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STRENGTHS

- 🔍 **Evidence-led analysis**
During a simulated compromise, traced events back to source logs before recommending containment. Faculty valued clear reasoning.
- 👥 **Collaborative response**
Worked through incident exercises with peers, inviting competing views first. Shared notes helped each rotation start faster.
- ✅ **Careful validation**
Prompt experiments produced useful leads, yet every result was checked against logs and documentation before use.
- 💡 **Practical communication**
Translated networking and operating-system risks for nontechnical classmates. Questions became clearer after each briefing.
- 💡 **Ownership in learning**
When unfamiliar tools appeared, built small tests and documented findings. Teammates began seeking that preparation during labs.

SKILLS

Security Operations

SIEM Alert Triage

Vulnerability Management

Log Analysis Incident Response

Threat Detection Networking

Cloud Concepts

Identity and Access

Critical Thinking

Root-Cause Analysis

Technical Communication

SUMMARY

Cybersecurity student pursuing a Bachelor of Science at Illinois Institute of Technology, graduating June 2028 with a 3.62 GPA. Hands-on lab and capstone work covers **security operations**, SIEM alert triage, **vulnerability management**, log analysis, **incident response**, identity concepts, cloud infrastructure, networking, Linux, Windows, Python, Bash, and **security controls**. Splunk, Wireshark, OpenVAS, Nmap, Azure, Jira-style workflows, and ServiceNow-style records supported investigations, remediation tracking, and evidence-based recommendations. AI-assisted research has been validated through source checks, reproduced results, and root-cause investigation rather than accepted without review. Clear presentations have helped faculty, peers, and student technology groups act on technical findings. Ready to support a collaborative cybersecurity team through careful analysis, useful documentation, responsible automation, and practical protection of enterprise systems and customer data.

EDUCATION

Bachelor's Degree in Cybersecurity

Illinois Institute of Technology 🎓 GPA: 3.62 📅 2028 📍 Chicago, IL

Coursework: *Network Security, Security Operations, Cloud Infrastructure, Incident Response, Vulnerability Management*

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **SIEM and Log Analysis:** Splunk, Windows Event Logs, Alert Triage
- **Network Analysis:** Wireshark, DNS, TLS
- **Vulnerability Management:** OpenVAS, Nmap, Remediation Tracking
- **Cloud Platforms:** Microsoft Azure, Azure Virtual Machines, Cloud Infrastructure
- **Operating Systems:** Linux, Windows, SSH
- **Scripting Languages:** Python, Bash, PowerShell
- **Work Management:** Jira, ServiceNow, Backlog Workflows
- **Security Operations:** Threat Detection, Incident Response, Security Monitoring
- **Identity Security:** Identity Mapping, Access Controls, Authentication Events
- **Security Governance:** Asset Inventories, Security Controls, Security Documentation
- **AI Security Workflows:** Prompt Engineering, Output Validation, Root-Cause Investigation
- **Network Security:** Firewalls, Subnets, Network Segmentation
- **Application Security:** Application Logs, Web Servers, Service Dependencies
- **Incident Analysis:** Timeline Analysis, Evidence Review, Containment Recommendations
- **Communication Methods:** Technical Presentations, After-Action Reports, Peer Briefings

EXPERIENCE

Cybersecurity Operations Student Researcher

University Cyber Defense Lab 📅 September 2025 - Present 📍 Chicago, IL

Support supervised security operations research for a 22-host instructional network. Monitor logs, review vulnerabilities, maintain asset records, document investigations, and present root-cause findings for faculty and student teams.

- Monitored **Splunk** dashboards and Windows event logs, escalating simulated authentication anomalies for faculty review.
- Built **Wireshark** filters and **Python** parsers, separating routine traffic from indicators requiring investigation.
- Maintained endpoint **asset inventories**, giving weekly security exercises a consistent review scope.

Automation

Spanish Intermediate

- Microsoft Azure Fundamentals Learning Credential 📅 2026
- Introduction to Cybersecurity, Cisco Networking Academy 📅 2026
- Python for Everybody Certificate, Coursera 📅 2025

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Cybersecurity Club, Incident Response Workshop Coordinator, 2025 - Present
- Illinois Tech Cyber Defense Lab, Peer Lab Facilitator, 2026
- Technology Student Association, Security Awareness Presentation Volunteer, 2025 - Present

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Work Status : Authorized to work in United States. No sponsorship required.

REFERENCES

AVAILABLE ON REQUEST