# **James Farley**

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## **CAREER OBJECTIVE**

A growth oriented Cyber Security professional with a passion for assisting enterprises in maintaining and protecting data confidentiality, integrity and availability. Possesses a strong background in security tools, exceptional analytical and problem-solving skills, and a passion for technology. Currently working to enhance Cyber Security Analyst skills through the daily practice of TryHackMe Rooms, HackTheBox modules/labs, CTF's, home cyber security projects, and certifications.

## **CERTIFICATIONS**

#### **COMPTIA SECURITY+ CERTIFICATION**

June 20, 2023 (Candidate ID: COMP001022298722)

## CODEACADEMY: FUNDAMENTALS OF CYBERSECURITY

March 31, 2023

## **CORE SKILLS**

- Operating Systems: Windows, MacOS, Kali Linux, CentOS, Debian, Ubuntu
- Languages: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Python
- Command Line: Powershell, Terminal
- Network Protocols: TCP/IP, FTP, SSH, DNS, DHCP, HTTP, HTTPS
- Pen-testing: Nmap, Netcat, Putty, John the Ripper, Metasploit
- Virtualization & Other: Microsoft Azure, Oracle Cloud Infrastructure, AWS
- Packet Capture/Analysis: Wireshark, Tcpdump, Network Traffic Analysis, Log Analysis
- Security Tools: Microsoft Windows Defender, Windows Firewall, Splunk, Snort, Intrusion Detection System, SIEM, EDR, MDM
- Compliance Frameworks: NIST RMF Framework, ISO 27001, MITRE AT&CK, OWASP
- Other: Active Directory, Group Policy, Windows Event Logging, Vulnerability Scanning, Vulnerability Assessment, Malware Analysis,

## PROJECTS/LABS

- Configured and performed threat analyses and Vulnerability assessment utilizing OSINT tools such as OpenVas SIEM, Nessus, Splunk, etc on 2 VM hosts
- Utilized different Linux security tools to review the vulnerability landscape and understand general threats in the environment
- Actively analyzed Cyber Threat Intelligence
- Created multiple Python scripts for automation and payloads
- Installed malware backdoor on Windows VM, elevated privileges, and simulated an attack resulting in identifying the malware backdoor, blocking the persistent connection, and eradicating the malware
- Performed certificate management, Windows server access controls, access controls in Linux and centralized authentication
- Configured a secure HTTPS port and binded domain certificate to the secure port and implemented a basic authentication policy
- Configured a new DHCP scope for an isolated network segment to support a new development team
- Implemented a firewall rule on a linux server to block/accept port 80 traffic and monitored network traffic
- Configured IDS sensor to monitor packets on a LAN router interface with the outside internetwork
- Utilized Security Onion Linux distribution and Snort IDS as the sensor

#### Active Directory Project:

- Utilized Oracle Virtual Box to create a virtual environment and a virtual machine as a domain controller running Windows Server 2019
- Installed and organized the Active Directory system routing with an internet and intranet
- Utilized Powershell ISE to run a script that created over 1000 users and assigned them to their appropriate groups
- Configured a DHCP server for the internal network and routed Windows 10 virtual machine client to the network
- Performed cross platform audits of Active Directory objects and user permissions

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## Immortal Legend, LLC

Atlanta, GA

Professional Vocal Coach/ Songwriter /Producer

Nov 2020 - Present

- Provide clear communication with clients and outstanding service resulting in over 170+ 5 star ratings on SoundBetter.com
- Protect, store and secure client sensitive information resulting in 0 data loss since business inception

Coyote Logistics Atlanta, GA

Advance Team processor (Contractor)

Aug 2019 - Nov 2020

- Utilized safe data storage practices for securing and protecting client sensitive information and PII
- Identified, analyzed and interpreted client history data for fraudulent impersonations resulting in the success of preventing 2 fraudulent identity theft attempts

Deluxe Media Los Angeles, CA

Billing Clerk (Contractor)

Aug 2017 – Oct 2018

- Resolved discrepancies in service rates in coordination with company annual rate sheet guidelines
- Organized payment data and other billing information for clients via Microsoft Excel Spreadsheets and scanned sensitive client information into the billing database

#### **Enterprise Partners**

Los Angeles, CA

Conversion Analyst (Temp)

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  Jan 2017 Jul 2017

  Investigated payment differences resulting in correcting 150 variances in residual payments and created reports to notify client company (Sony)
- Worked under pressure to meet time sensitive projects resulting in 100% project completion rate before deadlines

Ohio Savings Bank Cleveland, OH

Financial Service Associate

Jan 2016 – Aug 2016

- Identified and reported an ATM card skimming device resulting in the protection of client sensitive data
- Identified, analyzed, and reported fraudulent account activity resulting in saving 100's of client accounts

## **SKILLS**

- Strong analytical and critical thinking abilities
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills
- Complex data analysis and interpretation
- Quick learner with a continuous learning mindset
- Detail-oriented with a focus on quality and accuracy
- Threat identification and research
- Independent and collaborative team work
- Strong attention to detail and accuracy

#### **EDUCATION**

#### **CLEVELAND STATE UNIVERSITY**

Cleveland, OH