# Sudarshan Rangappa

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**EDUCATION** 

**National Forensic Sciences University** 

Master of Science in Cybersecurity; GPA: 8.2

**Bengaluru City University** 

Bachelor of Computer Applications; GPA: 8.16

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Aug 2023 – May 2025

Bengaluru, Karnataka Jul 2020 – Jul 2023

#### SKILLS SUMMARY

- Application Security & Secure SDLC: OWASP Top 10, CWE-25, Threat Modeling, SAST (SonarQube), DAST (OWASP ZAP, Burp Suite), Fuzzing, Security Code Review, Secure Coding Guidelines (Java, C, JavaScript, HTML, Python)
- Web & Network Security: Web Application Penetration Testing, Authentication/Authorization Security, Data Protection, API Security, SSL/TLS Configuration, Layer 7 Security
- Offensive Security & Red Teaming: Nmap, Metasploit, SQLMap, OpenVAS, MSFvenom, Privilege Escalation (Windows/Linux), Credential Dumping, Lateral Movement
- Monitoring & Analysis: Splunk (SPL), Wazuh, Suricata, Wireshark, Log Correlation, Incident Analysis
- Tooling & Frameworks: Git, Docker, MITRE ATT&CK, Shuffle SOAR, Threat Intelligence Platforms
- Soft Skills: Threat Reporting, Risk Communication, Technical Documentation, Developer Security Training

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

## **Co-Lead | Anti Cyber Crime Society | CERTIFICATE**

Sep 2022 - Feb 2023

- Supervised and mentored 10 interns in phishing response, threat validation, and IOC triage workflows.
- Reviewed 200+ phishing emails, URLs, and attachments, extracting indicators using VirusTotal and URLScan.
- Delivered training sessions on phishing kits, social engineering, and OSINT data gathering methods.

## **Volunteer | Anti Cyber Crime Society | CERTIFICATE**

Jul 2022 - Aug 2022

• Collected and analyzed 100+ phishing submissions from Indian users; flagged domains tied to malware C2s.

#### **PROJECTS**

## **Integrated Cyber Defence System | LINK**

May 2025

- Developed full-scale SOC lab simulating enterprise operations using Splunk, Wazuh, Suricata, Shuffle, and OpenVAS.
- Correlated logs across 3 VMs (Windows Server 2025, Windows 11, Ubuntu); achieved 100% alert detection rate.
- Simulated 10+ APT-style attacks (brute force, lateral movement, privilege escalation, data exfiltration).
- Built and deployed SOAR playbooks in Shuffle for IP blocking, WHOIS lookup, and GeoIP enrichment.

## **Location-Based IoT Security Key | LINK**

Nov 2024

- Designed access-control system using ESP8266 + GPS with geofencing logic (±5m) to authorize device access.
- Achieved 90%+ accuracy in real-world unauthorized access prevention across 20+ field test iterations.
- Tuned sampling frequency and implemented time-based validation to eliminate GPS spoof false positives.

## **CERTIFICATES**

## Certified Ethical Hacker (CEH v11) | CERTIFICATE

Jan 2023

- Mastered ethical hacking lifecycle: Recon, Scanning, Gaining Access, Maintaining Access, and Covering Tracks.
- Performed simulated penetration tests using Nmap, Metasploit, and Burp Suite against lab environments.
- Conducted vulnerability assessments using Nessus and manual exploitation techniques.
- Demonstrated proficiency in web application attacks (OWASP Top 10) and social engineering vectors.

## Fundamentals of Deep Learning (NVIDIA) | CERTIFICATE

**Dec 2023** 

• Trained image classification CNN models using TensorFlow and PyTorch with GPU acceleration.

## **Basel's OSINT Certificate | CERTIFICATE**

**June 2025** 

• Collected public threat intelligence using Maltego, Google Dorks, DNSDumpster, and social media scraping.

## **Cyber Threat Intelligence 101 (ArcX) | CERTIFICATE**

**July 2025** 

• Applied CTI lifecycle to case studies; aligned TTPs with MITRE ATT&CK framework for threat reports.