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Penetration Testing

Linux Administration

Web Development

Software Engineering

Python, C, C++, C#, Assembly, Bash, PowerShell, PHP, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, SQL, Git, Regex, Docker, VMware, AWS

EDUCATION

- **US Coast Guard Academy** New London, CT
Electrical Engineering, Computer Emphasis *June 2014 - May 2018*
 - **Cybersecurity Team Captain:** lead the team to first-place in multiple competitions. Personally developed training material, and briefed VIPs: Commandant, Congressman, [and more](#).
 - **Co-Instructor:** authored the material and taught the [Introduction to Linux](#) course during 2016 & 2017.

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING & CERTIFICATIONS

- **SANS** Alexandria, VA & Online
 - **SEC560: Network Penetration Testing and Ethical Hacking**
1st place victor at culminating penetration test competition, top-10 scorer in NETWARS and Cyber City.
 - **SEC542: Web App Penetration Testing and Ethical Hacking**
 - **SEC505: Securing Windows and PowerShell Automation**
- **Department of Defense: Internship** (TS/SCI, CI polygraph)
- **CompTIA Security+** (2019)
- **OSCP - Offensive Security Certified Professional** (2019)

COMPETITIONS & EVENTS

US Navy “HackTheMachine”
(2017) 1st Place

US Army “CYBERSTAKES”
(2015, 2016, 2017) 2nd place

UConn “CyberSEED”
(2015, 2016, 2017) 2nd place

DoD “Cyber Guard/Flag”
(2016,2017)

DEFCON “Capture the Packet”
(2017) 2nd place, (2019) Challenge Developer

NSA Cyber Exercise
(2017) 2nd place

LCE “HackWarz”
(2017) 2nd Place

SANS Holiday Hack Challenge
(2015, 2017) Super Honorable Mention

Booz Allen Hamilton “KaizenCTF”
(2017) 1st place Personal, 2nd place Team

BsidesDC “Pros vs. Joes”
(2018) 1st Place

OWASP Boston
(2018) Red Team Lead

BsidesCT, BsidesDE, BsidesTampa
(2018) Speaker & Presenter

CyberPatriot
(2019) Technical Mentor

CMU’s PicoCTF
(2019) Challenge Developer

BsidesLV “Pros vs. Joes”
(2019) Blue Team Captain

WORK EXPERIENCE & PROJECTS

- **Red Team Cyber Operator** with the [Defense Threat Reduction Agency](#) (DTRA). Emulated advanced persistent threats as a penetration tester with expertise in network exploitation, lateral movement and local privilege escalation. Extensive use of Linux shell scripting, kernel and userland rootkits. *(2019 - Present; SilentTrinity, Bloodhound, Covenant, Watson)*
- **Instructor & Curriculum Developer** with the [Department of Defense Cyber Crime Center](#) (DC3): [Cyber Training Academy](#) (CTA). Created material and taught military members Cyber Threat Emulation and Red-Teaming, regarding offensive Python, PowerShell, and multiple open-source frameworks *(2018 - 2019; Nessus, Metasploit, Empire, ExploitDB)*
- **Frontend Development & Backend Security** with [PumpOut.me](#) & [HRaspirin/Blupass](#); version control with an internal repository, developed user interface and server logic. *(2017 - 2018; Bash, PHP Laravel, Vue.js, SQL, HTML, CSS, Git)*
- **Incident Response** with [ManageInfinity](#) and [Blue Team Alpha](#), providing infrastructure support and forensic analysis to ensure the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of key services. *(2018 - 2019; GRR, Endgame, AWS, VMware, Git)*
- **Sandbox Deployment & Provisioning** with corporate network services and infrastructure, like Active Directory/web servers/FTP/DNS/e-mail servers/databases. *(2017; VMware, Docker, PowerShell, PowerCLI, C#)*

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