

SUJAL SAHU

Cloud Security Engineer & Pentester

Security-focused professional with proven experience in **Web/Network VAPT, Cloud Security, and DevSecOps pipelines**. Skilled at reducing cloud attack surfaces, automating security workflows, and aligning DevOps practices with enterprise-grade security.

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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Technology in AI&DS Engineering Jabalpur Engineering College

07/2023 - Present

7.48 CGPA

Btech

- Artificial Intelligence & Data Science (AI & DS)

Diploma in Computer Science Engineering Rajiv Gandhi Proudhyogiki Vishwavidyalaya

07/2020 - 06/2023

8.54 CGPA

Courses

- Computer Science

WORK EXPERIENCE

VAPT Intern CyberSmithSecure Pvt. Ltd

02/2025 - Present

Mumbai, Hybrid

Achievements/Tasks

- Executed **VAPT on 20+ enterprise-scale apps** for clients including **AngleOne, Dainik Bhaskar, and Atlas**, identifying **100+ critical issues** (RCE, SQLi, SSRF, XSS).
- Created **CVSS-based reports** with PoCs and fixes, improving remediation efficiency and visibility.
- Reviewed **cloud IAM setups**, fixing misconfigs and privilege escalations to enhance cloud security posture.

DevOps & Operations Intern MPDET x Global Investors Summit 2025

01/2025 - 02/2025

Bhopal, India

Achievements/Tasks

- Built and managed **CI/CD pipelines** for automated deployments.
- Deployed apps on **high-availability servers with disaster recovery & 99.9% uptime**.
- Strengthened delivery through secure DevOps practices.

VAPT Intern SoloSecurities Pvt. Ltd

10/2024 - 11/2024

Indore, Remote

Achievements/Tasks

- Performed **VAPT on open-source CRMs** (Joomla, OpenCart, Drupal).
- Developed PoCs and maintained structured testing documentation.
- Authored internal blogs on vulnerability trends for knowledge sharing.

Security Analyst Intern Safe Your Web Pvt. Ltd.

04/2024 - 06/2024

Delhi, Remote

Achievements/Tasks

- Conducted **10+ app/network assessments**, reducing vulnerabilities by 30%.
- Reported 20+ bugs using **Burp Suite, OWASP ZAP, SQLMap, Nmap, Masscan**.
- Detected and resolved misconfigurations in live deployments.

SKILLS

Burp Suite

SQLMap

OWASP

AWS

Web Penetration Testing

Report writing

Kali Linux

Communication Skills

Docker

CI/CD

Git & Github

Nmap

Bash Scripting

Operating Systems

Network Security

Automation

PERSONAL PROJECTS

Real-Time Tracking System (Collaboration with Jabalpur Cyber Police)

- Collaborated with:** Jabalpur Cyber Police.
- Designed and deployed a **secure AWS infrastructure** (EC2, Docker, Nginx) with **endpoint hardening** and access controls.
- Implemented **role-based security policies** for officer/admin access management.
- Automated deployment workflows with **CI/CD pipelines**, ensuring system reliability and faster updates.
- Integrated **real-time monitoring & logging** for threat visibility and incident response readiness.

Machine Learning-Based WAF (Academic Project)

- Built a **custom ML-driven WAF** trained on **150,000+ malicious payloads** to detect SQLi, XSS, Command Injection, and Path Traversal attacks.
- Achieved **90%+ detection accuracy** across OWASP Top 10 threats using **ensemble ML models**.
- Deployed as a **reverse proxy** to secure backend APIs and integrated into DevOps workflows.
- Reduced application **attack surface by 40%** after full-scale deployment.

Full-Stack Cloud Deployment with CI/CD & WAF (Freelance)

- Architected a **secure AWS infrastructure** with Load Balancer, Auto Scaling, isolated DB servers, and **S3 backup automation** for resilience.
- Deployed **Cloudflare DNS with DDoS protection** and enforced **custom WAF rules** for traffic filtering and rate limiting.
- Automated **CI/CD pipelines** to enable security-focused deployments and infrastructure updates.
- Hardened **Nginx reverse proxy** and backend services against OWASP Top 10 vulnerabilities (SSRF, path traversal, authentication bypass).
- Live at www.lexiai.in.

CERTIFICATES

Jr Pentester By Tryhackme (05/2024 - 06/2024)

Offensive security hands-on labs covering vulnerability exploitation (IDOR, SQLi, XSS), and privilege escalation on Linux/Windows using Burp Suite, Metasploit, and Nmap.

Pre Security By TryHackMe (04/2024 - 05/2024)

Built foundational cybersecurity knowledge focusing on networking and Linux/Windows command-line basics essential for further infosec learning.

Web Fundamentals By TryHackMe (02/2024 - 03/2024)

Gained practical experience in web application security by exploiting OWASP Top 10 issues (XSS, SQLi, SSRF) and other flaws using Burp Suite and real-world labs.

LANGUAGES

English

Full Professional Proficiency

Hindi

Native or Bilingual Proficiency