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As an Aggie Student Veteran pursuing a degree in Computing with a concentration in Cybersecurity, my journey reflects a blend of military and academic rigor. I am initially from Leander, TX which is a suburb just north of Austin. I served as a Staff Sergeant in the U.S. Marine Corps from 2012-2022, where I honed my skills in digital communications and embassy security, contributing to national security and diplomatic relations. It was an honor and a privilege to contribute to our nation's safety and prosperity across various global locations including Japan, South Korea, The Philippines, Namibia, Sudan, Djibouti, South Africa, Paraguay, and Northern Virginia.

Transitioning to academia, the resilience and adaptability I developed in the Marine Corps have been instrumental in my academic journey, particularly in cybersecurity. My experience in safeguarding sensitive information aligns seamlessly with my current academic focus, underscoring the importance of protecting digital frontiers.

In my current role as the Operations Manager for the Veterans Evaluation of Talents + Matching Assistance Program (VET+MAP) non-profit organization, I extend this commitment to service, guiding fellow veterans to find purpose-aligned ambitions, leveraging my innate talents and values to maximize my impact in my community. My Learner trait is evident in my thirst for knowledge, while my Achiever nature drives me towards excellence in all endeavors. Analytically, I approach problems with logic and data, a skill critical in cybersecurity. My Restorative ability aids in resolving challenges, and my Futuristic vision keeps me focused on long-term goals.

My personal values – Efficiency, Courage, Diligence, Dependability, and Responsibility – are the bedrock of my personal and professional life. They guide my actions and decisions, ensuring that I remain committed to creating a safer, more secure future in the realm of cybersecurity. My journey is a testament to the integration of talents and values, shaping a career path that is not just a profession but a continuation of my service to the nation.