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SUMMARY

Cybersecurity professional and multidisciplinary creative bridging data protection, design, and client-centric operations. Experience spans cloud security, SIEM development, and privacy compliance, complemented by a strong background in luxury pet care and creative production management. Known for integrating trust, precision, and visual storytelling into secure, high-touch experiences for both people and brands.

SKILLS

Data Privacy & Protection: Encryption, IAM, CIS Benchmarks, NIST SP 800-115, GDPR/NIST alignment
Cloud Security: AWS (S3, EC2, CloudTrail, GuardDuty, Security Hub, IAM, SES)
SIEM & Automation: Wazuh, OpenSearch, EventBridge, Lambda, Terraform IaC
Creative & Operational Management: Confidential client relations, project logistics, inventory and asset control
Tools & Scripting: Wireshark, Kali Linux, Burp Suite, Python, Bash, PowerShell, Adobe Creative Suite
Soft Skills: Technical writing, stakeholder communication, creative direction, agile collaboration

PROJECTS

- **SOC-it-to-EM-SIEMlessly — [SOC-it-to-EM-SIEMlessly](#) | Sep 2025 - present**

Developing event-driven SIEM automation using Terraform, Lambda, and EventBridge to detect and respond to AWS incidents. Engineering reproducible infrastructure for rapid evidence capture and isolation workflows.

- **AWS Cyber Range Lab — [cyber-range-lab-aws](#) | Aug 2025**

Built detection workflows focused on access control and data exposure prevention. Automated EC2 quarantine flows integrating IAM + Lambda for audit-ready incident response.

- **Sentiment Analysis Web Tool — [sentiment-app](#) | July 2025**

Deployed a full-stack web demo illustrating modern deployment pipelines and documentation practices.

- **contact-serverless-form — [contact-serverless-form](#) | Jul 2025**

Built a static site with secure contact ingestion and serverless handling for portfolio communication.

- **Cyber CTF Challenge – Bloomberg Hackathon — June 2025**

Placed 2nd in a 15-level red team CTF; identified data leakage vulnerabilities and validated exploit logic.

- **Fellowship Phase 1 Consolidation - [cybersecurity-phase1-lab-final](#) | May 2025**

Combined foundational cybersecurity labs and documentation for initial fellowship assessment.

- **Network-Security-Lab — [network-security-lab](#) | May 2025**

Configured pfSense with Snort and Suricata for intrusion detection, alert tuning, and traffic analysis.

- **Windows-Server — [windows-server-2022-deployment-lab](#) | May 2025**

Designed full VirtualBox environment with domain setup, DNS configuration, and verification documentation.

- **Personal Portfolio Site — [myportfolio](#) | April 2025**

Developed personal website with project showcases, secure form handling, and responsive design.

- **Linux Server Hardening + Exploit Simulation — March 2025**

Hardened Ubuntu/Kali systems, configured UFW and audit controls, and simulated brute-force and privilege escalation attacks.

EXPERIENCE

- **Cybersecurity Fellow — The Knowledge House, Bronx NY | Mar 2025 – Present (Exp Dec 2025)**

Conduct hands-on privacy and protection labs across AWS environments. Collaborate on GitHub to develop reproducible, compliance-aligned workflows and documentation.

- **Endpoint Custodian— Freelance & Entrepreneur | 2022 – Present**

Built and maintained luxury client relationships emphasizing safety, protection, confidentiality, and reliability. Managed 700+ bookings with consistent 5-star client satisfaction through data-driven scheduling. Implemented secure digital record-keeping for client preferences, medical notes, and access logs.

- **Security Configuration Designer — New York, NY | 2017 – 2021**

Designed and organized the "protective layers" of systems—controls, policies, and configurations—in a way that fits the environment's needs for award-winning productions while safeguarding client IP. Reduced inventory loss 25% by developing secure digital tracking and sign-out processes. Ensured continuity and confidentiality through structured production documentation.

- **Cybersecurity Architecture Lead — Freelance & Entrepreneur | 2016 – 2020**

Directed cross-functional creative teams and vendor logistics across multi-site productions. Managed digital asset storage and transfer to maintain client data integrity. Increased production efficiency 40% by standardizing workflows and implementing privacy-conscious systems.

EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS
AWS Educate Cybersecurity Modules (2025)
TryHackMe & Hack The Box Advanced Labs
OSCP/OSEP – Goal in Progress