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SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

• Experienced in conducting investigations and planning, identifying financial crime risks, and ensuring compliance with regulatory frameworks, risk frameworks, and security standards.

• Proficient in deploying security tools, monitoring applications, creating activity reports, and facilitating incident management activities and operational activities within service level agreements.

• Skilled in collaborating with stakeholders, providing technical information security subject matter expertise, analysis and recommending process improvements for operational efficiency.

• Demonstrated ability to collaborate with internal teams, providing technical information security subject matter expertise and analysis and recommending process improvements for operational efficiency.

EDUCATION

Cybersecurity Graduate Certificate, Georgian CollegeSep 2023 - Aug 2024- Recipient of Dean's list- Aug 2024

 Bachelor of Computer Science, Sunway International Business School
 Apr 2018 - Jan 2022

- Delivered Cybersecurity Awareness program to over ten high schools, educating students on digital safety.

Risk Assessment & Compliance:	Knowledgeable in risk frameworks, regulatory requirements related to financial crimes, banking products, and services.
Security Tools & Applications:	CyberArk PAS, Next Gen Firewalls (PaloAlto, Fortinet), SIEM, IPS, Nessus, Wazuh, Splunk, VPN, DHCP, DNS, EnCase.
Network & System Administration:	TCP/IP, Windows Server, Active Directory, Group Policy, Office 365, VMware ESX, Windows 10.
Analytical & Problem-Solving:	Strong analytical abilities, critical thinking, troubleshooting, and issue resolution in high-pressure environments.
Communication & Collaboration:	Excellent verbal and written communication skills, interpersonal skills, and ability to collaborate with internal and external stakeholders.

CERTIFICATION

- CyberArk Defender
- PaloAlto Certified Network Certified Administrator

EXPERIENCE

Cyber Forensic Analyst (Co-op) BMO Financial Group

- Conducted internal forensic investigations to identify and report on financial crime activities, ensuring compliance with risk frameworks.
- Assisted in coordinating incident management activities, improving internal response processes and reducing resolution times.
- Developed and implemented automation scripts to streamline forensic processes, enhancing efficiency and accuracy.
- Monitored and maintained security tools and applications, creating reports to support trend analysis and threat identification.

• Azure Fundamentals (AZ-900)

• Fortinet Cybersecurity Associate

May 2024 - Present Barrie, Canada • Collaborated with internal teams, sharing technical expertise and promoting best practices in Information Security.

Customer Success Engineer (Network and Security)

Digital Network Solution

- Designed secure banking network infrastructures, conducted investigations, and mitigated risks by 25%, ensuring compliance with central bank standards and standard operating procedures.
- Conducted security research, revamped cybersecurity posture by 50%, aligned objectives, met service level agreements, and prioritized client satisfaction.
- Deployed, supervised, and provided technical support for CyberArk PAM, Cisco Router/Switches, and Firewall projects, ensuring enhanced security controls and timely issue resolution.
- Coordinated and facilitated incident management activities in the production environment, engaging third-party providers during incidents.

Senior IT Assistant

Manjushree Finance Limited

- Led the design and implementation of robust security measures following a disciplined and intelligence-based approach, reducing cyber risk by 40% and ensuring compliance with security guidelines.
- Administered servers, automated installations, security events, patch management, Microsoft 365, and windows domain environment for 99.99% uptime.
- Demonstrated strong troubleshooting skills, resolving 40% of technical issues and queries across various systems and software products.
- Configured GPO for software distribution, minimizing 30% of the team workload, assisting in the documentation of procedures and processes.
- Identified opportunities to strengthen the IT organization's capabilities, such as sharing expertise to promote technical development and mentoring employees.

Kathmandu, Nepal

Sep 2022 - Aug 2023

Aug 2020 - Sep 2022

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