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EXPERIENCES

Apr. 2023 - Present

Cognizant Technology Solutions

Security Engineer

- Worked in Cognizant CIS team, focusing on Vulnerability Management for client infrastructure using Qualys and Rapid7
 Nexpose tools.
- b. Conducted **real-time Vulnerability scanning** on assets using **Qualys Cloud Platform** and **Nexpose** for effective vulnerability detection and management.
- c. **Validated and marked false positive vulnerability** evidence as **exceptions** in **Qualys** and **Rapid7 Nexpose** tools, ensuring the **generation of accurate vulnerability reports**.
- d. **Automated processes,** including the **conversion of IP ranges to IP addresses** and the **segregation of IP addresses**, using **'Bash scripts'**.
- e. **Updated Asset groups** and **Sites** to **increase the reliability of the scans** and fulfill **ad-hoc requests** from Operation teams.
- f. **Managed and resolved Endpoint Incidents/Alerts** (such as **phishing attacks** and **blocked software installations**) reported on **MS Defender**.
- q. Improved on-time reliability of scan results by updating scan profiles and authentication records.
- h. **Developed option profiles** and **Static/Dynamic search lists** on **Qualys** for **customized scanning** based on Security team advisories
- i. Demonstrated expertise in the information security and IT risk management field, particularly in Network security.

Nov. 2020 - Mar. 2023

Infosys technologies Ltd.

Senior System Engineer

- a. Worked in Infosys **CyberSecurity Vulnerability Management** team collaborating with **Mercedes Benz & Daimler Trucks** security teams on **Vulnerability Management** & **Assessment** using **Qualys Cloud Platform** & **Qualys Agent**.
- b. Collaborated with Mercedes Benz Security team for Qualys agent roll-out activities on servers and endpoint devices.
- c. Possess strong knowledge and experience in **security assessment**, **vulnerability management**, **risk-based threat analysis**, and **security mitigation** techniques. Proficient in using tools like **Qualys Scanner and Qualys Agent**.
- Experience includes working with vulnerability management tools such as Qualys Scanner and Qualys Cloud Agent.
- e. **Led a data analytics team**, creating a CISO Dashboard using **flowcharts**, **graphs**, and other visuals through **Python**, **SQL**, and **KPI templates** (prepared in **Excel** and **Python**).
- f. Utilized Infosys internal offering '**CyberGaze'** and **Jupyter Notebook** to generate visuals, providing key insights on Compliance and Operational KPIs.
- g. Analyzed projects related to **Vulnerability Management**, **Patch Management**, **Risk Management**, **SLA adherence**, **Software Currency**, etc.

SKILLS

Languages: Python3, Advance SQL, Bash Scripting, HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, Node.js.

Tools: Qualys, Rapid7-Nexpose, CIS Secure suite, Ivanti, Splunk, Uncommon X, MS Defender, Wireshark,

Scapy.

Platforms: Linux, Kali Linux, Windows.

Policies/ Frameworks: GDPR, ISO/IEC 27001, PCI-DSS, HIPAA, NIST.

Relevant Skills: Sniffing & Spoofing, Basic Networking, Shell Scripting, Governance, Risk Mgmt.,

Compliance, Vulnerability Mgmt., Data Analysis, programming & Scripting, Cloud Security.

CERTIFICATION & BADGES

Certification Name	Issued By	Links
Ethical Hacking Essentials (EHE)	EC Council	Link
Specialist in Vulnerability Management	Qualys	-
Linux Essentials	Cisco	-
Qualys Cloud Agent	Qualys	-
ISO/IEC 27001 Information Security Associate	Skillfront	Link
Networking Essentials	Cisco	Link
Python Essentials-I	Cisco	Link
AZ-900 (Azure Fundamentals)	Microsoft Azure	Link
CyberSecurity Essentials	Cisco	Link
Specialist in Assetview and Threat Protection	Qualys	-

EDUCATION

Jul. 2023 - Present

Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani

a. Master's Of Technology in Software Systems (Security)

Aug. 2016 - Sep. 2020

Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Technical University, Lucknow

- a. Bachelor's Of Technology in Electronics & Communication Engineering
- b. C.G.P.A: 8.25 Percentage: 82.5%
- Worked in ESR Lab (Embedded Systems and Robotics Lab).

Aug. 2014 - Jul. 2016

M.P.V.M Ganga Gurukulam, Prayagraj

- a. 12th in Physics, Chemistry, Maths, English and Computer Science.
- b. Percentage: 87.8%

Jun. 2013 - Jul. 2014

M.P.V.M Ganga Gurukulam, Prayagraj

- a. 10th in Maths, Science, Social Science, Hindi, English and Information Technology.
- b. Percentage: 96%

HONORS

- a. Won 'Insta Award' in 2022 for excellence & on time delivery to Mercedes Benz and Daimler Trucks.
- b. Won 'Insta Award' in 2021 for providing interesting insight using Visuals and insights (Using CyberGaze and JupyterNotebook) on Project's compliance and operation to Mercedes Benz and Daimler Trucks security teams.
- c. Won **University State Level** Mobile photography competition in 2020.

PROFILES

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