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Education

California State University, Sacramento Bachelor of Science, Computer Science (5/2017) Minor in Mathematics

GPA: 3.916 out of 4.00 Summa Cum Laude Honors

Certifications

EC-Council Certified Ethical Hacker
IACRB Certified Penetration Tester
CompTIA Security+ Certified
CSUS Certificate in Information Assurance and
Security

Work Experience

- Tier I Security Operations Center (SOC) Analyst, CSUS Information Security Office (February 2016 Present)
 Perform tier one incident response for malware and malicious activity notifications generated by FireEye,
 PAN border firewall, and ISO SIEM; work with team to design and implement C# applications to maintain daily logging capabilities from cloud based enterprise applications; develop scripts to detect geolocation and account activity anomalies; assist in writing and developing training modules for staff and student security training; write technical documentation for ISO security procedures and applications;
- NREIP Intern, SPAWAR Systems Center Pacific (May 2016 August 2016)

Conducted a feasibility study for an enterprise network security project proposal; created a heuristic intrusion detection system based on a unique multi-dimensional indexing technique which performed internet packet categorization and anomaly detection; performed analysis of different indexes and their ability to detect abnormal network traffic patterns; created documentation and visualization for results of study; provided technical expertise to supervisor during project funding presentation;

Skills and Experience

Languages:

• Python, C#, Powershell, Bash, C, Ruby, Javascript

Leadership:

- ACM Security Interest Group Re-establishing Member and Presenter
- CSUS Capture the Flag Team Founder and Competition Coordinator
- ISO Security Office Office 365 Project Lead

Communication, Written and Interpersonal:

- CSUS ISO, security application and procedure documentation
- Enterprise Network Security Research Project, presentation and documentation
- CSUS Collegiate Cyber Defense Competition, set up instructions and documentation

Technical:

- Operating Systems: Windows(7,8,10), Kali Linux, SANS REMnux, several Debian based systems
- Relevant Software: FireEye, Palo Alto Network, Wireshark, Burp Suite, Metasploit, several Malware Analysis Tools(REMnux), several Penetration Testing Tools(Kali Linux), Visual Studios, SQL Server Management Studio

Other Projects:

- Operating System with virtual address translation and page fault handling (C and Assembly)
- Network Reconnaissance Toolkit (Python and Bash)
- Web Application Toolkit to aide in SQL injection, directory traversal, and remote code execution (Python)
- ESXI Home Lab to learn about applications like pfSense, Splunk, and Elastic Search (Build In Progress)

Professional Acknowledgements and Activities

Professional Courses

- Penetration Testing with Kali Linux Course by Offensive Security
- Ethical Hacking Online Course by InfoSec

Activities and Awards

- CyberCorps: Scholarship for Service Recipient
- Dean's Honor List (Spring 2014 Spring 2017)
- Frequently participate in ethical hacking competitions and present resulting write-ups