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Work rights: Student visa (Subclass 500) – 48 hrs/fortnight in semester, unrestricted during breaks

CAREER PROFILE

Second-year Cyber Security student at Deakin University with a WAM of 81.5 (High Distinction average). Vice President of the Deakin University Cybersecurity Association (DUCA), leading a team of 40+ that runs Capture The Flag (CTF) competitions, technical talks and guest lectures for 80-100 attendees each. Seeking a cyber security internship or an entry-level SOC or IT support role.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Cyber Security | Deakin University, Burwood, VIC **Feb 2025 - Feb 2027 (expected)**

- WAM: 81.5 (High Distinction average)
- Relevant units: SIT325 – Advanced Network Security; SIT384 – Cyber Security Analytics; SIT282 – Computer Forensics and Investigations; SIT223 – Professional Practices in I.T.
- Key assessment (SIT325, Distinction): simulated a DDoS attack in a controlled lab and compared bandwidth and CPU use over TCP and UDP, with and without the attack.

Year 12 (Senior Secondary) | Apeejay School, Noida, India | Result: 85% **Apr 2010 - Mar 2024**

LEADERSHIP & CYBER SECURITY COMMUNITY

Vice President | Deakin University Cybersecurity Association (DUCA), Burwood **Sep 2025 - Present**

- Manage a team of 40+ people and follow up with each executive on their tasks so events run on time.
- Run 10+ events each trimester, mostly technical talks, guest lectures and CTFs, with around 80-100 people attending.
- Handle communication between members, university staff and our 7 industry sponsors.

Committee Member, DUCA **Mar 2025 - Sep 2025**

- Helped organise CTF competitions, technical talks and guest lectures for members.

Open Day Ambassador | Deakin University, Burwood **Aug 2026**

- Showed prospective students and their families around campus and answered their questions about courses.

EMPLOYMENT

Crew Member | McDonald's Burwood Highway, Burwood **Apr 2025 - Present**

- Take 200+ customer orders per shift, including during peak hours.
- Follow food safety, hygiene and cash handling procedures on every shift.

VOLUNTARY EXPERIENCE

Volunteer | CodeDay, Delhi, India **Sep 2024**

- Ran technical workshops and mentored 500+ participants in 2 days.
- Helped teams work through technical problems and refine their project ideas during the event.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Vice President (2023) and Senior Executive (2022), CODE Club | Apeejay School, Noida **Apr 2022 - Apr 2024**

- Led the planning of Dcrypt, the club's main cryptic hunt event, for 450+ participants from 12 schools.
- Ran the club's social media (500+ followers) and was the link between members, teachers and school administration.

Member, Interact Club | Apeejay School, Noida **Apr 2020 - Apr 2024**

- Organised blood donation camps and worked with the Rotary Club to donate used items to a special needs school.

AWARDS & CERTIFICATES

- Using Python to Interact with the Operating System, Google (Coursera) | View credential — Nov 2024
- Crash Course on Python, Google (Coursera) | View credential — Aug 2024
- 2nd Place, Cryptic Hunt, Silico Battles Tech Fest, Delhi (25 teams); our school also won the overall trophy — Oct 2023
- 3rd Place, Cryptic Hunt, Elithon Tech Fest, K.R. Mangalam World School, Greater Noida — Sep 2022
- 3rd Place, Movie Making (video editing), Incognito Tech Fest, Somerville School, Noida — Jun 2022

SKILLS

Security: Wireshark, Nmap, Kali Linux; CTF problem solving | **Programming & Web:** Python, C++, C#, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, React, Next.js, MySQL, MongoDB, Git, GitHub | **Tools:** Figma, Framer, Notion, WordPress, DaVinci Resolve, Microsoft Excel, Word, PowerPoint and Outlook | **Professional:** Team leadership, event planning, customer service