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## **EDUCATION**

# UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI (UC), EDUCATION

GPA: 3.8

Cincinnati, OH

Bachelor of Science Cybersecurity and Computer Networking Candidate (Expected graduation May 2024)

#### Relevant Coursework

- Network Monitoring and IPS
- Network Security
- System Administration
- Network Infrastructure Management
- Computer and Network Forensics
- System Analysis and Design
- Special Topics in Cybersecurity

#### Awards & Honors

- CECH Dean's List (Fall 2019)
- CECH Dean's List (Spring 2020)
- CECH Dean's List (Fall 2020)
- CECH Dean's List (Spring 2021)
- CECH Dean's List (Spring 2022)

#### Extracurricular Activities

 Theta Chi Fraternity Fundraising Chair

## **ADDITIONAL SKILLS**

Operating Systems: Windows, macOS, Linux (Kali and Ubuntu)

Microsoft Office 365 and Office 365 Admin Center

Computer hardware

Troubleshooting technology

Customer service

Leadership

## **EXPERIENCE**

## INTERN, IT SECURITY

Union Home Mortgage, Strongsville, OH / May 2022 - Present

- Investigated suspicious activity or possessions to safeguard assets and protect employees and customer data.
- Modified computer security files to incorporate new software, correct errors and change individual access status.
- Documented computer security and emergency measures policies, procedures and tests.
- Encrypted data transmissions and erected firewalls to conceal confidential information as it was being transmitted and to keep out tainted digital transfers.
- Trained users and promote security awareness to boost system security and improve server and network efficiency.
- Reviewed violations of computer security procedures and discuss procedures with violators to keep violations from being repeated.

#### INTERN, IT SERVICE DESK

Union Home Mortgage, Strongsville, OH / Aug 2021 - May 2022

- Consult and assist with standard software and hardware issues.
- Strong knowledgebase on Microsoft Suites Office 365, Exchange, Azure, AD.
- Extensive knowledge and assistance with mortgage based software such as Encompass.
- Basic troubleshooting assistance to 1000+ company members.
- Providing standard IT service desk skills and internal customer service.
- Installed and performed minor repairs to hardware, software and peripheral equipment, following design and installation specifications.

#### YARD JOCKEY

Fabrizi Trucking and Paving, Middleburg Heights, Ohio / May 2021 - Aug 2021

- Implemented fuel tracking system for work trucks.
- Led a small group of laborers.
- · Assisted mechanics and workers in daily tasks.
- Operated heavy machinery such as dump trucks, riding mowers, and skid steers.
- Manually or mechanically loaded or unloaded materials from pallets, skids, platforms, cars, lifting devices, or other transport vehicles.
- Hooked tow trucks to trailer hitches and fastened attachments, such as graders, plows, rollers, or winch cables to tractors, using hitchpins.

Computer networking
Cloud Computing: AWS and Azure
Teamwork

## **CERTIFICATIONS**

IBM Cybersecurity Practitioner IQ4 - The Threat Within IBM Enterprise Design Thinking Practitioner • Performed routine and scheduled maintenance services.

#### **CUSTOMER SERVICE**

Marc's, Brunswick, Ohio / May 2018 - Jan 2021

- Efficiently managed a group of co-workers considering their strengths and weaknesses
- Assisted customers often
- Learned new things quickly and became a trusted and versatile employee
- Acquired strong leadership and time management skills.

#### LANDSCAPER LABORER

Nelson Contracting, Granger, OH / May 2020 - Jul 2020

- Provided lawn care on commercial and residential property.
- Mulched commercial and residential property.
- Operated heavy machinery such as dump trucks, riding mowers, and skid steers.
- Applied herbicides and insecticides to address and reduce infestations.
- Pruned and trimmed trees, shrubs and hedges.
- Trimmed and picked flowers and clean flower beds.

#### FRONT OF HOUSE TEAM MEMBER

Chick-fil-a, Strongsville, OH / Jun 2017 - May 2018

- Processed food orders from guests.
- Served food to guests in dining room and drive-through.
- Kept front end appropriately stocked.
- Cleaned dining room, children play area, and machines.
- Prepared food for serving.