# **BAMDAD ESFANDIARI**

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Passionate and dedicated cybersecurity student with hands-on experience in mentoring and conducting cybersecurity tasks. Eager to deepen my skills through internship and practical experiences.

# **EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS**

#### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (B.Sc.) IN CYBERSECURITY, ANTICIPATED AUGUST 2025

Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA

- Relevant Courses: Network System Security, Windows System Management & Security, Cyber Techniques & Operation,
   Cyber Strategy & Policy, Cyber Programming & Networking, Digital Forensics, Ethical Hacking
- Dean's List, Old Dominion University, Fall 2022, Spring 2023, Fall 2023, Fall 2024

## **CERTIFICATIONS AND TRAINING**

CompTIA Security+ SY0-701 (COMP001022748423)

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

EVERGREEN MONTESSORI SCHOOL, VIENNA, VA, APRIL 2021 TO AUGUST 2021

## **ASSISTANT**

- Assisted with daily classroom activities such as reading, teaching material, and one-on-one engagement with students.
- Responsible for teaching introductory Spanish to children, including concepts such as counting and colors.
- Organized outdoor activities for students, promoting teamwork and physical activity.
- Aided with approach to monthly curriculum and organized the classroom for daily activities.

Koons Tysons Toyota, Tysons, VA, May 2022 To August 2022

#### Porter

- Tasked with greeting customers entering the service bay and collecting information on their vehicle for the service desk.
- Responsible for relocating vehicles to the designated location and returning them to the customer after service.
- Guided customers through sign-in procedure, facilitating a timely and courteous service experience.

ALLIED UNIVERSAL SECURITY SERVICES, ASHBURN, VA, MAY 2023 TO PRESENT

## **Security Officer**

- Enforce security protocols and verify identification to prevent unauthorized access to facilities; strategize effective ways to improve security procedures and better protect data and infrastructure.
- Assisted customers with technical issues, such as setting up a Suprema reader, logging into a device, and setting up an
  account.
- Generate detailed documentation and reporting on security incidents and outcomes, logging in the appropriate database; relay unresolved issues to oncoming shift members for situational awareness.

## **PROJECTS**

#### Python Programming Projects, Associated with Old Dominion University

- Developed a Python program that displayed historical data using socket programming
- Develop a Python program with a user interface and multiple functionalities

#### **Created Home Lab Running Active Directory**

Set up a home lab running Active Directory in VirtualBox

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## **AFFILIATIONS**

- Old Dominion University Cybersecurity Student Association Member
- National Society of Leadership and Success Member, Old Dominion University

## **VOLUNTEERISM**

• Student Mentor – Commonwealth Cyber Initiative

Provided mentorship to high school students pursuing an interest in cybersecurity

# **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

## **Cybersecurity Tools & Techniques:**

- Network Monitoring & Ethical Hacking Tools: Wireshark, Nmap, Any.Run, Metasploit, John the ripper, steghide
- Firewalls: Configuration & management of firewalls
- Digital Forensics: Experience with tools such as Sleuth Kit (Autopsy), FTK Imager, X-Ways

## **Network Security:**

- Network Protocols & Communications: Working knowledge of network topologies, network protocols (TCP/IP, UDP, DNS, HTTP/S, SNMP, IPsec, SSL/TLS), and network applications
- Cryptographic Systems: Experience with encryption algorithms (3DES, AES, RSA), hashing functions (MD5, SHA), & public key infrastructure (PKI)
- Wireless Security: Knowledge of 802.11 standards & wireless security best practices

## **Operating Systems:**

- Operating Systems: Windows (Server & Workstations), Linux (Ubuntu, Kali Linux), macOS
- Virtualizations & Containerization: Experience with VMware, VirtualBox, Hyper-V, & Docker for virtualization and containerization

#### **Programming & Scripting:**

- Python: Experience using Python for security-related tasks
- Command Prompt: Developed proficiency using the command prompt

# **System & Directory Services:**

- Windows Server 2019
- Active Directory

# **Security Frameworks:**

• NIST Cybersecurity Framework

## Other:

- Microsoft Office 365
- Google Workspace
- Languages: English, Persian, German