

Homework

Own your SOC lead role: draft a 90-day plan, build a metrics dashboard, and present to a stakeholder.

Task 1 — 90-Day SOC Plan

Objective: Expand the capstone's plan into a real 90-day document you could present.

Instructions:

- Monthly goals, weekly milestones, owners
- Budget asks with justification
- Risk section (what derails the plan)

Deliverable: A 1500-word `90-day-plan.md`.

Task 2 — Metrics Dashboard Mock

Objective: Sketch a 5-panel SOC metrics dashboard.

Instructions:

- Panels: MTTD, MTTR, FP rate, coverage %, top incidents
- Include the data source for each
- Include the alert threshold for each

Deliverable: A markdown mock with one paragraph per panel.

Task 3 — Stakeholder Presentation

Objective: Write the 5-minute CISO talk track that accompanies your 90-day plan.

Instructions:

- Slide-by-slide narrative, no more than 5 slides
- Lead with the one decision you need from the CISO
- Anticipate 3 hard questions and have answers

Deliverable: A `ciso-brief.md` with talk track and Q&A prep.