

Simon Drummer Professional Q&A

I'm Simon, and I'm a passionate newcomer to cybersecurity, bringing with me intense critical thinking skills, top tier communication skills, and an inherently suspicious nature. I have strong feelings about protecting systems, people, and organizations from malicious threat actors, and I will apply my training and skills to that goal.

Strengths:

1. SQL (advanced beginner)
2. Linux (advanced beginner)
3. Cybersecurity frameworks (advanced beginner)
4. Fundamentals of cybersecurity (intermediate)
5. Top tier critical thinking and trained deductive reasoning
6. Expert level verbal and written communication skills
7. Extremely centered and good in a crisis

Values:

1. Protect critical systems and infrastructure from incursion by threat actors
2. Create a safe, productive, and stress-free security landscape for users

How did I get here?

1. What most interests me about the field of cybersecurity?
 - a. I have a strong drive to protect systems and humans from predatory threat actors. Cybersecurity offers me a chance to use my honed critical thinking skills in this context, and it's a legitimate use of my suspicious and curious mind.
2. In what ways can my strengths, values, and interest in cybersecurity support the security goals of various organizations?
 - a. Put all together, my strengths plus my values plus my interest in cybersecurity adds up to a unique perspective. Whatever your organization's security goals, I will be a proactive, quick thinking, diligent advocate.