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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Cybersecurity

May 2025

University of Central Missouri

Activities: Upsilon Pi Epsilon, Tau Kappa Epsilon

Cybersecurity Trimester Abroad

Griffith University, Queensland, Australia

Jul. 2024 – Oct. 2024

Focus: Digital Forensics

WORK EXPERIENCE

IT Support Specialist - Former Cybersecurity Analyst Intern | Lead Bank

Jun. 2022 - Present

- Mitigated a 0-day SSL/TLS vulnerability affecting **200**+ devices by deploying targeted PowerShell scripts and coordinating network-wide updates via Intune
- Designed and implemented a Jira-based IT ticketing system handling 1,500+ tickets annually, streamlining internal workflows and saving \$3K/month through optimized planning and use of native Atlassian features
- Authored **50**+ technical SOPs and end-user guides, cutting training time for new IT hires by over **50%** and reducing support documentation requests
- Scaled infrastructure from **200 to 390**+ users by managing accounts, security policies, and endpoint deployments across hybrid environments, ensuring secure, seamless access for a growing workforce.

Delivery Crew Lead | Lee's Summit Slide Rentals

May 2015 – Aug. 2023

• Led a crew of 5 in coordinating weekly inflatable deliveries for **15+ events**, ensuring smooth setup logistics through strong teamwork, verbal communication, and customer-focused problem-solving

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Housing Development Committee Chair | Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity

Nov. 2023 – May 2024

• Collected **30**+ member suggestions using a QR code, researching cost, and driving awareness of maintenance and development issues despite a limited operational budget to committee members

Co-Founder & President | Chess Club UCM

Oct. 2023 - Jan. 2024

- Led team of 5 executives to host weekly chess matches with 35+ members and securing funding
- Coordinated chess tournaments and teaching new members basic strategy

Philanthropy Volunteer | Tau Kappa Epsilon

Aug. 2022 – Nov. 2023

• Supported tabling and event planning to help raise \$18,000+ for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital

COMPETITIONS

Cyber Skyline National Cyber Security Competition | Top 8 Worldwide, 1st in Cryptography

Feb. 2023

• Competed solo in a team-based CTF event across 6+ domains, including Linux, OSINT & Encryption

MOREnet Missouri Cybersecurity Challenge | Finalist

2023

• Recognized in a statewide cybersecurity challenge for technical performance

CyberPatriot Team Leader | Semi-Finalist

2017-2023

• Led Windows & Linux system hardening tasks in a national youth cyber defense competition

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Certifications: TestOut IT Fundamentals Pro, Network Pro, Routing & Switching Pro, Security Pro, Jira

Fundamentals Badge, Get the Most Out of Confluence, ISO 27001:2022 Foundations Course

Operating Systems: Windows, Windows Server, Ubuntu, Debian, Linux, Cisco IOS

Languages & Scripting: Python, Java, HTML/CSS, PowerShell, Bash, JOL

Tools & Platforms: Microsoft 365, G Suite, Active Directory, Intune, AWS, Azure, Jira, Confluence, Wireshark **Cybersecurity:** Threat detection & mitigation, vulnerability management, secure configuration, endpoint protection