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EDUCATION

University of Cincinnati – College of Education, Criminal Justice, and Human Services *Expected Graduation: May 2027*
Bachelor/Master of Science in Cybersecurity and Information Technology *GPA: 4.00*

Organizations: UC Cryptocurrency Club, Cyber@UC

Relevant Coursework: Information Security & Assurance, Network Security, Computer & Network Forensics, Cybersecurity Policy, Network Infrastructure Management, System Administration, Database Management I & II, Human Computer Interaction, Systems Analysis & Design, Applied Statistics, Programming I & II, Web Development, Mobile Device Programming, Writing for Business

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Deloitte Internship

Remote, Australia

Cyber Job Simulation on Forge

June 2025 – June 2025

- Executed analysis of system and web activity logs to detect anomalies and potential insider threats.
- Coordinated simulated incident response activities, supporting client teams in identifying suspicious user activity.
- Formulated investigative techniques to assess security risks and deliver actionable findings.
- Answered questions to identify suspicious user activity

Modus Technologies

Rosemont, Illinois

Network Technician / Help Desk

December 2023 – December 2025

- Implemented secure network infrastructures with VLANs and LTE failover, enhancing system reliability.
- Managed and documented 100+ monthly technical support tickets, identifying recurring patterns and escalating security issues.
- Directed product reliability testing with DevOps, reducing client-reported issues by 30%.
- Delivered secure integrations of e-commerce systems (DoorDash, Uber Eats) with POS systems.
- Orchestrated on-site support and training, improving customer experience and demonstrating time management and flexibility.

LEADERSHIP

Modus Technologies

January 2024 – December 2025

Implementation Team Lead

- Headed a team of 3+ technicians to deploy and optimize infrastructure projects, reducing rollout time by 25%.
- Conducted system log reviews and compliance checks during deployments, ensuring secure configurations.
- Designed and delivered structured onboarding and technical training, cutting ramp-up time by 40%.

CERTIFICATIONS & AWARDS

- Dean's List *2023 - 2025*
- Cybersecurity Foundations *January - 2023*
- The Cybersecurity Threat Landscape *January - 2023*

PROJECTS

Proxmox Home Lab | *Virtualization, Researching, and Security Testing*

May 2024

- Configured a virtual server environment using Proxmox VE to simulate network configurations and test security protocols.

Pi-hole | *Self-hosted, DNS Sinkhole*

February 2023

- Set up on a Raspberry Pi to block network-wide advertisements, enhancing network performance and security.

VaultWarden | *Self-hosted, Password Manager, Docker, YMAL*

April 2025

- In the home lab, I configured a reverse proxy and integrated the SMTP protocol for multi-factor authentication (MFA).

SyncStudy | *C#, .NET MAUI, SQLite, MVVM, Git, GitHub.*

August 2025

- Developed a cross-platform study planning app for Android/iOS to manage tasks, set goals, and track academic progress

n8n | *Automation, Docker, VM, Zero Trust, AI*

March 2025

- Self-hosted my n8n instance with Cloudflare zero trust tunnel that updates all my VMs and categorizes my email.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Cybersecurity:** Log Analysis, Insider Threat Detection, IDS/IPS, MFA, DLP (familiarity)
- **Networking & Systems:** Firewalls, ACLs, VLANs, VPNs, TCP/IP, Proxmox Virtualization, Nginx Reverse Proxy
- **Programming Languages:** Python, Java, C#, JavaScript/TypeScript, HTML/CSS, SQL
- **Professional Skills:** Communication Skills, Analytical Skills, Investigative Skills, Curiosity, Initiative, Time Management, Multitasking, Flexibility, Growth Mindset, Team Environment
- **Tools & Frameworks:** React.js, Next.js, Node.js, AI, Docker, Git, GitHub, Cloudflare, SQLite, Tailscale, MongoDB
- **Foreign Languages:** English, Hindi, Gujarati