



Ethan Parker

Chief Technology Officer - Cybersecurity

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SUMMARY

Driven Chief Technology Officer with over 12 years in cybersecurity. Proven ability to lead cross-functional teams and develop innovative solutions emphasizing security and efficiency. Skilled in shaping technology strategies and best practices in architecture, ensuring compliance with enterprise standards. Expertise includes guiding organizations through transitions, collaborating on impactful projects, and championing responsible AI adoption. Passionate about translating complex ideas into actionable guidance for diverse teams. Eager to make a difference by fostering environments where security meets innovation, setting frameworks that sustain growth and trust.

STRENGTHS

- Visionary Leadership**
Cultivated an environment where diverse teams thrive together, driving innovation and trust while giving teams ownership.
- Strategic Collaboration**
Fostered partnerships across teams to ensure alignment, achieving shared objectives and collective success recognized by peers.
- Security Architecture Design**
Transformed complex security needs into clear frameworks, making it easier for teams to implement high-security standards seamlessly.
- Adaptive Problem-Solving**
Navigated evolving project demands, turning challenges into opportunities while maintaining focus on stakeholder needs.
- Mentorship & Development**
Committed to guiding future leaders; facilitated workshops and coaching sessions boosting team skills and confidence.

SKILLS

Cybersecurity Architecture

AI Implementation

Strategic Planning

Cross-Functional Leadership

Solution Design

Enterprise Architecture

Project Management

EXPERIENCE

Chief Technology Officer - Cybersecurity

Innovative Tech Solutions | June 2023 - Present | Seattle, WA

Oversee the vision and direction of the company's cybersecurity department, setting technical directives critical to securing enterprise assets. Lead initiatives focused on modernizing architecture and establishing agile approaches across capabilities and teams.

- Established a new cybersecurity organization shaping strategic technology agenda.
- Developed scalable architecture patterns ensuring secure digital solutions.
- Collaborated with Digital Technology teams, streamlining design processes.
- Championed responsible AI adoption, improving operational efficiency.

Senior Cybersecurity Architect

Tech Innovations Inc. | January 2019 - May 2023 | Portland, OR

Drove cybersecurity initiatives across major enterprise projects to elevate overall security posture. Provided critical architectural insights bridging product development and security compliance.

- Designed cybersecurity solutions for large-scale enterprise applications.
- Guided product teams in adopting industry security standards and best practices.
- Engaged with new digital products at early stages, generating secure designs.
- Conducted security audits ensuring adherence to regulatory requirements.

LEADERSHIP & AWARDS

- Recognized as Innovator of the Year by Innovative Tech Solutions.
- Received Cybersecurity Excellence Award for outstanding contributions to enhancing organizational security.

EDUCATION

Master of Science in Cybersecurity

University of Washington | GPA: 3.8 | 2016 | Seattle, WA

Coursework: Network Security, Risk Management, Incident Response, Cryptography

CERTIFICATIONS

- Certified Information Systems Security Professional (CISSP) | 2018
- Certified Information Security Manager (CISM) | 2019

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Architecture Frameworks:** TOGAF, Zachman, SABSA
- Cybersecurity Tools:** Palo Alto, Splunk, Nessus
- Development Methodologies:** Agile, DevOps
- Cloud Platforms:** AWS, Azure, Google Cloud
- Compliance Standards:** NIST, ISO 27001, GDPR
- Collaboration Tools:** JIRA, Confluence, Slack

Cloud Security Incident Response

Threat Assessment

Risk Management

Vulnerability Analysis

Compliance Standards

Data Protection

DevSecOps Practices

- **Threat Intelligence Platforms:** Recorded Future, ThreatConnect
- **Incident Response Plans:** IRP Development, Tabletop Exercises, Playbooks
- **Programming Languages:** Python, Java, C++
- **Data Encryption Technologies:** AES, RSA, PKI

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Active member of the Cloud Security Alliance fostering community engagement.
- Volunteer speaker at local tech meetups promoting best practices in cybersecurity.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Work Status : Authorized to work in United States. No sponsorship required.

REFERENCES

AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

LANGUAGES

English Native

Spanish Proficient

MY CAREER



- Chief Technology Officer - Cybersecurity at Innovative Tech Solutions (2.9 Years)

- Senior Cybersecurity Architect at Tech Innovations Inc. (4.3 Years)