# Sagnik Das

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# PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

A passionate Cybersecurity Specialist with hands-on expertise in penetration testing, OSINT, and digital forensics, proficient in tools like Kali Linux, Nmap, and SIEM solutions. A tech-driven explorer who loves solving complex security challenges, building innovative solutions, and hitting the road for new adventures

#### **EDUCATION**

Kalinga Institute of Industrial Technology | CSSE (B. Tech)

Bhubaneswar/ IND | **07/2021-07/2025** 

**Delhi Public School** | XII (Science)

*Kolkata*/ *IND* | **04/2019-04/2021** 

# **CERTIFICATIONS & EXTRA CURRICULAR**

CompTIA Security+ (Expected 04/25) / TryHackMe SOC L1

Google Cybersecurity Professional Certification. (See Credentials)

Qualys Vulnerability Management Detection and Response Specialist Certification (Exp. February 2027) (See Credentials)

**Forage Virtual Internships**: <u>Tata</u> Cybersecurity Security Analyst Job Simulation (Nov 2024)| <u>AIG</u> Shields Up: Cybersecurity Virtual Experience (Jan 2025)| <u>Mastercard</u> Cybersecurity Virtual Experience (Jan 2025). **Workshop:** ICDCIT Cyber Security & Generative AI workshop 2024

#### **EXPERIENCE**

Penetration Tester Intern | Academor (Certificate | RL)

Bengaluru. IND | 01/2024-02/2024

- Completed a month-long intensive training (45% theory 55% hands-on VAPT).
- Conducted a one-month (55%) hands-on Vulnerability Assessment and Penetration Testing (VAPT) on an authorized web application identifying 10+ critical and high-risk vulnerabilities including Cross-Site Scripting (XSS) SQL Injection and File Inclusion vulnerabilities using OWASP ZAP.
- Collaborated with developers to mitigate security vulnerabilities reducing risk exposure by 40% through secure coding and improved security configurations.

# **PROJECTS**

- Solid-State CPU Cooler Designed a piezoelectric jet-based CPU cooling system including a 3D-modeled prototype for efficient heat dissipation.
- Real-world VAPT Project Conducted a 2-week penetration test using OWASP ZAP | identifying 10+ vulnerabilities and reducing security risks by 40%.
- Developed a personal cybersecurity portfolio (sdevop.com) to showcase penetration testing | OSINT investigations| and vulnerability assessments.

#### **SKILLS**

**Programming Languages:** Python | Bash | Shell Scripting | JavaScript | HTML | CSS | C/C++ | Ruby | SQL

**SIEM & Log Analysis:** Splunk | Windows Event Viewer | Sysmon **Network Security & Traffic Analysis:** Wireshark | Zeek | Snort.

**Penetration Testing & Exploitation:** Nmap | Hydra | John the Ripper.

Threat Intelligence & Malware Analysis: VirusTotal | YARA Rules | Cisco Talos.

**Networking & Systems:** Kali Linux | Ubuntu | Windows Security (Sysinternals Suite).

**Development & Engineering:** Blender | Tinkercad.

Frameworks & Methodologies: MITRE ATT&CK | Cyber Kill Chain | NIST Cybersecurity Framework|

ISO 27001.

Hobbies: Tech-driven explorer languages: English (Professional), Hindi (Speaking), Bengali (Fluent)