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About Me

I am an avid learner, daily Linux user, and innovative researcher. I am looking forward to learning new skills and to applying my talents to InfoSec.

Education

Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania

B.S. in Digital Forensics GPA: 3.7 GPA Major: 3.83

Areas of Interest: Security, Penetration Testing, Memory Forensics, Social Engineering

B.A. in Anthropology GPA: 3.7 GPA Major: 3.74

Areas of Interest: Cultural Anthropology, Digital Anthropology, Cyberethnograpghy Clubs

Bloomsburg University Digital Forensics Club, Spring 2013 to present Bloomsburg University Cyber-defense Club, Fall of 2013 to present Association of Computing Machinery Club, Fall 2015 to present

Skills:

Digital Forensics

Worked multiple realistic Windows cases in class

Access Data Certified Examiner (ACE)

Can perform a disk acquisition using write blockers

Experience with disk encryption and password cracking

Tools: EnCase, FTK, Autopsy, X-Ways, Scalpel, Bulk Extractor

Incident Response

Worked multiple realistic incident response cases in class

Comfortable with memory forensics and memory acquisition

Performed log, network and cloud forensics

Tools: Volatility, F-Response, Log2Timeline, Splunk, Sawmill, Wireshark

Penetration Testing

Have done a small scale pentest in class

Experienced attacking wireless including WPA2-Enterprise

Experienced with network reconnaissance

Tools: Metasploit, NeXpose, Recon-ng, Aircrack-ng, Hydra, Hashcat

Programming

Comfortable in Python, Java and Rust

Some experience with C/C++, Golang and assembly

Scripting experience with Bash, CMD.exe and Powershell

Social Engineering

Trained as a social scientist
Practical in person research experience
Cultural perspective on vulnerable behaviors

Conference Presentations

2015 Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education

Undergraduate Anthropology Research Conference

Paper: The Pool Is Always Closed: 4Chan's Legacy in Modern Activism

2015 Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania

College of Liberal Arts Research and Creative Projects Day

Paper:Total Freedom on the Dark-Side of the Internet:

A Cyber-Ethnography of 4Chan.org

2014 American Anthropological Association annual conference

Poster: Total Freedom on the Dark-Side of the Internet:

A Cyber-Ethnography of 4Chan.org

2014 The Susquehanna Valley Undergraduate Research Symposium

Poster: Total Freedom on the Dark-Side of the Internet:

A Cyber-Ethnography of 4Chan.org

2013 Frederick Douglass Undergraduate Interdisciplinary Conference.

Paper: Showing off to get a mate

Conference Attendance

2015 Grrcon

2013 Open Source Digital Forensics Conference

Work and Volunteering

Interned as assistant IT professional at EBC Berwick,

June 1st 2014 to July 24th 2014

Delivery Driver. Worked as part of a sales team serving the public

June 2013 to September 2015

Assistant Scout Master at BSA Troop 9 Saint Mary's Berwick PA

December 2010 to January 2013

Volunteer Sound Tech at EBC Bloomsburg,

October 2012 to June 2013