MEHTAB ZAFAR Information Security Engineer

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Red Queen Tech

Web Security Engineer

July 2021 - ongoing

- Contract
- Wrote various modules for a start-up that needed the automation framework for pentesting.
- Build out an infrastructure to support internal applications.
- Worked in an Agile methodology.

Hackerone / Bugcrowd / Intigriti

BugBounty

Aug 2020 - ongoing

- Independent/Remote
- Listed on Hall of Fame for various companies, such as Google, GitHub, Pay-Pal, US Department of Defense, DELL, Atlassian, Zynga.
- I am proficient at web and mobile application security testing.
- Performed static code analysis to identify various vulnerabilities in APK files.
- Performed zero-day research on open source software.
- HackerOne: https://hackerone.com/mzfr

The Honeynet Project



Developer

- Improved the speed and functionality of a high interaction honeypot (Snare/Tanner).
- · Added support for persistent storage using PostgreSQL and SQLAlchemy.
- Improved the API functionality based on the new database structure.

Vulnhub / TryHackMe

Content Creator

- **Aug** 2019 March 2020
- Independent/Remote
- Created various CaptureTheFlag (CTF) challenges for TryHackme.com that teaches about Web related vulnerabilities like XXE, XSS, JWT.
- Created a three potential Vulnerable machines for VulnHub.com
- Invited to perform beta tested various vulnerable virtual machines like TempusFugit series, DC8 for vulnhub.com.

XBMC Foundation



Developer

- **A** May 2018 Aug 2018
- Google Summer of Code
- Worked on an Open source project under a student program by Google. Developed a tool for performing static code analysis on all addons for Kodi.

PROJECTS

slicer

- Code
- Wrote this tool to automate the bug hunting process on Android applications (APK).
- It can find possible vulnerable activities, receivers and services.

liffy

Code

- Wrote this tool to automate the process of discovering and exploiting Local file inclusion (LFI) attack.
 - Once exploited, it can also generate & provide reverse shell.

takeover

Code

- Made a CLI tool to check subdomain takeover at a mass scale.
- Given output of amass/subfinder this tool can check if any of the subdomain is vulnerable to subdomain takeover.

ACHIEVEMENTS

Offensive Security Certified Professional (OSCP) by Offensive Security

Google Summer Of Code - 2018, 2020



Certified Penetration tester by eLearnSecurity (eJPT)

EDUCATION

Inderprastha Engineering College 📛



Jul 2017 - Aug 2021

B.Tech - Computer Science

SKILLS

Programming

Python C++ golang

Tools/Tech

Burp Suite | Metasploit Zap Proxy

Docker WireShark

Misc

PostgreSQL

EXTRA CURRICULARS

- Participating in CaptureTheFlag competitions with Team OpenToAll.
- Pentest vulnerable virtual machines on platforms like TryHackMe, HackTheBox, Vulnhub.
- Writing technical blog posts on security & development related topics.
- Writing walkthroughs for boot2root machines of HackTheBox & Vulnhub.