Sathwik Mohan Vallala

EXPERIENCE

Digital Forensic Researcher - ADF Solutions Inc., Reston, VA

DEC. 2020 - PRESENT

- · Research various OS's & Apps for critical evidence.
- · Write python scripts to extract/parse the artifacts.
- · Test and validate triage tools and evidence extractors.

Bug Bounty Hunter – *Freelance*, International

OCT. 2019 - OCT. 2020

- Discover vulnerabilities in web-applications using Burpsuite or ZAP Proxy.
- · Automate vulnerability scanning with Python & Open Source Tools.
- Report any found vulnerabilities to the website owners.

Security Analyst Intern - SOC Experts, Bangalore, India

JUL. 2019 - OCT. 2019

- Use different SIEM tools for organisational defense..
- · Tools like Splunk, LogRhythm are used to perform log analysis/monitoring.
- Investigate and manage Incidents and Events on Windows Servers.
- · Use basic digital forensics for incident investigations.

Security Analyst Intern – Berry9 IT Services Pvt Ltd, Hyderabad, India JUN. 2017 – JUN. 2018

- Perform external penetration testing on Health Care project.
- Run black box pen-testing on educational project.
- · Successfully complete CEH certification.
- · Learn practical Ethical Hacking.

EDUCATION

MS in Digital Forensics - George Mason University, Fairfax, VA

JAN. 2020 - DEC. 2021

• GPA: 3.88/4.0

Bachelor's in Computer Science Engineering – *Jewaharlal Nehru Technological University,* Hyderabad, India

AUG. 2015 - AUG. 2019

• GPA: 4.0/4.0

PROJECTS

Autopsy WhatsApp Plugin

APR. 2020 - MAY 2020 - GMU

Github

- A plugin developed as a plugin which supports popular forensics tool *Autopsy*.
- Extract and parse evidence from WhatsApp application in Windows.

Chat over network with Python

JUN. 2018 - JUL. 2018 - Self

Github

- A project developed to with *privacy* as main focus.
- Chat between parties are encrypted from end to end.
- · Server can be self hosted and can be connected from anywhere.

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SKILLS

Professional

Ethical Hacking
Vulnerability Assessment
Web Application Penetration Testing
Network Penetration Testing
Mobile Application Penetration Testing
Incident Response
Digital Forensic Analysis
Network Forensics & Memory Forensics
Malware Reverse Engineering
Security Incident & Event Management
Threat Hunting
Open Source Intelligence

Tools

EnCase, FTK, Autopsy, Falcon, WinHex, Black Bag, X-Ways, AXIOM, Volatility, IDA, Ghidra, Tcpdump, OllyDbg, Snort, Zeek, Hashing, Yara, Write Blocker, Splunk, IBM QRadar, LogRhythm, SOC, SIEM, DFIR, IOC, OSI Layers, Metasploit, Burpsuite, ZAP, OWASP, MITRE ATT&ACK, Nmap, Wireshark, Ettercap, TCP/IP, IDS/IPS, IPSec, Aircrack-ng, SQLMap, Hydra, John the Ripper, Nikto, Commix, Nessus, Kali, Linux

PROGRAMMING

Python Bash PowerShell SQL PHP

CERTIFICATIONS

Digital Evidence Investigator

ADF Solutions
DECEMBER 2020

Certified Autopsy User

Basis Technology
OCTOBER 2020

Certified Ethical Hacker

EC Council
OCTOBER 2017

VOLUNTEERING

Instructor

JAN 2019 – MAY 2019 KMIT Cyber Security Club

Vice President

JAN 2016 - NOV 2016 HYA - Street Cause