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A multilingual technology professional with a Master's Degree, fluent in 5+ languages and equipped with foundational programming and IT skills. I have experience developing tools to streamline processes, driven by a passion for efficiency and improvement in technology environments. Recently awarded the CEH certification and pursuing CompTIA's Security+, I also hold a Specialist Diploma in Cybersecurity Practice. I am eager to contribute my technical expertise and innovative mindset to support and optimise IT operations across diverse industries.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2023 - Present: Visa Worldwide Pte Ltd - **Associate Systems Analyst** - Major Incident Management

- Hosted daily calls with various departments within Visa for priority updates and significant changes
- Involved in the end-to-end incident management process for major incidents impacting Visa and its Vendor/Client groups, minimizing service downtime
- Coordinated response teams for incidents involving cyber attacks (e.g., DDoS), software issues, and hardware changes, ensuring efficient resolution through proper escalation and communication.
- Ensured compliance with incident and problem management processes
- Escalation of critical and unresolved Incidents to appropriate levels of management
- Developed Python scripts to automate tasks and streamline work processes
- Refined internal Everbridge data to improve accuracy and enhance incident response outcomes
- Managed the creation and configuration of incident bridges, collaborating closely with application owners to ensure accurate setup
- Headed dry runs to test functionality and provided training to application owners and key stakeholders on use and features when joining incident bridges

2022 – 2023: TransPerfect – Language Data Analyst – Siri, Al/ML, Apple Singapore

- Successfully trained Siri to effectively manage user requests, ensuring appropriate and accurate responses for a seamless user experience
- Implemented Extended Speech Assessment Methods (XSAMPA) to enhance Automatic Speech Recognition (ASR) and Text-to-Speech (TTS) data, ensuring improved accuracy and quality
- Expanded YAML templates to accommodate diverse scenarios, enhancing the adaptability of the language model
- Conducted annotation of real user utterances and classification based on a unified ontology framework, contributing to a refined understanding of user interactions
- Localised existing templates and generated fresh data to optimise the performance of the voice assistant in English – Singapore (EN-SG), improving natural language processing capabilities

2022 – 2022: Genpact – **DevOps Policy, Compliance Agent** – Meta Singapore

- Assessed workflow related requests in accordance with the Developer Operations Policy Compliance Guidelines
- Moderated contents and took appropriate action against non-compliant activities and evaluated appeals from developers
- Investigated, reviewed and resolved problems identified (e.g. spam/abusive contents) within agreed turnaround times and standards of quality

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

2023 – 2024: Ngee Ann Polytechnic – Specialist Diploma in Cybersecurity Practice (SDCP)

- Trained in foundational cloud and server administration, and IT networking skills
- Trained in core offensive and defensive skills such as vulnerability assessment and penetration testing, digital forensics investigation, cyber incident handling and response, and cyber governance, risk, and compliance
- Demonstrated Cybersecurity expertise through a capstone project (available here) encompassing various cybersecurity

2021 – 2022: Nanyang Technological University – Master of Science (MSc) in Asian Studies

- Focus: International Human Rights Law, Comparative Politics, Policy, Security, Counterterrorism, Religion
- CSRP Certified (Comparative Study of Religions in Plural Societies)

2014 – 2018: Al-Azhar University (Cairo, Egypt) – Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Islamic Theology

- Graduated with a cumulative percentage of 75.16%
- Attained the university award for excellence in studies ('14 / '15) 8 modules > 90%

TECHNICAL PROFICIENCY

Active Directory (Intermediate), Apache (Elementary), AWS (Elementary), Ethical Hacking (CEH Certified), Computational Linguistics – IPA & XSampa (Proficient), CSS3 (Proficient), Everbridge (Proficient), HTML5 (Proficient), JavaScript (Intermediate), JSON (Intermediate), Linux (Intermediate), Markdown (Proficient), MariaDB (Elementary), PHP (Intermediate), Python (Elementary), Windows Server (Intermediate), YAML (Proficient)

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

English (IELTS - Band 7.5), Malay ('O' Level - A2), Arabic ('A' Level - A1), Bahasa Indonesia (Fluent), Egyptian Arabic (Professional Working Proficiency), Mandarin (Elementary Proficiency), German (Elementary Proficiency)