BRIEF BIOGRAPHY

My name is Bilaal Vasser, and I am a highly-driven individual. I had been working in insurance for over a decade. However, after covid hit in 2019, I decided that I wanted a change in career. I have always been interested in programming. However, I could not afford to pay for one of those bootcamps. So, I have been self-studying different programming languages, and various concepts in computer science for approximately 5-years. I am currently working as an Insurance Agent for Progressive, and I also intern with a company that partners with Oracle, called Innovacx, as a CRM Specialist. After getting my identity stolen, my attention was turned to cyber security. My mission statement is to apply what I have learned to protect others from threat actors, so that they do not have to experience what I have gone through. I have superb communication skills, and I work well in a team setting. I have many awards from my past employers, and I was just named the top 3% MVP in my current role at Progressive. My journey has come a long way since I picked up a book on Computer Science back in 2020. Though I have gained a lot of skill and experience, I am excited to continue my education to keep up with the ever changing landscape in CyberSecurity.