

Zachary Berry

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Objective

Cybersecurity graduate student with a strong interest in ethical hacking, cyber investigations, and programming. Extremely diligent and able to pick up new technical skills quickly. Skilled in addressing tasks efficiently and professionally, while also ensuring thorough and accurate documentation of processes and findings.. Currently, I am pursuing a Masters in Cybersecurity Technology where I consistently learn cutting edge technologies and techniques used in the field. Some of my notable skills are:

- Experience in object-oriented programming e.g. C++
- Experience with scripting languages e.g. PowerShell, Python, and Bash
- Versed in various Debian 12.x security toolkits e.g. Kali Linux, ParrotSec
- Ability to communicate vulnerability findings and recommendations with management.

Education

University of Maryland GC, MS, Cybersecurity Technology Jan. '25 – Dec '25
University of Maryland GC, BS, Cybersecurity Technology GPA: 3.83 / 4.00. *cum laude*
University of West Florida, AA, Computer Science, Minor in Criminal Justice
Pensacola State College, AS, Computer Information Technology

Certifications

Digital Forensics & Cyber Investigation Graduate Certificate (ETC 12/25)
Practical Network Penetration Tester (ETC 8/25)
HTB Certified Defensive Security Analyst (ETC 6/25)
Cybersecurity Technology Graduate Certificate
Practical Junior Penetration Tester (PJPT)
Security+ CE (SY0-701)
Certified Cloud Practitioner (CLF-C02)
Certified in Cybersecurity (CC)
Google Cybersecurity Professional Certificate
Cisco CCNA, CCENT

Professional Experience

Lowes Oct. '22 – Present (Leave)

Sales Engineer - Millworks Specialist

- Technical sales and project management specialist in ISST, MyRedVest, Genesis, and IMS.
- Provided consultation and escalation support for clients.

Target Oct. '17 – Oct. '19

Hardlines

- Led store organization efforts, ensuring merchandise was neatly arranged and easy to navigate, while offering attentive assistance to guests to improve their overall experience.

MetroPCS Feb. '16 – Aug. '17

Sales Engineer - Handsets

- Service transfer and handset sales specialist for seven locations.
- Provided handset consultation and troubleshooting for clients.
- Led the region in customer satisfaction with a rate of 99%.

5+ more years of verifiable work experience on LinkedIn