

# Andre Mukhsia

[andre.n.mukhsia@gmail.com](mailto:andre.n.mukhsia@gmail.com) | 971-570-1262 | [linkedin.com/in/andre-mukhsia](https://www.linkedin.com/in/andre-mukhsia) | [github.com/mukhsia](https://github.com/mukhsia)

---

## Summary

Security+ certified aspiring cybersecurity analyst with broad technical, analytical, and problem-solving skills with a BS and MS in Computer science. Looking to learn and apply information security processes to mitigate risks and protect clients and organizations.

## Technical Skills

**Software & Framework:** Git, Slack, Trello, Travis CI, Visual Studio Code

**Programming:** C/C++, Python

**Systems:** Windows, Linux

**Security:** IAM, malware, firewall, intrusion detection, incident response, threat assessment, risk mitigation, active directory, vulnerability scanning

## Education & Certification

<b>CompTIA Security+ Certification</b>	4/2022
<b>Masters of Science in Computer Science</b> Portland State University, Portland, OR	9/2018 – 3/2020
<b>Bachelor of Science in Computer Science</b> Portland State University, Portland, OR	9/2014 – 8/2017

## Cybersecurity Projects

### Springboard Capstone - Walkthrough of the phases of a penetration test for a fictional scenario

**Objective:** Document a walkthrough plan of a penetration test within the context of a fictional scenario. The phases involved in the penetration test are OSINT reconnaissance tools, network reconnaissance, vulnerability scanners, threat assessment, and generating a technical report and executive summary.

**Technology:** DNSRecon, Zenmap, Tenable Nessus, OpenVAS Greenbone

### Point of Sale System Hardening Project

**Objective:** In the context of a fictional scenario, create system hardening recommendations for Windows Server 2019, Point of Sale servers running Oracle 11g database on Linux, and Windows 10 machines running Point of Sale software.

**Technology:** Windows Server 2019 Domain Controller and Member Web Server, Linux, Oracle 11g database, Windows 10, Point of Sale system

### Phishing Awareness Campaign Simulation using GoPhish

**Objective:** Install and use GoPhish, create a phishing campaign and message, run the campaign against a dummy email account, and document the process.

**Technology:** GoPhish

## Experience

Student, **Springboard** 6/2021 – 4/2022

### *Springboard Cybersecurity Career Track*

- 380+ hours of hands-on course material with 1:1 industry expert mentor oversight.
- 35+ mini-projects providing real-world context on cybersecurity careers.
- 30+ labs applying theory into practice.
- Skills in systems security, network security, vulnerability, risk assessment, and more.

DevOps, **Portland State University, Portland, OR** 3/2019 – 4/2019

### *CS 544 Software Engineering Google Battlecode 2019 Project*

- Setup Travis CI and Coveralls to automate builds and track testing code coverage.
- Integrate Github, Trello, Coveralls, and Travis CI with Slack to automate build result notifications and Trello card notifications, expediting communication of progress and work.