Raj Kumar

OSCP Certified

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EDUCATION

Year	Degree/Certificate	Institute	CPI/%
2022-2024	M.Tech./Cyber Security (CSE)	Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur	8.1/10
2018-2022	B.Tech/Computer Science & Engg.	Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, Delhi	8.5/10
2018	CBSE(XII)	Colonel's Central Academy, Gurugram	89.6%
2016	CBSE(X)	Colonel's Central Academy, Gurugram	9.0/10

CERTIFICATIONS

Offensive Security Certified Professional (OSCP)

(Sept'23)

- Earned the OSCP certification, demonstrating practical proficiency in penetration testing and ethical hacking
- Successfully passed an extensive hands-on exam assessing skills in exploiting various systems, including Windows, Linux, and Active Directory environments, simulating real-world application, vulnerabilities, and comprehensive system analysis

Certified Information Security Professional (CISP)

(Feb'21 - Mav'21)

Defense Institute of Advanced Technology (DIAT)

- o Attained an overall score of 77.73%, with a notable 77/100 in the final CTF exam
- Covered a comprehensive range of topics including Vulnerability Analysis, Penetration Testing, Malware Analysis, and hands-on application of various essential cybersecurity tools

MTECH THESIS

SSI-based Password-less Authentication Ecosystem | Guide: Prof. Sandeep K Shukla

(April'23 - June'24)

Tech: PolygonID, NodeJS, ReactJS, React Native, Docker

- Creating a robust SSI system for social media user profiles to enhance privacy and controlled data sharing within platforms
- Designing SSI-based authentication system for streamlined user registration and login on web3 social media platforms
- Implementing verifiable credentials with custodial SSI mobile wallet app and using PolygonID for data integrity

PROJECTS

Breaking 3-XOR (Physical Unclonable Function) PUF in Operation Technology (OT) Systems | Guide: Prof. Purushottam

- Developed advanced SVM-based solvers and feature mapping to enhance the **security of OT systems** using XOR-PUFs
- o Achieved 99% accuracy in predicting XOR-PUF output despite multiple PUFs and even-odd rule for secure authentication
- Strengthened OT system security by evaluating model on 30k dataset and mitigating tampering and cloning risks.

DeCAPTCHA Solver and Data Dumping | Guide: Prof. Purushottam Kar

- Utilized machine learning algorithms to build a DeCAPTCHA Solver, enhancing web security by testing CAPTCHA
- Developed a machine learning model for character recognition, achieving **98.5**% **accuracy** by isolating backgrounds, reducing noise, segmenting characters, and utilizing **Logistic Regression** for precise character analysis
- Created automation script to extract data from a website, using a Machine Learning model to clear CAPTCHA challenges

Unified Kill Chain (UKC) Navigator Tool | Guide: Prof. Sandeep K Shukla

- Innovated within the UKC framework that aligned with its principles, enhancing cyber attack analysis and mitigation
- Developed and deployed tool for seamless upload, retrieval, and visualization of mapped cyber attack reports
- Showcased attack-specific kill chains for comprehensive insights and concurrent comparison of multiple reports

Healthcare Records on Private Blockchain | Guide: Prof. Angshuman Karmarkar

- Developed a Blockchain-based Smart Healthcare System utilizing **Hyperledger Fabric** and an effective user-interface, enabling seamless participation of healthcare providers, **improving data security**, and enhancing patient care coordination
- o Improved patient care by enabling secure storage, and access management of health records among healthcare providers
- o Developed backend using NodeJS SDK to establish a connection between the frontend and blockchain network

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Languages: C, C++, Python, JavaScript, Bash Databases: MySQL, MongoDB
- Pen-testing: Active Directory, Network, Web Application, Windows and Linux Systems
- Blockchain Tech.: Hyperledger Fabric, Hyperledger Aries, Ethereum Blockchain
- Web & App Technologies: ReactJs, NodeJs, React Native, HTML & CSS

ACHIEVEMENTS AND EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Engaging in Hack The Box labs, learning about security through CTF-like boxes and hosting write-ups about my methods
- Secured All India Rank 444 in GATE CS 2022, about 1 lakh candidates appeared for the examination
- Developed a Telegram bot for IIM Sirmaur students, with a user base of 100+ active users and continuous enhancements