

Google Cybersecurity Certificate - Cybersecurity Statement for Portfolio

List two to three strengths that you currently have or are committed to developing:

1. **Networking Skills** - CCNA
2. **Programming** - Python and Java
3. **Soft Skills** - Verbal, Written, and Time Management

List one to two values you have:

1. **Integrity** - Being able to do the right thing even when it isn't always the easy option.
2. **Perseverance** - Even when everything is difficult, I'm able to have the determination to get through any challenge presented before me.
3. **Patience** - Being able to take the necessary time to work through a hurdle in life for myself and others to get a better result.

Ask yourself some clarifying questions to determine what to include in your professional statement:

1. What most interests me about the field of cybersecurity?

- What most interests me is that I've always been interested in cybersecurity. I've always loved learning about Cybersecurity resources (CTFs, TryHackMe, etc.), skills to help accompany a position in cybersecurity (programming, Linux, SQL, etc.), and I think I'd be very passionate about the field.

2. Who is the audience for my professional statement (e.g., cybersecurity recruiters, specific organizations, government employers, etc.)?

- The audience for my professional statement will only be cybersecurity recruiters. I don't know any specific organizations I'd like to reach out to and I don't know if working in the government would be what I want out of a career in cybersecurity.

3. In what ways can my strengths, values, and interest in cybersecurity support the security goals of various organizations?

- I believe my strengths, values, and interests in cybersecurity will support the security goals of the organizations I apply for because I would be a valuable asset for my knowledge, work ethic, and passion alone. I want nothing more than to prove to myself that I deserve to work in this field, and nothing is going to stand in my way of showcasing how invested I am in accomplishing this.

Create a 2-3 Sentence Statement:

- I am currently a Network Engineer yearning to break into the cybersecurity industry. With my knowledge, interest, and passion for security, I believe I would be a valuable asset to any organization.