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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University, M.S. in Information Security

Aug 2022 - Dec 2023

o Coursework: Software Reverse Engineering, Secure Software Systems, Network Security, Mobile & IoT Security.

BITS Pilani University, B.E. in Electronics Engineering

Aug 2018 - May 2022

o Extra-curricular: Long Distance Running, Hockey Team, Non-profit Teacher, and Punjab Cultural Association

WORK EXPERIENCE

Amazon
Security Engineering Intern

Seattle, WA

 $May\ 2023-Aug\ 2023$

- o Analyzing security infrastructure of third-party applications before allowing access to privileged data.
- Creating a **risk-scoring system** to identify and prioritize security assessments of third-party (3P) applications by analyzing **indicators of security health** such as: volume and classification of data, **SSO** functionality, **passive scanning** results, and active pentest reports etc.
- Setting up AWS cloud automated identification/reporting of un-authorized applications used at Amazon.

Samsung Bangalore, IN

Network and Systems Intern

July 2021 - Jan 2022

- Worked on ML-based log analysis for system compromise/fault detection and root cause analysis.
- Designed an **anomaly detection** system to monitor system background information and take pre-emptive action before hard failure. **Saved service teams 20 hrs/week** by automating 90% maintenance.

BITS Pilani Research Pilani, IN

Research Assistant: Mitigating DDoS Attacks in SDN Data Plane

Aug 2021 - Jan 2022

- Surveyed and analyzed methods used to detect and mitigate Denial-of-Service (DoS) and Distributed
 Denial-of-Service (DDoS) attacks at Data Plane level in Software Defined Networks (SDN) using P4 language.
- Identified **limitations of P4** for attack detection/mitigation: no support for loops, complex numerical functions.

IIT Kanpur

Kanpur, UP

Cybersecurity Intern

May 2021 - Aug 2022

- Among top 5 students from India selected in the Intrusion Detection Team of IIT's cybersecurity division.
- Surveyed and categorized non-encrypted/encrypted traffic analysis solutions by application or mechanism.

BITS Pilani Research Pilani, IN

Research Assistant: Intrusion Detection Systems for IoT

Jan 2021 - May 2021

- Designed and implemented **network IDS for IoT** to overcome few design flaws of existing IDS. This design can detect **22 attacks** with help of **3 ML-based detectors** using Random Forest, ANN, Decision Tree, XGBoost.
- o Central Module attack classification rate: 94.41%. Edge modules attack detection rates: 99.98% and 99.87%.

SKILLS

- Forte: Network Security, Buffer Overflow, Code Injection, Malware Analysis, Reverse Engineering, Taint Analysis, Software Security, ML Applications in Security, Intrusion Detection, Cryptography, Network Programming.
- Languages: C, C++, Python, MATLAB, LaTeX, HTML, Assembly language, SQL, Dafny.
- Tools: IDA, Ghidra, MobSF, Metasploit, WireShark, Tensorflow, Scikit-Learn Git, GitHub, Snort.

PROJECTS

- Android Location Stealth: A Kotlin-based Android application that finds device using WiFi Triangulation (for API 19-25) with accuracy of **30** ft and IP GeoLocation (for API 26-31) with accuracy of **200** ft **2** mi.
- Mini-C-Dafny: Created a type-safe language in Dafny, similar to C which respects **non-interference**, typedeness, security types, and**taint analysis**. Also prevents major attacks on cache, side channel, buffer overflow, control flow.
- Ultra-fast URL Port Scanner: Scans URL open ports up to 10X faster than traditional scanners by using 100 child scanners concurrently. The scanner also lists all IPv4 and IPv6 addresses allotted to each URL.
- Concurrent TFTP Servers: A TFTP single process server to handle multiple clients using listen call on multiple FDs with speed 25 Mbps. Second, A TFTP multi process server to spawn a child server per client with speed 50 Mbps.