

ÖMER CAN VURAL

Offensive Security Engineer

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Tech Stack : Red Team Operations • Vulnerability Management • Penetration Testing • C/C++ • Python • Security Tooling • Virtualization

ABOUT ME

Offensive Security Engineer and Systems Developer specializing in low-level vulnerability research, reverse engineering, and exploit development. With a strong foundation in C/C++ and systems architecture, I focus on dissecting complex systems from Kernel drivers to cryptographic software to discover zero-day vulnerabilities and develop precise proof-of-concepts.

EDUCATION

Erciyes University 09/2017 – 09/2023

Computer Engineering B.S.

Thesis : 8-Bit CPU and 8-Bit GPU Design

ASO Technical College 09/2012 – 06/2016

Mechatronics

CERTIFICATES

- TryHackMe – Offensive Pentest
- BTK Akademi – Uygulamalı Sızma Testi – 05/2023
- Cisco / CyberOps Associate – 04/2023
- Cisco / CCNAv7 – 01/2023
- Cisco / Introduction to Cyber Security – 12/2022
- Cisco / NDG Linux Unhatched – 12/2022

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Offensive Security & Red Teaming – Advanced

- Active Directory Attacks
- Web and Mobile App Penetration Testing
- Privilege Escalation

Vulnerability Assessment – Advanced

- Vulnerability Research
- Vulnerability Scan (Nexpose/Nessus, Manual Verification)
- Exploit Development
- CTEM Engineering

Software Development – Advanced

- C / C++ (CMake, gcc/g++, MSVC)
- Cross-Platform Development
- Embedded Software Development
- Qt, OpenSSL

Tooling & Automation – Advanced

- Python (Testing, Automation, Scripting)
- Virtualization (VBox, QEMU, Vmware)
- Bash & PowerShell Scripting

WORK EXPERIENCE

KKB – Kredi Kayıt Bürosu

Vulnerability Assessment and Penetration Tester

İstanbul – Türkiye

08/2023 – 05/2024

- Performing the distribution of Operating System and 3rd Party Application Patches and validation of security vulnerabilities. Following the vulnerability tickets and mitigate these vulnerabilities. Vulnerability management with Rapid7 Nexpose & Nessus.
- Designed and deployed a Python/Bash vulnerability triage system that processed Nexpose/Nessus and Nmap outputs for 8,000+ hosts, automatically creating 300+ prioritized remediation tickets and reducing critical vulnerabilities by 90%.
- Implemented PowerShell automation to apply CIS Benchmark configurations across 4,000+ Windows servers and endpoints.
- Supported red team operations by conducting Active Directory hardening, lateral movement validation and APT simulations. Performed 8+ web app (Burp Suite, Nikto, sqlmap e.g.) and 3+ mobile app penetration tests (Frida for SLL Pinning Bypass e.g.)

Baykar Technology

Engineering Intern – Cybersecurity

İstanbul – Türkiye

07/2023 – 08/2023

- Developed plug-ins for an internal cryptographic tools and security tools for tooling suite with C/C++.
- Conducted research on vulnerability impacts on enterprise services, documented vulnerability cases and recommended mitigations.

Z-Sistem Aviation and Informatics Industry

Engineering Intern – Embedded Systems

Ankara – Türkiye

10/2022 – 12/2022

- Contributed to PX4 autopilot modules (C/C++, CMake) and developed a custom mission system and emergency handling and validated related modules via Gazebo simulation.
- Implemented MAVLink modules and QGroundControl integrations to ensure reliable telemetry for mission profiles.

PROJECTS

CVE-2025-54110 Windows Kernel Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability Crash-Only PoC

09/2025

I analyzed the August and September 2025 Windows security patches (MSU/CAB extraction, hash comparison, Ghidra Version Tracking, and BinDiff) to identify kernel changes and built a Crash-only PoC for CVE-2025-54110 Kernel EoP Vulnerability. (C, Reverse Engineering, Vulnerability Research)

Veraser – Secure File Delete Plug-in for VeraCrypt & Independent CLI Tool

08/2025

Implemented a cross-platform CLI utility and a VeraCrypt plug-in to provide secure file overwrite and deletion options. Focused on secure wiping algorithms and integration tests, ensuring data irrecoverability against common forensic tools. (C/C++, OpenSSL, VeraCrypt, OpenSource Contribution)

HiddenRoute – Proxy for Anonymity Solution

06/2025

Built a VM based network tunnel forwarding host traffic through Tor with DNS-leak protection and adblock features. Validated isolation and performance for security research use-cases. (C++, Multithreading, Qt, VirtualBox COM APIs, Virtualization)

8-Bit CPU on FPGA with VHDL & 8-Bit GPU with Logical ICs

08/2022

The CPU designed and tested on Vivado and consists of two main parts, CPU and memory. VGA-compatible GPU consists two counter blocks for vertical and horizontal synchronization were created from logical ICs (VHDL, FPGA, Logic Design, Xilinx, Vivado)

Flight Controller Software for VTOL on STM32

02/2022

Developed flight controller software for VTOL using MPU6050 gyro and BMP180 pressure sensors. The original drivers, the PID algorithm, and more were coded with HAL library. (C, STM32, Firmware Development, Driver Development)

Real-Time Object Tracking With Image Processing

05/2021

Developed a real-time object tracking system using Python/OpenCV and Arduino-controlled pan-tilt mechanism. The object selected by user with using computer and was tracked. Images were processed with seven different algorithm. (Python, OpenCV, Serial Lib)

REFERENCES

Saim Vedat Şahin

Head of Enterprise Risk Management – KKB – Kredi Kayıt Bürosu

References available upon request

Fehim Köylü

Computer Engineering Assistant Professor – Erciyes University

References available upon request

LANGUAGES

Turkish

• Native Language

English

• English – C1 (Professional working proficiency)

HOBBIES

- RC Planes
- Software Reverse Engineering
- Beekeeping
- Drawing

ADDITIONAL

- Relocation intercity or international is not a problem for me.
- B, B1, M, F type driver's license.