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Curriculum Vitae

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Professional Summary

Enthusiastic and adaptable Computing student at the National College of Ireland with a growing foundation in cybersecurity, programming, and IT service principles. Adept at problem-solving, collaborating with diverse teams, and managing tasks efficiently under pressure. Combines strong interpersonal skills with technical knowledge gained through coursework, self-directed learning, and professional experience in high-responsibility environments. Actively seeking an entry-level technology role where I can contribute to projects, strengthen my technical capabilities, and deliver value to the organisation. In my recent Google Cybersecurity professional certificate, I learned a lot more about the Linux command line, commands like finding failed login attempts with grep failure /var/log/auth.log with -c or another example is watching the live feed of the /var/log/auth.log with tail -f /var/log/auth.log. Also I did SQL databases. I created my own fake_security_logs database where I continually practice searching for anomalies, practicing JOIN's with multiple tables and aggregates. I got very comfortable with Wireshark and Splunk in packet sniffing and filtering for suspicious traffic and lastly Splunk-like queries.

Key Skills

• Implemented cybersecurity best practices in academic projects

• Collaborated with teams to deliver service-oriented solutions

• Organised workloads to meet strict deadlines

• Resolved operational issues in fast-paced environments

• Developed programs in Python and applied problem-solving techniques

• Demonstrated strong attention to detail in quality control tasks

• Maintained GDPR compliance and data confidentiality

• Adapted quickly to new tools, technologies, and processes

• Communicated effectively with diverse stakeholders

Education

2025 – Google Cybersecurity Professional Certificate – Coursera
Hands-on lab experience with Linux, SQL, tcpdump Suricata, Splunk.

2025 – ICDL Cyber Security Certificate – FET Center
Applied principles of online safety, data protection, and threat mitigation.

2024 – 2028 – Bachelor of Science in Computing – National College of Ireland
Coursework in programming, web design, databases, and cybersecurity.

2017 – 2021 – Leaving Certificate – SUGS 'Orce Nikolov', Skopje
Completed secondary education with focus on mathematics and languages.

Professional & Project Experience

Computing Coursework Projects | National College of Ireland | 2024 – 2025
• Designed and developed small-scale Python applications to automate data processing.
• Implemented basic cybersecurity measures in simulated IT environments.
• Collaborated in group projects to troubleshoot and improve technical processes.

Housekeeping Assistant | Tara Winthrop Private Clinic – Swords, Co. Dublin | 08/2023 – Present

• Maintain operational efficiency by coordinating tasks with multiple departments.
• Ensure GDPR compliance by handling sensitive data securely.
• Monitor and report on service quality to meet healthcare standards.

Catering Assistant | Beech Tree Nursing Home – Oldtown, Co. Dublin | 05/2022 – 06/2023

• Supported daily operational activities in a care facility environment.
• Managed supplies and schedules using organisational tools.
• Provided excellent customer service to residents and families.

Languages

• Macedonian – Native

• English – Fluent

• Croatian, Serbian, Bulgarian – Good understanding