Elijah Thomas

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Aerial equipment technician with a Secret Security Clearance and four years of proven experience in the United States Army. Accomplished measurable results while leading teams of paratroopers in a dynamic, fast - paced environment. Possess a comprehensive background in critical thinking, logistics, and problem solving skills derived from conducting domestic and global operations in the United States and Qatar. Managed high risk operations that require attention to detail to protect assets and property valued over four million dollars while exceeding the expectations of senior leadership. Possess extensive knowledge in stress-management, resiliency and working in a team. Recipient of multiple awards for outstanding performance and professionalism.

☐ Object-Oriented Programming	☐ Software Engineering	☐ Team work/ Patience
 Critical Thinking Motivated	JavaPython	Organization/CommunicationDocumentation

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

UNITED STATES ARMY – Fort Bragg, NC September 2018 – Present Team Leader

- Directed and trained a team of aerial delivery technicians ensuring 100% quality control while successfully providing proper deployment of parachutes and equipment
- Designed new solutions to enable better transition from client request to finalized product by creating a work flow chart that increased department efficiency by 30%
- Directly maintained accountability of equipment valued in excess of 500,000 dollars by designing an excel spreadsheet with multiple tables

ALORICA – Huntsville, AL August 2017 – September 2018 Customer Sales Representative

- Directly engaged with potential clients to provide a safe environment to discuss potential business ventures and client satisfaction with company product.
- Received awards for top customer satisfaction and helped develop a culture of client first
- Successfully maintained customer and employee confidentiality by ensuring classified personal identifying information remained secured and protected

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science, Computer Science and Software Engineering, Southern New Hampshire University, Remote – Estimated April 2024, 71/120 credits completed

Associates of Arts, Liberal Arts, Southern New Hampshire University

Python Certified Associate Programmer

Python Certified Entry Level Programmer

SELECT AWARDS

Army Commendation Medal
Inducted member of the National Society of Leadership and Success
Commandants List – Army Basic Leadership Course

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Software: Data structures, algorithms, **Programming Languages:** Java, Python, and JS