

Kyser J. Clark – Penetration Tester

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Secret Clearance | Available: April 23, 2024 | Current Location: Anchorage, Alaska | Highly Relocatable

Career Summary

I am a passionate cybersecurity professional with over five years of active duty U.S. Air Force cyber defense operations experience specializing in offensive security, ethical hacking, penetration testing, and red teaming. I want to transition out of the military and into the private sector. **My mission is to make cyberspace better & safer for everyone by committing to lifelong learning, sharing knowledge with the community, and inspiring others to do the same.**

- B.S. Cybersecurity (WIP)
- OSEP (WIP)
- OSCP
- CISSP
- eJPT
- CEH
- PenTest+
- CySA+
- CCNA
- Cloud+
- Linux+
- Security+
- Network+
- Devoted CTF Player

Core Competencies & Skills

- Security Assessment Tools & Techniques
- System, Network, & Web App Exploitation
- Threat & Vulnerability Analysis
- Frameworks & Methodologies
- Governance, Risk, & Compliance (GRC)
- Cloud Computing & Virtualization
- Automation, Programming, & Scripting
- Architecture & Infrastructure Security
- Troubleshooting & Problem Solving
- Reporting & Communication Skills

Professional Experience

Cyber Defense Operations (1D771) – Active Duty United States Air Force – Worldwide

April 2018 – Present

- Led network inspection; identified 105 errors to harden system security, enabling 1,500 Air Mobility missions.
- Managed six classified message incidents; sanitized secret data leaks for 57 systems generating 15,600 sorties.
- Managed Squadron IT Asset program; inventoried/tracked 400 items valued at \$600,000 across six facilities.
- Admin for Global Air Transportation and Execution System; supported 150 workstations & 183 system users.
- Technician for 3,100 joint service personnel with access to a telecommunications network worth \$55 million.
- Coordinated workflow by synchronizing seven work centers and completed 5,000 trouble tickets in two years.
- Sustained 8,000 network devices enabling 43 F-16 fighter aircraft furthering North Korean nuclear deterrence.

Construction Laborer – Full Time Apache Industrial Services – Canton, Ohio

August 2013 – April 2018

- Painting, sandblasting, fireproofing, asbestos abatement, and lead abatement in oil refineries & chemical plants.

Education

Bachelor of Science (BS) in Cybersecurity Management & Policy (WIP)
University of Maryland Global Campus (UMGC)
Minor in Business Administration | 3.91 GPA

(Projected) August 2023 (114/120 Credits)

Associate of Science (AS) in Information Systems Technology
Community College of the Air Force (CCAF)

October 2022

Professional Certifications

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| OffSec Experienced Penetration Tester (OSEP) (WIP) | (Projected) August 2023 |
| OffSec Certified Professional (OSCP) | May 2023 |
| (ISC)² Certified Information Systems Security Professional (CISSP) | October 2022 |
| eLearnSecurity Junior Penetration Tester (eJPT) | February 2023 |
| CompTIA Network Security Professional (CNSP) Security+ / PenTest+ / Cybersecurity Analyst (CySA+) | December 2022 |
| EC-Council Certified Ethical Hacker (CEH) | January 2023 |
| Cisco Certified Network Associate (CCNA) | September 2021 |
| CompTIA Secure Cloud Professional (CSCP) Security+ / Cloud+ | November 2022 |
| CompTIA Cloud Admin Professional (CCAP) Network+ / Cloud+ | November 2022 |
| CompTIA Linux Network Professional (CLNP) Network+ / Linux+ | October 2021 |

You can get certification verification links at [KyserClark.com/resume](https://kyserclark.com/resume) or linkedin.com/in/KyserClark.

Capture the Flags (CTFs) & Projects

Hack The Box app.hackthebox.com/profile/766179

- HTB Rank: Hacker
- 10 System Owns
- Beta Season Place: 82/5398 (Top 1.6%) - Platinum Tier

TryHackMe tryhackme.com/p/KyserClark

- In the top 0.2%
- 215 rooms completed
- Level 13 – God (max)
- 29 badges
- Ten learning path certs
- 359-day ongoing streak
- [Two room writeups](#)

100 Days of Code (Python) kyserclark.com/blog/categories/100-days-of-code

- 240 hours
- Four video courses
- Read 2.2 books
- Five larger projects
- 176 small programs
- Network automation lab

Additional

- Cybersecurity content creator
- Avid infosec podcast listener
- Packet Tracer & Active Directory Labs
- github.com/KyserClark/Hacking-Notes