# Amireddy Shashank Reddy

# Summary

Cybersecurity enthusiast with hands-on experience in smart contract auditing, web application security, and cryptographic analysis. Actively involved in CTFs focused on real-world exploitation and vulnerability research.

#### Education

### Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham

2022 - Present

Kerala. India

Bachelor of Technology in Computer Science and Engineering (CGPA: 9.16)

Bengaluru, Karnataka

# Experience

**Team bi0s**Cryptanalyst & Blockchain Security Researcher

Nov 2023 - Present

• Conducted security research in cryptography and blockchain systems, focusing on vulnerability discovery and exploitation in Ethereum smart contracts.

- Audited smart contracts and developed attack vectors for issues such as reentrancy, delegatecall abuse, and flawed
  access control mechanisms.
- Performed advanced cryptanalysis of classical and modern ciphers through hands-on challenge development and competitive problem-solving.
- Part of the core CTF team, regularly solving challenges in weekly CTFs and mentoring new members in crypto and smart contract topics.

# Traboda CyberLabs

May 2024 - Dec 2024

Software Development & Security Intern

Kerala, India

- Authored and contributed cybersecurity challenges for Traboda Arena and AFRRIC CTF, a continent-wide CTF for Africa
- Conducted security research focused on cryptographic challenges and contributed to designing CTF problems.
- Assisted in infrastructure and server management for hosting national and international CTFs, including government-led events.
- Helped identify and patch vulnerabilities in internal applications, ensuring secure deployments and system integrity.

# **Projects**

#### Ethernaut - Smart Contract Security Lab | Solidity, Foundry

April 2025

- Completed all levels of OpenZeppelin's Ethernaut, a hands-on smart contract security wargame designed to simulate real-world vulnerabilities.
- Identified and exploited critical issues such as reentrancy, delegatecall misuse, tx.origin flaws, and improper access controls.
- Utilized Foundry for scripting and debugging exploits, reinforcing best practices in secure smart contract development.

# Advanced Audio Encryption System | Python, AES, Cellular Automata (Rule 30)

July 2024

- Designed and implemented a robust audio encryption system by combining AES with Rule 30 of cellular automata to enhance security and mitigate known cryptographic attacks.
- Demonstrated resistance to vulnerabilities traditionally associated with standalone AES through added entropy and nonlinear state evolution.
- Published and presented at the 15<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Computing, Communication and Networking Technologies (ICCCNT 2024); accepted by academic peer review.

#### Technical Skills

**Programming**: Python, C/C++, SageMath, Solidity, SQL

Security Tools: Foundry, OpenZeppelin, Ganache, Burp Suite, Wireshark, CyberChef

Developer Tools: Git, Docker, Remix IDE

# Certified Cyber Security Analyst (C3SA) – Premium Edition

August 2024

- View Credential Completed a hands-on cybersecurity training program covering Web, Network, OS, and Cloud exploitation.
- Gained experience with local cyber lab setup, attack simulation, and security operations fundamentals.
- Demonstrated skills in threat detection, vulnerability analysis, and basic penetration testing.

# Positions of Responsibilities

#### bi0sblr CTF Team | Team lead

July 2024 - Present

- bi0s is India's No. 1 ranked CTF team and Cyber Security research club since 2016.
- Executed performance improvement strategies with a focus on strategic thinking, analyzing strengths, and addressing areas for growth to meet evolving cybersecurity challenges.
- Spearheaded internal team recruitment drive, overseeing the recruitment of 15+ new members, aligning with team values and enhancing expertise.

#### bi0s Meetups | Organizer

- Part of the core organizing committee for 12+ high-impact cybersecurity meetups hosted at venues like Flipkart, Myntra, Meesho, Microsoft, and CloudSEK.
- Supported event planning, logistics, and speaker coordination for theme-based sessions on reverse engineering, malware analysis, exploit development, and GenAI security.
- Helped conduct monthly events engaging approx. 200 students and professionals from diverse domains in the cybersecurity community.

# Achievements

- Member of bi0s, India's top-ranked CTF team, actively participating in national and international cybersecurity competitions.
- Secured 3rd place in ShunyaCTF hosted by MIT-ADT Pune.
- Completed all levels of Ethernaut by OpenZeppelin using Foundry, showcasing smart contract security skills.
- Won 2nd prize in Forge GG Hackathon for developing an AR-based Instagram filter game.
- Won the Most Innovative Award in AI Hackathon conducted by IEEE Computational Intelligence Society.

#### Extracurricular

Cadet

# National Cadet Corps (NCC) - Air Force

June 2018 - May 2020

NCC

 Active NCC-Air Force participation, fostering discipline, leadership. Strengthened teamwork, problem-solving, and sense of responsibility, organized approaches. Gained valuable insights into the principles of aviation and military operations.