# Suraj Apar

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Completed foundational cybersecurity training through reputable platforms including TryHackMe, Cisco Networking Academy, and LinkedIn Learning. Gained hands-on experience in general cyber operations, Linux, security analysis, threat detection, and network defense. Demonstrated understanding of key cybersecurity principles and terminology, laying a strong groundwork for advanced technical learning and real-world application.

#### Skills

- Cybersecurity
- Information Security Awareness
- Threat Analysis Intermediate
- System Safeguards -Expert
- Network Defence -Fluent
- Security Analysis Intermediate
- Python -Fluent
- Linux Intermediate
- Burp Suite Intermediate

## Websites, Portfolios, Profiles

- Portfolio :- https://surajapar.github.io/Personal-Portfolio/
- GitHub:-https://github.com/surajapar
- TryHackMe -Profile :- https://tryhackme.com/p/surajapar

# **Professional Experience**

Intern

Mastercard - Cybersecurity Job Simulation, Pune, India (Remote) | December 2024 - December 2024

- Completed a job simulation where I served as an analyst on Mastercard's Security Awareness Team
- Helped identify and report security threats such as phishing
- Analysed and identified which areas of the business needed more robust security training and implemented training courses and procedures for those teams

#### **Education**

Bachelor of Science in Cyber and Digital Science Dr. D.Y. Patil Arts, Commerce & Science College, Pune, India | Expected in May 2028 First Year SGPA: 8.18 — 2024-25

#### Certifications

- Jr Penetration Tester Certificate TryHackMe Issued: June 2025 | Credential ID: THM-FTDBV0DYBN Skills: Penetration Testing, Linux
- Web Fundamentals Certificate TryHackMe
  Issued: July 2025 | Credential ID: THM-EUMPSGRMYS
- Cyber Security 101 Certificate TryHackMe Issued: Mar 2025 | Credential ID: THM-OMMISFFVOC Skills: General Cyber, Linux
- Pre Security Certificate TryHackMe
  Issued: Jan 2025 | Credential ID: THM-FKRV7GZBUO
  Skills: General Cyber, Security Analysis
- Cybersecurity Awareness: Cybersecurity Terminology LinkedIn Learning

Issued: Dec 2024 | Credential ID: fb9cccf39d35... Skills: Information Security Awareness

 Introduction to Cybersecurity - Cisco Networking Academy Issued: Dec 2024

Skills: Network Defence, Threat Analysis, System Safeguards

### Languages

- Marathi -Advanced (C1)
- Hindi -Elementary (A2)
- English -Beginner (A1)

#### **Interests**

- Security Research
- Ethical Hacking
- Penetration Testing