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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Motivated and detail-oriented Cybersecurity student pursuing a career in cybersecurity, network defense, or IT support, with interest in the role of a Junior SOC Analyst as well. Hands-on experience with network defense, system monitoring, and vulnerability assessment using tools such as Wireshark, Nmap, Metasploit, and pfSense. Strong understanding of Windows and Linux systems, with experience identifying and analyzing security threats through TryHackMe labs. Known for leadership, communication, and problem-solving skills developed through teamwork in fast-paced environments. Currently pursuing CompTIA Security+ certification while building a personal homelab to strengthen skills in system administration, firewall configuration, and network management.

EDUCATION

Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA

Bachelor of Science in Cybersecurity — Expected Fall 2026

GPA: 3.94

Relevant Coursework: Network Security, Cyber Defense Techniques, Operating Systems, Scripting Fundamentals

Currently preparing for CompTIA Security+ certification; plan to pursue Network+ and could achieve A+ quickly as well

Tidewater Community College, Chesapeake, VA

Associate of General Studies — Graduated Cum Laude

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Networking & Security Tools: pfSense, Wireshark, Nmap, Metasploit Framework, msfvenom

Systems & Platforms: Windows Server, Linux, Windows 10/11

Scripting & Languages: Python (Novice), PowerShell, BASH

Other Skills: Network Security, System Administration, Troubleshooting, Threat Analysis

PROJECTS & LABS

Cengage Cybersecurity Labs (Coursework)

- Completed hands-on labs in vulnerability scanning, network defense, ethical hacking, and incident response
- Used tools such as Metasploit, Nmap, Wireshark, and pfSense within controlled virtual environments
- Gained practical experience in topics like access control, exploitation testing, and security hardening

TryHackMe Cybersecurity Labs — 44 rooms completed (Top 10% still expanding)

- Completed real-world scenarios on network exploitation, privilege escalation, and defensive techniques
- Strengthened understanding of attack vectors and mitigation strategies used in SOC environments

Personal Homelab Project (In Progress)

- Designing and configuring a home network environment for Plex, Adguard, and game server hosting
- Utilizing pfSense for network segmentation, firewall configuration, and traffic management
- Exploring Proxmox, virtualization, remote access, and system monitoring tools

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Chesapeake Pizza, Chesapeake, VA

Lead Line Cook & Dishwasher — Aug 2020 – Present

- Supervise food line operations to maintain order and efficiency during high-volume hours
- Coordinate with team members to maintain effective communication and smooth workflow
- Identify and resolve issues under pressure while maintaining professionalism and attention to detail
- Balance multiple responsibilities such as cooking, training, cleaning, and time management to ensure excellent service
- Ensure workstation and kitchen areas are consistently clean, sanitized, and organized in compliance with safety standards

SOFT SKILLS

Teamwork • Communication • Problem Solving • Time Management • Leadership • Attention to Detail •

Adaptability