2023 KSA List FINAL (1) Cybersecurity

Cybersecurity for Curriculum Alignment

7. Incident Response					
KSA Description	Knowledge, Skill, or Ability?	Bloom's Taxonomy Level?	Cross-cutting KSAs	Course Number/Name	Learning Outcome
Understand the concept of a Cybersecurity Operations Center (CSOC).and how network					
a security is implemented in the CSOC	Knowledge	2			
b Understand log filtering and aggregation.	Knowledge	2			
c Understand SIEM technology.	Knowledge	2			
d Understand the role of alert signatures.	Knowledge	2			
e Run queries on event data.	Ability	3			
f Understand forensics and chain of custody.	Knowledge	2			
g Apply procedures and workflow of ticketing.	Skill	3			
h Apply situational awareness.	Skill	3			
Apply Incident Response procedures (e.g. preparation, incident identification, escalation and notification, mitigation steps, lessons learned, reporting, recovery procedures, first					
i responder, incident isolation, quarantine, device removal, and data breach).	Skill	3			
j Construct a timeline of a cybersecurity incident.	Ability	3			
k Implement a recovery procedure.	Skill	3			
Conduct periodic cybersecurity training exercises.	Skill	3			
Differentiate between detection controls and prevention controls (e.g., IDS vs. IPS, camera					
m vs. guard).	Knowledge	4			
n Create, edit and use roles and system management tools.	Ability	3			
o Implement Access Control Lists (ACL).	Skill	3			
p Deploy a server hardening plan.	Skill	3			
q Implement a Network Access Control (NAC) plan.	Skill	3			
r Interpret alarms and alert trends.	Skill	2			
s Differentiate between types of enetration testing (e.g., Black box, White box, Gray box).	Knowledge	4			

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