- Performed remote support for patching, software installs, and issue resolution.



PROJECTS

Virtual Server Vulnerability Assessment (Nmap + OpenVAS)

- Scanned two Linux VMs with Nmap and OpenVAS; documented exposed services and findings.
- Identified 18 vulnerabilities, mapped CVEs/severity, and proposed prioritized mitigation actions.

Network Forensics & Ransomware Analysis

- Analyzed a CryptoWall ransomware incident using Wireshark, Sguil, and Kibana to reconstruct the full attack timeline.
- Identified critical IOCs and proposed defense strategies, including network segmentation and patch management.

Web Development: Story & Memory Management (Flask, SQLite)

- Built story/blog CRUD with SQLite (comments, likes, views, bookmarks, reports)
- Added validation for title/content and image uploads (size checks) with flash + toast errors

LANGUAGES

- English (Native)
- Chinese (Conversational)



EDUCATION

Nanyang Polytechnic Diploma in Cybersecurity	2025 - 2028
ITE COLLEGE CENTRE Higher Nitec, Cyber & Network Security GPA: 4.0	2022-2024
Deyi Secondary School GCE N-Level (Normal Technical) Aggregate: 5	2018-2021



AWARDS

Outstanding Graduate Award - ITE College Central (2025) Higher Nitec, Cyber & Network Security
ST Engineering Book Prize - ITE College Central (2025) Higher Nitec, Cyber & Network Security
Silver Course Medal - ITE College Central (2025) Higher Nitec, Cyber & Network Security
Director's List (Top 10%) - ITE College Central (2022-2024) Higher Nitec, Cyber & Network Security
Edusave Skills Award - MOE (2024) Higher Nitec, Cyber & Network Security
Academic Award - Deyi Secondary School (2021) GCE N-Level (Normal Technical)



CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES & LEADERSHIP

Board Games Club Member - Nanyang Polytechnic (2025-2028) Participated in student bonding sessions through group board game activities and collaboration with peers.
Class Vice-Chairmen - Deyi Secondary School (2019-2020) Assisted in managing class affairs and organizing student bonding activities events.
Class IT Representative - Deyi Secondary School (2018-2021) Provided first-level technical support for classroom AV systems and ensured proper handling of IT assets daily.
Dragon Boat Member - Deyi Secondary School (2018 - 2021) Demonstrated physical resilience and teamwork through intensive weekly training sessions and competitions