# James Poirier

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## Personal Info

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## SOFTWARE SKILLS

#### Languages:

Python Java C C# HTML5 CSS Javascript MATLAB

Computer:

Tensor Flow AWS
Linux LaTeX
Microsoft Azure
Version Control with Git
Issue Tracking with Jira
Bash Scripting
Penetration Testing

## HARDWARE SKILLS

CAD/PCB Design
• EAGLE, KiCad
Hardware Prototyping
Debug and Test
VHDL, Verilog
ARM Assembly
Soldering

## Awards and Certifications

- BSA Eagle Scout 2013
- AWS Technical Professional
- AWS Cloud Practitioner Essentials Certification

#### **EDUCATION**

California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo

Bachelor of Science, Electrical Engineering

**Minor: Computer Science** 

#### EXPERIENCE

#### Software Developer and Penetration Tester

Feb 2019 - Present

Expected June 2020

Cal Poly Informational Technical Services (ITS)

- California Cyber Innovation Challenge Digital Designer and Creator
- Director of Digital Forensics for CCIC 2019 and 2020
- Deployed challenge on AWS EC2 Instances to create a remote-access worldwide CTF
- Performed forensic analysis on test computer equipment

#### **Operations Specialist**

June 2019 - Sept 2019

California Cybersecurity Institute

- CCI Software Lead on GEN sponsored and Dragos partnered project MINERVA
- ~ Managing teams at Cal Poly and CCI in collaboration with teams at Dragos and UoP
  - ~ Collaboratively working to create a first-of-its-kind investigative analytics platform to locate potential victms of human trafficking through the dark web
- ~ Able to identify 100,000 victms per year using government furnished resources
- DEFCON 2019 Bio-Hacking Village CTF Co-Designer and Tester
  - ~ Assisted in creation of a CTF to challenge current security protocols in medical devices
  - ~ Built interactive website with C, Python, and HTML5 to test intercepted packets
  - ~ Presented on the vulnerabilities of current medical devices

#### **Coding Teacher and Mentor**

June 2018 - Sept 2018

Outpour Movement, Mae Sot Thailand

- Taught introductory level coding classes in Python, HTML5, and CSS
- Overcame language barriers and cultural differences to eductate students
- Created computer programming class materials and projects, used by over 200 students

## RESEARCH PROJECTS

## Alzheimer's Detection using a Neural Network

Sept 2019 - Present

Cal Poly Electrical Engineering Senior Project

- Working with Tensorflow to create a Convolutional Neural Network
- Processing MRI Scans with CV application to identify Alzheimer's risk profile

## 3D Space Motion Tracking Robot

Sept 2018 - Dec 2018

AI Research Project with Dr. Paul Hummel

- Developed and implemented algorithms for tracking and positioning
- Created a sonar and vizualization system using a Jetson Nano and MSP432 processor

## PROVE Solar Car Development Team

Feb 2019 - April 2019

Software Team Member

- Developed Arduino based control feedback system for hydraulic flap controls
- Integrated motor controllers and redesigned solar array power supply

#### LEADERSHIP AND VOLUNTEERING

## Cal Poly San Luis Obispo

Dec 2017 - Sept 2017

**WOW Leader** 

- Responsible for planning a week of orientation for 15 incoming engineering freshman
- · Served as a leader, mentor, and friend
- Idk what else to put ehre but something good