My name is Richard, but most people call me Ricky or Rick. I am pursuing a bachelor’s degree in computer science focused on software engineering. I have worked for the past 13 years in the Florida Department of Corrections and finally decided to get back in school and finish what I started long ago. I enjoy working with computers and fixing/figuring out solutions to problems. I have been raised around computers/tech my whole life, and it has a hidden passion always to be paid to work with them.

I am an avid user of Windows. The most valuable features are virtual desktops, such as task view, action center, taskbar, security, and start menu. The features I find least appealing are Cortana and Microsoft Edge.

Some other operating systems I frequently use are Android and PlayStation, which the Orbis OS powers. The systems that everyone uses in everyday life are RTO, Standalone, Networked, and mobile. I use digital alarm clocks, calculators, dishwashers, smartwatches, ATMs, and GPS, and because I travel on the interstate, I also use cruise control.

What I think makes the mobile operating systems different from a traditional computer operating system is they are designed to work so many different devices. They contribute to so many different things. Such as, the purpose of a mobile operating system is to manage cellular and wireless connectivity and phone access while a desktop operating system’s purpose is to manage hardware and software. The mobile operating system is designed for specific set of devices, boots faster, and it has limited to or no ability to exchange and make use of that information those apps are strictly hardware specific.