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### Education

# University of Texas at San Antonio

January 2024 – January 2026

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, GPA: 4.0/4.0

San Antonio. Texas

#### Relevant Coursework

• Database System

• Software Engineering

- Algorithms Analysis
  - Computer Architecture
- Operating System

• Systems Programming

- Cybersecurity Principles
- Cloud Computing

# **Projects**

#### Morse & Cipher - Translation and Encryption Tool | Python, AES Encryption, PHP, JavaScript

March 2025

- Engineered a web application that converts text to Morse code and supports secure encryption/decryption using AES algorithms.
- Built a responsive front-end using HTML/CSS and JavaScript, enabling real-time Morse code translation and encryption interactions for enhanced user experience.
- Enhanced data security by integrating AES encryption in Python, ensuring confidentiality and integrity of user messages for secure communication.
- Integrated PHP for back-end processing and AJAX for dynamic content updates between the front-end and back-end.

### Cybersecurity Assessment - Mock Audit | NIST Framework, Risk Management

December 2024

- Led a comprehensive cybersecurity assessment for a simulated R&D company specializing in EV charging technology, applying the NIST Cybersecurity Framework (Identify, Protect, Detect, Respond, Recover).
- Conducted security audits on network infrastructure, physical security, remote access policies, and data handling, identifying 7+ critical vulnerabilities and proposing mitigation strategies.
- Analyzed shared server risks, weak access control policies, and VPN security gaps, recommending Multi-Factor Authentication (MFA) and Mobile Device Management (MDM) for improved security.
- Performed hardware and software risk evaluations, identifying unregulated software installations on company workstations and developing policy recommendations to enforce security standards.
- Compiled a 20+ page executive report detailing risk assessments and security improvement plans, mirroring real-world cybersecurity consulting practices.

#### Medusa Gym - E-commerce website | PHP, MySQL, JavaScript, HTML, CSS

December 2024

- Designed and built a full-stack e-commerce platform for gym equipment, integrating a MySQL database with PHP for server-side logic and JavaScript for client-side interactivity.
- Implemented secure user authentication with PHP password hashing to mitigate SQL injection risks.
- Developed a responsive UI for both web and mobile using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript, with real-time cart updates and sortable product listings.
- Designed a scalable MySQL database to support 100+ user accounts, 10+ product categories, and transactional data (orders, receipts, promo codes) optimized with indexed keys.
- Built an admin dashboard for managing inventory, discount codes, and user orders, supporting real-time CRUD operations, accessible to only admin users.
- Led sprint-based development in a team of 5, completing 6+ major features across 4 Agile iterations, including checkout flow, order tracking, and discount system.

## Experience

# Amazon, Inc

February 2024 – January 2025

 $Logistic\ Associate$ Austin, Texas

- Troubleshot and resolved inventory system discrepancies, ensuring 100% accuracy in tracking warehouse assets.
- Conducted quality assurance inspections on 200+ items daily, identifying and resolving 100 % of defects.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams to streamline packaging and shipping processes, enhancing workflow efficiency.
- Demonstrated strong time management skills by consistently processing 260+ units per hour, maintaining operational efficiency while ensuring on-time shipments.

#### Technical Skills

Languages: Python, Java, JavaScript, C/C++, C#, HTML/CSS, PHP, SQL

Cybersecurity Models & Frameworks: NIST Cybersecurity Framework, MITRE ATT&CK, Risk Management, Incident Response

Technologies/Frameworks: Microsoft Office, Windows OS, Linux, GitHub, VPN Config