

Joe Blakeslee

Manager, Security Systems



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STRENGTHS

- **Technology Management**
- Data Management
- Reporting & Auditing
- Training Development
- Security Engineering
- Workflow Efficiency
- **Operational Security**
- **Process Improvement**
- System Testing & Validation
- Project Influence & Execution
- **Budget Management**
- Collaborative Work
- **Data Evaluation & Metrics**
- Service & Customer Support
- Security Technology
- ✓ Policy & Training
- Automation & Integration
- ✓ Planning and Strategic Thinking

EDUCATION

Business Administration / Bachelors Misericordia University Graduate / 2013 / 3.8GPA

Criminal Justice / Associates Northampton Community College Graduate / 2006

PASSION, DEDICATION, INTEREST, KNOWLEDGE.

These are the attributes that drive me and what I strive to accomplish every day.

Solution-driven, proactive, and accomplished Security Systems Manager with a consistent history of exceeding goals and successfully collaborating with key stakeholders to drive organizational objectives.

<u>EXPE</u>RIENCE

Manager, Security Systems & Technology

Sanofi / Swiftwater, PA / 2014-Present

Provide management, technical, & project support for security systems & applications for North America and Global systems including: Mass Notification, Visitor Management, Physical Access Control, Fire Alarm and Environmental Monitoring Systems, Camera Systems, Service Tickets, Radio Infrastructure, & more.

- Collaborate with leadership and coworkers to develop and implement processes for program enhancements throughout the organization while coordinating technology changes and improvements.
- Lead the managing, configuring, and change management for multiple business applications, some of which are regulated and validated (including user acceptance testing (UAT)).
- Develop and create business requirements, functional design specifications, and training as it relates to applications, operations, and processes.
- Manage over 200 service tickets monthly for security repair services for North America while maintaining budget.
- Act as local site liaison for any system, technology, or operational policy and procedures related to security and security technology.

Key Results:

- Directly manage \$1+ million+ budget for local site including vendor contracts, RFP's, & negotiations (Remained within budget since inception of responsibility).
- Reduced training time for operational staff by implementing and managing security overlay application and building procedures into the application.
- Develop, design, and coordinate all new construction capital projects for security, fire, hazard, and cameras installations.

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PROJECTS

Mass Notification System

Scoped, Design, & Implemented in order to replace multiple current systems. Rolled out to entire North America group.

Visitor Management System

Replaced Global VMS with new web based system that was able to reduce check-in time & provided 100% data accuracy that was not possible prior.

Security Overlay Application

Alarm & Situational Awareness monitoring from multiple systems into one platform, which also reduced training time significantly for staff.

Multiple System Installations

Installation, conversions and upgrades from legacy Access control, Fire, & CCTV systems, to new & current systems throughout North America.

EXPERIENCE (CONT.)

Security Systems Specialist

Sanofi / Swiftwater, PA / 2007-2014

- Technical support & Subject Matter Expert for various security applications.
- Reduced security system nuisance alarms by over 50%.
- Managed & coordinated processes between technology and operations.
- Coordinated, scoped, and supported all security repair services and new project installations.
- Provide training and developed standards for Security related systems.
- Participated as an Emergency Operations Center Member (Communication Specialist).
- Reconfigured and upgraded Security Operations Center for future use.

Security Officer / Security Operations Center Lead

Allied Barton Security / Sanofi / Swiftwater, PA / 2006-2007

- Provided services through the Security Operations Center, providing customer service to all employee's and visitors to the site, managing systems and responding to multiple facility alarms on a regular basis.
- Coordinating with local site to establish procedures and operational guides.

<u>ACHIEVEMENTS</u> <u>PERSONAL STATEMENT</u>

Directed

Security, Fire, & Camera installation of a new state-of-the-art BSL₃ Facility between 2017-2019, including licensure and audit by government.

Reduced

Security service administration workload by implementing new service ticket process and automation.

Organized

With team to complete a drone security program at campus facilities.

Proven leader with strong experience and background in technology, process improvement and project management. Passionate about technology and business results while never compromising customer, partner and team relationships. Strategic thinker who works well with systems, understands data, and can disseminate information effectively. Reputed as personable team builder with strong communication skills who is adept at cultivating positive relationships that build credibility, loyalty for long-term relations, satisfaction, and retention.