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Education

New York University

Aug 2016 – May 2020 | New York, NY

B.A. Computer Science (3.4/4.0), Cybersecurity Minor

Activities: NYU Pi Delta Psi Fraternity, Inc. (Webmaster, President of Alpha Pi class, PR Manager), NYU JV Quidditch (Chaser)

Technical Proficencies

Programming Languages: Python, Java, C, Javascript (+NodeJS), Bash

Tools: Checkmarx, AppSpider, Burp Suite, Splunk, Resilient, ServiceNow, Wireshark

Security Skills: Vulnerability Analysis & Management, Scripting/Automation, SAST & DAST, White Box Testing & Fuzzing, Phishing (Creation & Remediation), Penetration Testing, SIEM

Experience

Threat Management Intern

Verisk | Jersey City, NJ | Oct 2019 - Present

- Created, deployed, and managed a software assurance maturity model across a global insurance player and its 70+ member companies, based off the OWASP SAMM
- Helped design Incident Response workflows in ServiceNow, which automated parts of the IR process to increase efficiency and productivity for Verisk security analysts
- Performed static and dynamic vulnerability scanning for web applications and APIs, reviewed code in aforementioned vulnerabilities, and created reports and solutions for development teams
- Created slide decks and documents concerning code review guidelines and secure development best practices, based off the OWASP Top 10, to distribute to member company development teams
- Remediated phishing incidents, as well as identifying and analyzing spear phishing campaigns
- Managed ACLs for Checkmarx and AppSpider, which are used by different member organizations
- Wrote and maintained various in-house scripts, e.g. one to parse Checkmarx SAST scans, using Checkmarx API, and identify projects that violate Verisk application security policies

Cybersecurity Developer Intern

IBM | Research Triangle Park, NC | Jun 2019 - Aug 2019

- Automated majority of IBM's asset vulnerability publication process (*PSIRT*) by developing a REST handshake between ServiceNow and Content Management Systems (Drupal and WordPress)
- Developed in an Agile team, presenting biweekly deliverables to executives and stakeholders

Computer Support Technician Assistant

NYU Tisch School of the Arts | New York, NY | Jun 2018 - Mar 2019

- Deployed and troubleshooted computer software and hardware across school campus, working extensively with both Windows and Mac operating systems and applications
- Managed service desk and responded promptly and efficiently to user ticket queues, emphasizing clear communication to users with various levels of technical knowledge

Projects

Twitter Chatbot | Oct 2018 – Dec 2018

- Created a chatbot (Python) that would attempt to mimic Twitter personalities based on Tweets, scraped using Twitter APIs and JSON
- Designed and implemented the core logic of the chatbot's behavior, mainly using the Markov model **Watson Dermatological Condition Identifier** | Jul 10-12, 2019
- Developed an application that would utilize machine learning (OpenCV) to identify skin conditions
 Additional Skills & Interests
 - Currently studying for Security+ and CEH certifications, with OSCP and similar certs in the future
 - Interested in IoT devices security-wise. Misc. interests: Weightlifting, E-sports, Cars, Quidditch.