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# David Bau
*SOC Analyst L1*

**CompTIA Security+ CERTIFIED — Plus Series**

## Employment

**QA Analyst** | **EA Sports** | **Nov 2024 – July 2025**

- **Monitored** systems and internal **dashboards** to identify **potential issues**.
- **Improved incident tracking**, **boosting** response **speed** and **accuracy** overall.
- Streamlined collaboration for **faster issue escalation** and resolution.
- **Enhanced reporting** clarity with **structured** daily regression **summaries**.
- Attended overview **meetings** on team tasks and **optimization strategies.**
- **Reported** findings clearly in both **English** and **Romanian.**

**IT Technician** | **Piratech Operations** | **Dec 2022 – Nov 2024**

- Ensured **optimal performance** and **reliability** of all technical **equipment**.
- **Diagnosed and resolved** hardware and software **issues** efficiently.
- **Monitored** system security and **ensured** device **integrity**.
- Supported website setup and **contributed to development** work.

## Personal Projects

**[TryHackMe](#) - Hands On Cybersecurity Experience** | **May 2025 - Present**

- Top **7% global ranking**
- Completed **various rooms** on **threat detection** and **incident response**.
- Practiced **log analysis**, **network monitoring**, and **vulnerability scanning**.
- **Gained hands-on skills** in both **defensive** and **offensive** security.
- Currently preparing for **SAL1** (TryHackMe's Blue Team certification).

**Freelance - Various Websites [(Portofolio)](#)** | **May 2022 – Present**

- Worked as a Freelance Web Developer and **Full Stack Developer** for firms.
- **Created** websites from scratch, **optimized** existing ones, **resolved** issues.
- Contributed to **all phases** of the development lifecycle with **security** in mind.

**[Cisco Networking Academy](#)** | **Jan 2023 - Present**

- **Completed** learning **paths** in **networking**, **cybersecurity**, and **system defense**.
- **Studied** core networking concepts: TCP/IP, routing, and network protocols.
- **Gained foundational knowledge** in firewalls, VPNs, and access control.
- Learned to **identify and mitigate** common network **security threats**.
- **Applied secure** network design **principles** in virtual lab environments.

## Education

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| **IMAPA** | **USAMV (IFR)** | **2023-2027** |
| **Atelierele ILBAH** | **Full Stack Developer Bootcamp** | **2025-2026** |

## Certificates

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|---|---|---|
| [Security+](#) | **CompTIA** | **Sept 2025** |
| [The Complete SQL Bootcamp](#) | **Udemy** | **Oct 2024** |
| [Web Development Bootcamp](#) | **Udemy** | **Sept 2024** |
| [JS Algorithms & Structures](#) | **freeCodeCamp** | **Dec 2023** |
| [Responsive Web Design](#) | **freeCodeCamp** | **Dec 2023** |

## Skills

• Threat Detection • Incident Response • Log Analysis • SIEM Monitoring •
• Vulnerability Assessment • Network Security • System Hardening • JavaScript • HTML5 • CSS •

## Tools & Technologies

• Wireshark • Splunk • Nmap • Burp Suite • Gobuster • Hydra • Metasploit • Autopsy •
•PowerShell • Linux • ISO 27001 • MITRE ATT&CK • NIST Frameworks •