

# HUNTER VER HELST

## Inactive Secret Clearance (Within 2 Years)

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### EDUCATION

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**University of Florida**  
*BS Computer Science*

Herbert Wertheim College of Engineering  
*Fall 2023*

- Electrical Engineering Minor
- 3.80 GPA

**University of Florida**  
*MS Computer Science*

Herbert Wertheim College of Engineering  
*Fall 2024*

- 3.81 GPA
- Conducting research with the Florida Institute for Cybersecurity Research
- Member of University of Florida Student Infosec Team (UFSIT) and UFSIT CTF Team

### RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

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**Praetorian Inc.**  
*Security Engineer*

January 2025 - November 2025  
*Remote*

- Performed web application and LLM security engagements.
- Wrote detailed reports on engagement findings and presented them to stakeholders.
- Wrote internal tooling to increase efficiency of engagements and reporting.

**RSM US LLP**  
*Cyber Testing Intern*

June 2024 - December 2024  
*Chicago, Illinois | Remote\**

- Performed internal, external, WiFi, and web application penetration tests for clients.

**Georgia Tech Research Institute (GTRI)**  
*Cybersecurity Analyst Intern*

May 2023 - January 2024  
*Hill Air Force Base, Utah | Remote\**

- Previous clearance sponsor.
- Migrated existing Windows applications to Linux (Red Hat).
- Containerized migrated applications.
- Built development pipeline for containerized applications.
- Researched and deployed vulnerability detection and mitigation tools into development pipeline.
- Learned about the ATO process, SRGs, STIGs, SCAP/SCC, NIPR/SIPR.

**Hyperform Inc.**  
*Senior Internal Software Developer*

July 2022 - December 2024  
*Rockledge, FL | Remote\**

- Transfer from Gulf Coast Castaway Customs after acquisition, previous duties maintained.
- Write and maintain applications and services to automate and simplify company operations.
- Initiated overhaul of vulnerable, tightly coupled software and architecture.
- Supervise temporary developers.
- Consult with department heads and executives on effects of business decisions on infrastructure and ensure operational needs are met.

**Gulf Coast Castaway Customs**  
*Python Developer*

September 2021 - July 2022  
*Bradenton, FL | Remote\**

- Promoted from CAD technician (started May 2021) after taking the initiative to update/create scripts to drastically reduce job completion time.
- Wrote and maintained a C#/IronPython plugin to automate processes in RhinoCAD.
- Independent position with limited direct supervision.

## SKILLS

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<b>Certifications</b>	Burp Suite Certified Practitioner (Token: A9AE67AAC9A7B32C)
<b>Computer Languages</b>	Assembly, Bash, C/C++, C#, Java, L <sup>A</sup> T <sub>E</sub> X, Python, SQL
<b>Tools</b>	Docker, Ghidra, Git, GitLab, Jenkins, Linux
<b>Relevant Coursework</b>	Analysis of Algorithms, Cellular and Mobile Network Security, Computer and Information Security, Microprocessor Applications, Penetration Testing and Ethical Hacking, Cyberphysical System Security

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\*Position was full-time, in-person, during the summer months and part-time, remote, during the school year.