



# **START WHERE YOU ARE:**

**A WINNING PLAN FOR GETTING INTO CYBERSECURITY**





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POTENTIAL GAPS

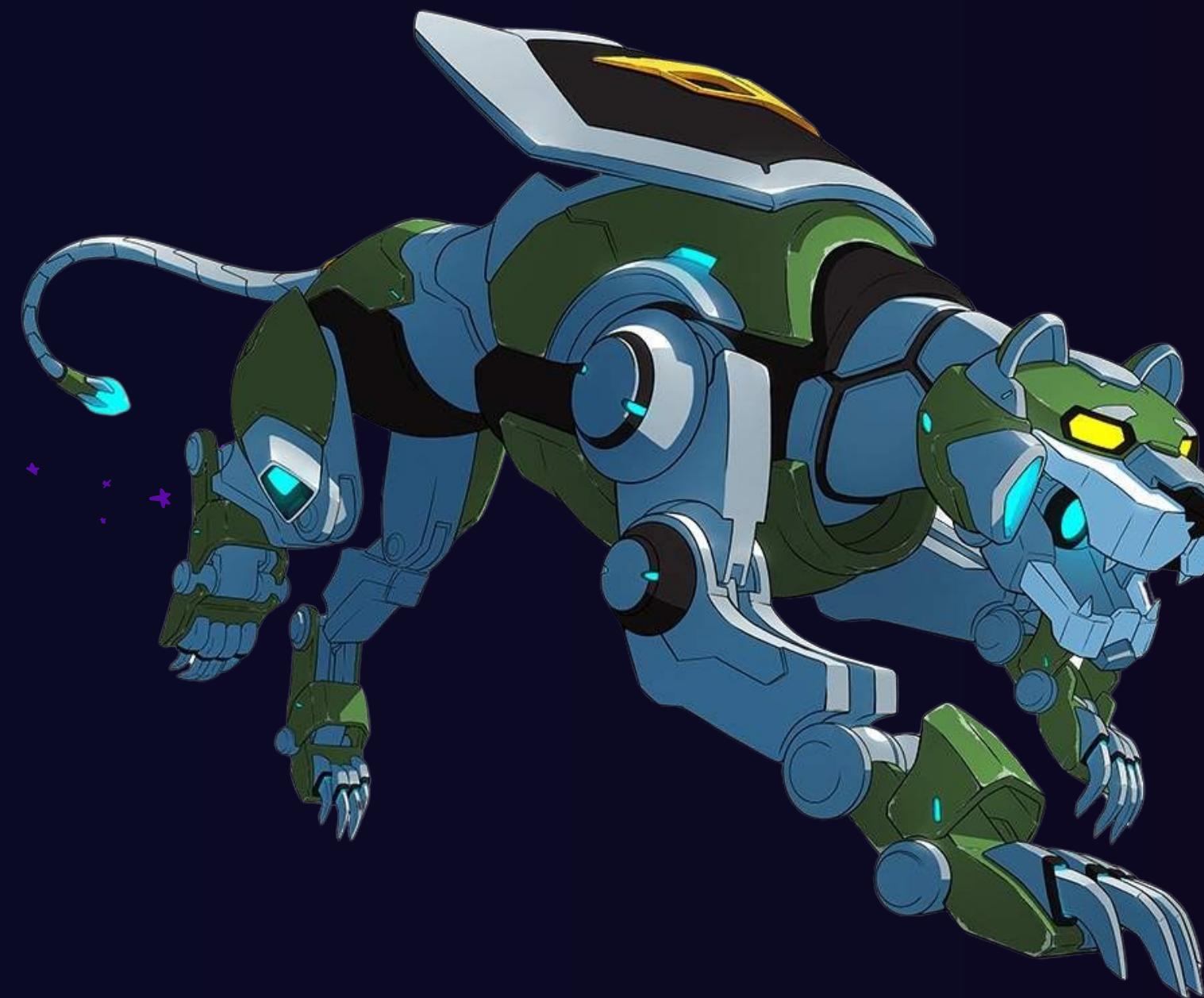
OPPORTUNITIES

# UNDERSTAND THE ENVIRONMENT

CAREER PATHS

CONTINUOUS LEARNING

# FIND COMMUNITY



Attend meetups

Find a mentor

Join an online community

# DEVELOP A PLAN

## IDENTIFY LEARNING RESOURCES

- SCHOOL
- BOOTCAMPS
- FREE OR LOW COST OPTIONS

## TARGET YOUR PATH

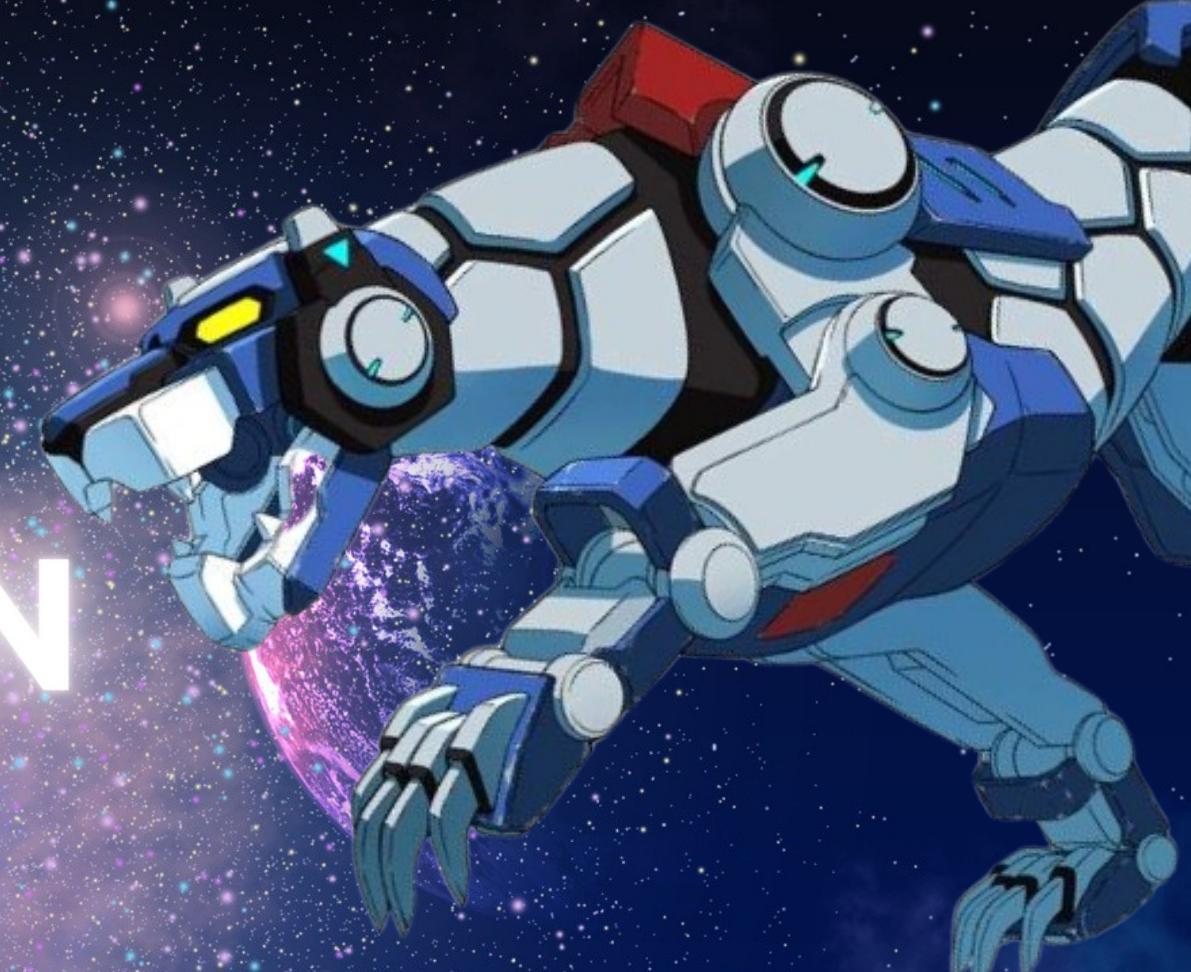
- 6 MONTHS
- 1 YEAR
- 3 YEARS

## AI MENTOR

- PERSONALIZED OR ADAPTIVE STUDY PLAN
- SIMULATE INTERVIEWS

## RESEARCH

- INDUSTRIES
- COMPANIES
- KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES



# LEVERAGE YOUR PAST

ALIGN WITH  
INTERESTS



TRANSFERABLE  
SKILLS

# KNOW YOURSELF

SELF CARE

STRENGTHS/WEAKNESSES

VALUES/VIRTUES



# EXAMPLE: SOC ANALYST

PROBLEM  
SOLVING

COMMUNICATION



INCIDÉNT  
RESPONSE



CRITICAL  
THINKING



LOG  
ANALYSIS

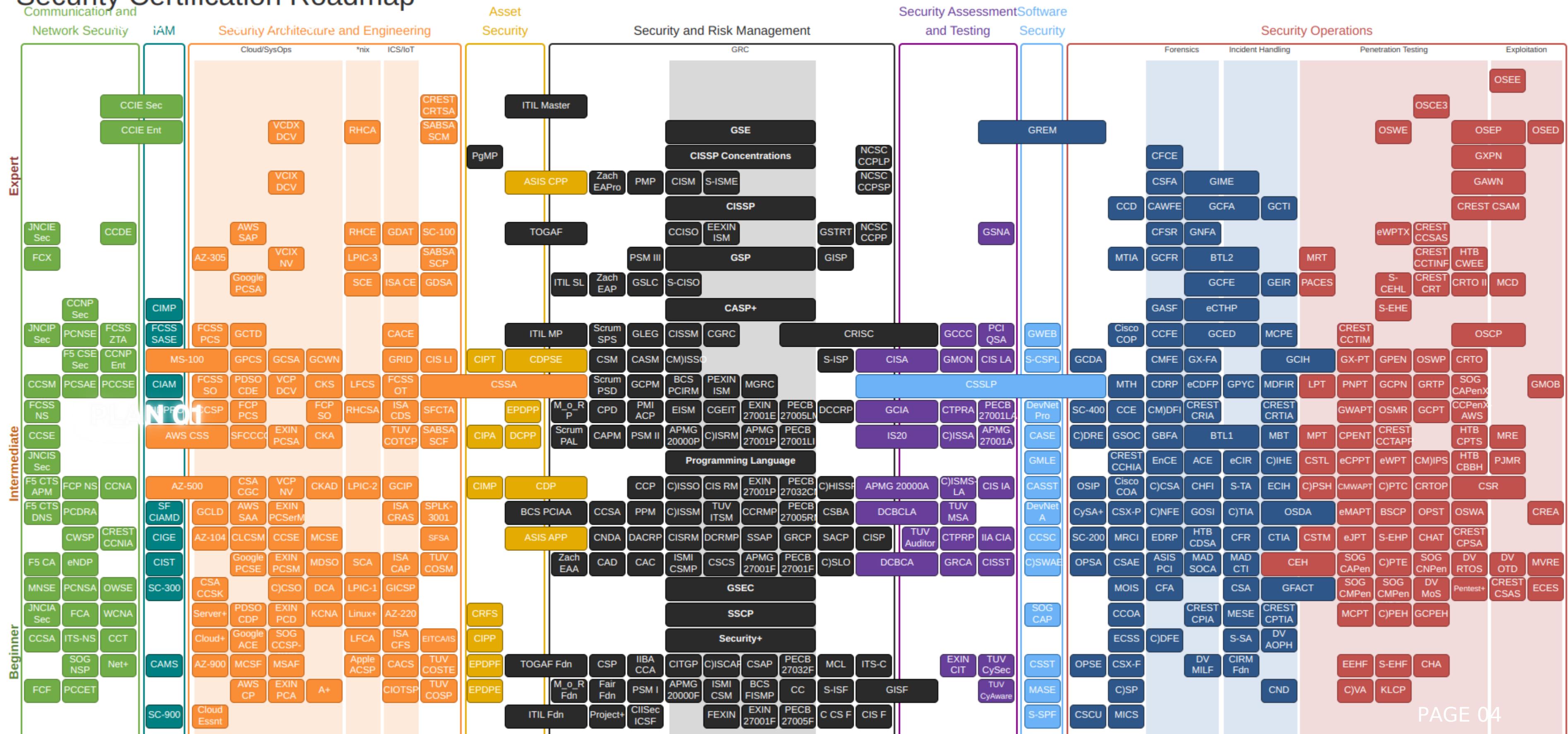
# GESTALT



Something that is made of many parts and yet is somehow more than the combination of its parts

# Security Certification Roadmap

## Communication and





# METHODOLOGY

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- FIND COMMUNITY
- DEVELOP A PLAN
- LEVERAGE YOUR PAST
- KNOW YOURSELF

**THANK  
YOU**