

# AR. MOHAMED RIMSAN

## SOC ANALYST INTERN | IT UNDERGRADUATE

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Motivated 3rd year IT undergraduate specializing in defensive cybersecurity with hands-on experience in SOC and Blue Team labs. While my 2+ years of professional experience come from outside the security domain, they've strengthened my technical troubleshooting, communication, and problem-solving abilities. I am eager to apply my developing defensive security skills and contribute to a SOC team as an intern or entry-level analyst.

## EDUCATION

**Expected Graduation:** Bachelor of Science in Information Technology

**Nov 2026**

The Open University of Sri Lanka (OUSL)

## EXPERIENCE

**Feb 2025 - NOW**

Tech Bridge Solutions Ltd

**Help Desk Representative**

- Resolved technical issues and provided first-line IT support to end users.
- Registered incidents, updated user records, and escalated unresolved issues to senior IT staff.
- Ensured timely resolution by coordinating with other teams to reduce downtime.

**Jan 2022 – Jan 2024**

Bilaal Kidz

**Inventory Manager & Cashier Cum Clerk**

- Implemented an inventory tracking system, reducing errors and improving accuracy.
- Processed transactions and maintained reliable financial and stock records.
- Coordinated stock reviews and reporting to support business decisions.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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|---------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|----------------|
| • SIEM Monitoring         | • Operating Systems    | • Triage alerts      | • Log Analysis |
| • Networking Fundamentals | • Blue Team Operations | • Python & Scripting | • powershell   |

## SOFT SKILLS

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|-----------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| • Problem Solving     | • Teamwork      | • Communication     | • Adaptability  |
| • Analytical Thinking | • Collaboration | • Critical Thinking | • Documentation |

## CERTIFICATIONS

**Jan 2026**

**Google Cybersecurity professional**

Google, Coursera

**Jul 2025**

**Junior Cybersecurity Analyst**

Cisco Networking Academy

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| <b>Jan 2025</b> | <b>Automate Cybersecurity Tasks with Python</b>                    |
|                 | Google, Coursera   |
| <b>Oct 2025</b> | <b>Security Operations Center (SOC)</b>                            |
|                 | CISCO, Coursera  |
| <b>Oct 2025</b> | <b>IT Security: Defense against the digital dark arts</b>          |
|                 | Google, Coursera   |
| <b>Aug 2025</b> | <b>Operationalizing MITRE ATT&amp;CK for SOCs</b>                  |
|                 | Picus Security   |
| <b>Jul 2025</b> | <b>Cyber Threat Management, Endpoint Security, Network Defense</b> |
|                 | Cisco Networking Academy   |
| <b>Jan 2025</b> | <b>Practical Help Desk</b>   |
|                 | TCM Security   |

## PROJECTS

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### SOC Home Lab (Defensive Cybersecurity)

- Built a virtual lab with VMs, SIEM, and IDS to simulate alerts.
- Practiced log analysis, alert triage, and incident response.

### LetsDefend SOC Platform

- Completed real-world SOC analyst simulations on the LetsDefend platform.
- Investigated alerts, analyzed malicious activities, and applied incident response workflows.
- Strengthened knowledge of log correlation, threat detection, and escalation processes.

### IT Help Desk Case Studies

- Documented real-world support workflows: ticketing, troubleshooting, escalation, and resolution.

## LANGUAGES

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- English — Proficient
- Tamil — Native / Fluent
- Sinhala — Basic / Conversational

## REFERENCES

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### 1. Gayeshan Hewa Mithige

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