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| Education |  | M.S., Information Security & Digital Forensics, Niagara University, Lewiston, NY, 09/2017 – PRESENT  * Network Security: auditing system configuration and vulnerabilities * Ethical Hacking: penetration testing, unauthorized access prevention * Managing Security Risks: Identify control gaps, present remediation solutions  B.a., Political Science, Niagara University, Lewiston NY, 09/2012 – 05/2015 |
| Skills |  | Information Security: Metasploit, Kali Linux, Nessus, OpenVAS, NMAP, Whois  Operating Systems: Windows, Linux, OS X  Networking: LAN/WAN, VPN, Ethernet, Wireshark  Microsoft Office Suite: Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Access  Excellent organizational and time management skills  Easily adapts to changing priorities  Exceptional written and verbal communication skills |
| Work History |  | Graduate Research assistant, Niagara Univeristy ISDF Department, Lewiston, NY 05/2018 – PRESENT   * Investigating the threat machine learning has on fake news * Organize research into conference paper  Sales associate, Saks off 5th, Niagara on the lake, ON 02/2016 – PRESENT   * Support business objectives * Leading team members on the sales floor * Manage multiple projects simultaneously |
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