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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Motivated cybersecurity student at Old Dominion University (Class of 2026) with a strong interest in protecting systems, preventing cybercrime, and improving digital safety.

Knowledgeable in foundational cybersecurity concepts, network fundamentals, and threat awareness. Seeking opportunities to apply growing skills in a real-world environment while pursuing CompTIA Network+ and Security+ certifications.

EDUCATION

Old Dominion University — Norfolk, VA

Bachelor of Science in Cybersecurity

Expected Graduation: 2026

Relevant Coursework: Basic Cybersecurity Programming and Networking, Introduction to Networking and Security, Cybersecurity Fundamentals, Cryptography for Cybersecurity, Cybersecurity Ethics, Linux System for Cybersecurity, Digital Forensics.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Network security fundamentals
- Windows security & administration
- Linux (basic commands, system navigation)
- Identity & Access Management (MFA, password policies)
- Risk assessment principles
- Vulnerability identification
- Python (basics)
- Java (basics)
- Cyber hygiene & digital safety best practices

Soft Skills: Attention to detail, critical thinking, communication, teamwork, problem-solving

CERTIFICATIONS

- CompTIA Network+ (Planned)
- CompTIA Security+ (Planned)

WORK EXPERIENCE

Package Handling and Customer Service (UPS)

- Organized and transferred packages with high accuracy and speed
- Maintained attention to detail while handling large volumes of inventory
- Demonstrated reliability in a fast-paced, high-pressure environment

Cashier (Casual Eats)

- Handled customer payments and sensitive transaction information securely
- Delivered customer service while managing multiple tasks simultaneously
- Maintained clean, organized workstations and followed safety procedures

Table Busser (Texas Roadhouse)

- Supported front-of-house operations through fast and efficient table turnover
- Worked closely with team members to maintain a clean dining environment

Meat Prep (Felynn's Oriental)

- Followed strict safety, sanitation, and handling procedures
- Demonstrated consistency and attention to detail during food preparation

Volleyball Referee (Virginia Beach Fieldhouse)

- Enforced rules with fairness and accuracy in high-pressure situations
- Communicated clearly with players, coaches, and staff
- Demonstrated strong decision-making under time constraints

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Strong interest in stopping cybercrime and protecting online users

- Actively building skills for a future role in cybersecurity
- Willing to relocate and open to internships or entry-level positions