


Boots Garvens

Security Specialist

Security Specialist with 2 years of experience in implementing security solutions and safeguarding critical assets. Proficient in risk assessment, policy development, and security systems management. Demonstrated ability to quickly identify vulnerabilities and implement corrective measures. Adept at collaborating with cross-functional teams and providing security awareness training. Committed to ensuring the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of information and resources.

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Education

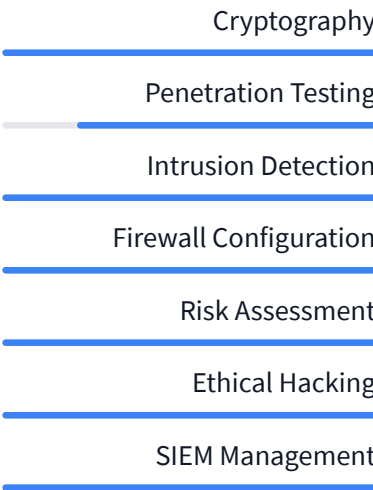
Bachelor of Science in Cybersecurity at Southern New Hampshire University, Manchester, NH
Sep 2016 - May 2021

Relevant Coursework: Network Security, Cryptography, Cyber Defense, Ethical Hacking, Digital Forensics, Secure Software Development, Security Risk Management, and Cybersecurity Policy & Governance.

Links

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Skills



Employment History

Security Specialist at Secured Network Services, NH

Feb 2023 - Present

- Implemented a comprehensive security strategy for a major client, resulting in a 50% reduction in security incidents within the first year.
- Conducted a detailed security audit for a financial institution, identifying and mitigating over 100 potential vulnerabilities and ensuring compliance with industry regulations.
- Spearheaded the development and deployment of a new intrusion detection system, which increased threat detection rates by 75% and significantly improved response times.
- Trained and mentored a team of 10 junior security analysts, increasing their average skill level by 30% and contributing to a 25% reduction in overall security risks for the company.

Associate Security Specialist at C3IA Solutions, NH

Aug 2021 - Dec 2022

- Implemented a cybersecurity program for a major client, resulting in a 35% reduction in security incidents within the first six months.
- Conducted vulnerability assessments for over 50 systems, identifying and mitigating over 200 potential risks and improving overall system security by 25%.
- Developed and delivered comprehensive security training to over 100 employees, increasing security awareness and reducing the number of reported phishing attempts by 40%.
- Successfully managed a team of five security analysts, achieving a 95% on-time completion rate for all assigned projects and exceeding client satisfaction metrics by 20%.

Certificates

Certified Information Systems Security Professional (CISSP)

Dec 2021

Certified Ethical Hacker (CEH)

Apr 2020

Memberships