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PERSONAL STATEMENT

As a Computer Science student with a concentration in Cybersecurity, I bring a strong foundation in Python and Java, complemented by diverse skills and experiences in teamwork, leadership, programming, and ethical hacking. My organizational abilities and interpersonal skills enhance my effectiveness in collaborative environments. Driven by hard work, dedication, and a positive outlook, I consistently strive for self-improvement and the achievement of goals, even when faced with challenging tasks. My commitment to excellence ensures that I exceed expectations and contribute meaningfully to any team.

SKILLS

Python, Java, Ethical Hacking, Interpersonal communication, Tidiness, Leadership, Teamwork, Teambuilding, Event Management

EDUCATION

Samford University, Homewood, AL Anticipated Graduation December 2025
Bachelor of Computer Science, Concentration in Cybersecurity

- Dean's List 2021 and 2025
- Community of Samford Gamers Club President, 2024 – present
- Community of Samford Gamers Club Activity Coordinator, 2022 – 2024

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Samford University, Homewood, AL August 2024 – Present
Technology Services Department, Student Employee

- Monitor and maintain a portion of WEPA printer services
- Assist students and employees with technology-based questions or needs

Samford University, *Special Collections Student Employee* August 2021 - Present

- Shelf materials according to the Library of Congress classification system
- Handle rare and fragile materials with care
- Assist other employees with various tasks
- Assist students and employees with questions or needs

CERTIFICATIONS

Security, Compliance, and Identity Fundamentals Certification (SC900) December 2024

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Club Activity Coordinator
Club President
Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics