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Penetration Tester

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SUMMARY

Penetration tester with 4 years of experience running network, web application and social engineering engagements for fintech and SaaS clients. Found a critical authentication bypass that could have exposed 50,000 customer accounts, and leads internal tooling that cut report writing time by a third. OSCP certified, comfortable presenting findings to both engineers and executives.

EXPERIENCE

Penetration Tester — Ferrovax Security Partners

Denver, CO · Feb 2023 – Present

- Led network and web application penetration tests for 18 fintech and SaaS clients, scoping engagements and presenting findings to both engineering teams and executives.
- Found a critical authentication bypass in a client's customer portal that could have exposed 50,000 account records; reported it within 4 hours and verified the emergency patch.
- Built a Python toolkit that automates recon and evidence collection for web app tests, cutting average report-writing time from 3 days to 2.
- Ran a phishing simulation against 600 employees at a regional bank, achieving a 22% click rate that justified a new security awareness program.

Junior Penetration Tester — Bastion Cyber Group

Denver, CO · Aug 2021 – Jan 2023

- Performed internal and external network penetration tests for 12 mid-market clients, identifying and helping remediate 140 vulnerabilities rated high or critical.
- Wrote proof-of-concept exploits for 9 confirmed SQL injection and cross-site scripting findings to demonstrate real business impact to clients.
- Supported senior testers on 3 red team engagements, handling initial access and persistence on Windows domains.

SKILLS

Testing: Burp Suite, Metasploit, Nmap, Nessus, OWASP ZAP, Cobalt Strike (basic)

Scripting: Python, Bash, PowerShell

Networks and systems: Active Directory, Windows and Linux hardening, TCP/IP, firewalls

Reporting and standards: OWASP Top 10, MITRE ATT&CK, PTES, executive and technical report writing

CERTIFICATIONS

OSCP (Offensive Security Certified Professional), 2022

CompTIA Security+, 2021

EDUCATION

B.S. Computer Science, University of Colorado Denver, 2021

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