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# Summary

DevOps Engineer with expertise in cloud-native infrastructure (AWS, Kubernetes, Terraform) and cybersecurity. Proven track record of automating deployments, reducing downtime, and improving security posture. Creator of Exodia OS and contributor to open-source kernel modules. Skilled in building CI/CD pipelines, container orchestration, and penetration testing. Passionate about delivering scalable, secure, and automated systems.

# Military status (Completed)

#### **Education**

Bachelor of Computers and Artificial Intelligence, Cairo University (Class of 2023)

# **Projects:**

**Exodia OS** (Graduation Project – Excellent Grade)

- Built an Arch-based Linux distribution tailored for cybersecurity and penetration testing.
- Developed special editions including **Home** and **Acer Predator** with fan/RGB control.
- Adopted by cybersecurity enthusiasts with 500+ pre-installed tools.
- Link: https://exodia-os.github.io

# CI/CD Pipeline for VProfile App (GitOps, Kubernetes, Jenkins)

- Designed and deployed a multi-tier Java application with MySQL, Memcached, RabbitMQ, Tomcat, Nginx
- Implemented GitHub Actions workflows for development and production.
- Automated deployments on AWS EKS using Terraform + Helm

#### **Acer Predator Kernel Module**

- Reverse-engineered Windows PredatorSense app to build a Linux kernel module (C).
- Control Keyboard RGB, Fan Speed and TURBO mode.
- Link: https://github.com/JafarAkhondali/acer-predator-turbo-and-rgb-keyboard-linux-module

#### Linuwu-Sense (mmsaeed509/Linuwu-Sense Fork)

- Reverse-engineered Windows PredatorSense app to build a Linux kernel module (C).
- Control RGB, Fan Speed, Overclocking, TURBO mode, System Monitoring and Thermal Profiles
- Link: https://github.com/mmsaeed509/Linuwu-Sense

#### **PredatorSense Linux**

- GUI App For mmsaeed509/Linuwu-Sense Fork
- Link: https://github.com/mmsaeed509/PredatorSense-Linux

#### Exodia OS Assistant (PyQt5 GUI App)

- Built modular system assistant application for Exodia OS
- Designed custom UI with non-rectangular windows, dynamic buttons, and system integration features.
- Role Manager, which allows users to install, manage, and configure a role-based environment

#### Ransomware

- It's a basic implementation of ransomware using Python, consisting of two programs: a server and a client
- The server is used to control the client (ransomware) and is hosted on the attacker's machine
- The client, which functions as the ransomware, connects to the server to encrypt/decrypt files

### **Experience:**

# Cisco CyberOps Associate Trainee – NTI

(1 month in Aug – Sept 2021)

- Configured and monitored SOC environments, improving incident detection and response
- Gained hands-on experience in threat intelligence, packet analysis, and SIEM workflows.

# **CCNA Training - FCAI**

(1 month in Aug - Sept 2020)

- Hands-on labs with routing, switching, subnetting, and LAN/WAN protocols.
- Built and troubleshooted small-scale enterprise network simulations.

# **Incident Response - CyberTalents**

(3 months in Jun - Aug 2021)

- Conducted digital forensics and reverse engineering exercises on malware samples
- Supported incident handling workflows, contributing to faster triage of forensic evidence.

## **Skills:**

- Version Control & Linux: Git, Git LFS, GitHub, GitLab, Debian/Arch/RHEL-based
- **Programming:** C/C++, Java, Python, Bash, PowerShell
- Containers & Orchestration: Docker, podman, OpenShift, Kubernetes
- CI-CD & IaC: Jenkins, GitHub Actions, GitLab CI, Terraform, Helm, Ansible, vagrant
- Cloud: AWS
- Monitoring & Security: Grafana, Incident Response, Penetration Testing

## **Certificates:**

- CyberSecurtiy: Incident Response, NTI CyberOps, PNPT
- **DevOps:** DevOps with Projects
- Networks: CCNA
- **Programming:** C With linux
- **API:** API and Web Service Introduction Udemy
- **Project Management:** Complete Agile Scrum Master Certification Training Udemy