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Progressive security and management consultancy need to recruit a Network Security Professional to work within our Security Operations and IT Support function to manage the growing estate of clients' security infrastructures and review deployment to find areas of improvement.

Brief Description

Main duties include management, monitoring and configuration of firewalls, intrusion systems and security alerting systems, server and infrastructure support and occasional end user support requirements.

The Responsibilities:

You must be capable of performing: advanced security analysis; network and systems security assessments; security product evaluations; securing information systems; developing security, certification and accreditation documentation; certification testing; and other similar activities. Additionally you must be able to operate independently, perform some project management duties, and mentor other development team members.

To support the security activities of the security management team.

- Firewall configuration management and firewall configuration standards
- Firewall administration and firewall log
- Firewall security monitoring
- Network security operational management
- Firewall risk assessment and standards review, network and Internet platform risk and control
- Investigate security vulnerabilities and compliance of new and existing products and collaborate to define solutions, resolve the vulnerabilities, conduct security reviews and get product security clearance from security review boards.

Work Experience

To be a successful contributor to our team you must have;

- Worked as part of a network security & network support team delivering directly to end user clients
- Gained practical, hands on experience of Fortinet, Sonicwall, Checkpoint or Juniper series of firewall solutions.
- Proficiency in the operational management of security solutions, reviewing existing client security architectures and the documentation of security standards and firewall risk assessment.

THE MUST HAVES (skills & knowledge):

- Practical experience of managing multi vendor firewall implementations
- Education: Bachelor's Degree in Computer Science or similar field
- Minimum 5 years of industry experience and minimum 3 years' experience focusing on security and compliance.
- Expertise in security related Internet protocols such as IPSec, SSL/TLS and familiarity with common Internet protocols such as IP, TCP, UDP, RTP, DNS, HTTP, SIP
- Experience in technologies such as encryption, firewalls, intrusion prevention, authentication and authorization.
- Experience with security aspects of Cloud-Based SaaS products.
Excellent verbal and written communication skills

THE NICE TO HAVES:

- Knowledge and experience of server infrastructure
- Knowledge and experience of ISO/IEC 27001, PCI DSS & DPA standards
- CISSP (Certified Information Systems Security Professional), ISC2
- Practical experience of SIEM and log correlation systems
Experience of penetration testing and other security controls