# **DANNY ZENDEJAS**

WEBSITE

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#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

SOFTWARE | Python, Django, Bash, MySQL, Sqlite

SECURITY & NETWORK | Splunk, ELK, Carbon Black, CrowdStrike, Suricata, Zeek, JIRA

CERTIFICATIONS | GSEC, GCIH, GPEN, Splunk Power User, AWS Cloud Practitioner

Spanish –Bilingual proficiency

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

#### PINTEREST | 2019 - Present- San Francisco

- Senior Security Analyst (March 2021 Present)
  - Led data retention project where 100% of data was auto-moved to "cold" storage resulting in cost savings of \$400k
  - Owned security incident response in cross-functional collaboration (Coordinate communication between Engineering teams, investigate machines involved, conduct Post Mortems) driving towards incident resolution
  - Revamped internal security bot written in Python that pings users based on suspicious activity resulting in saved response time for the Security team
- Security Analyst (Oct. 2019 Mar 2021)
  - Built out a Detection and Response team, starting from a 2 person team to a team of 5; responsible for 10,000+ instances
  - Wrote alerts, both custom and previously broken alerts to fill previous missing threat coverage
  - Collaborated on a Splunk migration involving 3 TB of daily ingested data resulting in a unified logging solution

## ZYNGA | (Jan 2018 - Oct 2019)

- Threat Analyst (March 2019 Oct 2019)
  - Built out Threat Hunting Program to add capability; shifted team towards a proactive threat maturity
  - Created bash scripts that automated analysis tasks adopted by the team to streamline workflow
  - Performed penetration testing to locate gaps and improve detection & response
- Security Analyst (Jan 2018 March 2019)
  - Collaboration on cross-functional project to replace legacy AV and rollout EDR for 2000+ endpoints
  - Managed EDR system as a whole for 2,000+ devices providing visibility on endpoint security

## **RELEVANT PROJECTS**

Collar App - Github Link

A web application to search and find trade work. A marketplace for the traditional blue collar worker

- Made the design of what the application's end result in Figma
- Built the application's backend using Python Django framework with MySQL
- Collaborated with 2 other developers for the front end of the web app

#### **EDUCATION & TRAINING**

CODING DOJO - Full Stack Web Development Coding Bootcamp, Silicon Valley, 2021

"Red Belt" in Python

## YEAR UP - FOOTHILL COLLEGE, San Francisco, CA March 2017 - January 2018

- Networking and Business Communications, with specialized training in Cyber Security
- Toastmasters Club Treasurer

LOS MEDANOS COLLEGE, Pittsburg, CA January 2013 – May 2016

• Business and GE, Academic Honors for 4 semesters