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# Example of Defense Analyst Job Description

Our company is growing rapidly and is hiring for a defense analyst. Thank you in advance for taking a look at the list of responsibilities and qualifications. We look forward to reviewing your resume.

## Responsibilities for defense analyst

* Investigate escalations from the Alert Validation team
* Individual will also perform development, updates, and benchmarking/anchoring of BMDS M&S tools, as necessary to support system analysis tasks
* Individual will coordinate analysis activities and products with functional group leads and/or senior management responsible for executing analysis tasks
* The individual will document analysis results in reports and briefings to be presented to the Missile Defense Agency Engineering Team – Industry (MET-I) and Missile Defense Agency (MDA) representatives
* Monitor threat intelligence sources to guide detection
* Consult with senior engineers, data architects, and developers to ensure effective security is achieved across the enterprise technologies
* Keep current with security technologies and make recommendations for use based on value
* Collaborate with members of the technical architecture community to ensure successful implementation of cyber defense strategies that align and support the enterprise
* Act as a key cyber defense strategic advisor to the IT Leadership Team, and other key stakeholders regarding security initiatives, risk mitigation, and compliance
* Act as the lead for Incident Response for security incidents across the global enterprise

## Qualifications for defense analyst

* Willing to work in a team-oriented 24/7 CDT environment
* Knowledge of common vulnerabilities and related attack vectors, including OWASP Top 10 and CWE/SANS Top 25
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* Ability to produce client-ready deliverables
* 5+ years of experience with planning USMC operations and exercises
* Experience with amphibious exercises and operations and humanitarian assistance and disaster relief operations