

# Merryl Takahata

Transportation Security Officer

## Profile

Dedicated Transportation Security Officer with 1 year of experience ensuring the safety and security of passengers and transportation facilities. Highly skilled in screening passengers, luggage, and cargo, while adhering to strict security protocols and providing exceptional customer service. Demonstrated ability to identify potential threats and respond effectively in high-pressure situations. Committed to continuous professional development and staying current with industry standards and regulations.

## Employment History

### Transportation Security Officer at Transportation Security Administration (TSA), ID

Mar 2023 - Present

- Successfully screened over 1,500 passengers and 3,000 carry-on items daily, maintaining a 99% accuracy rate in identifying prohibited items and ensuring the safety of all travelers.
- Efficiently resolved over 200 security incidents per month, including the identification and confiscation of contraband materials, resulting in zero successful security breaches during the tenure.
- Implemented a new training program for 50+ new hires, reducing onboarding time by 30% and increasing overall team proficiency in security protocols and procedures.

### Transportation Security Officer Trainee at Idaho Department of Transportation, ID

Aug 2022 - Jan 2023

- Successfully completed 200 hours of rigorous training, including courses on passenger and baggage screening procedures, threat detection, and conflict management, which led to a 10% increase in efficiency within the team.
- Conducted over 500 security screenings per day, resulting in a 99% accuracy rate in identifying dangerous items and maintaining the safety of passengers and employees at the Idaho Department of Transportation.
- Assisted with the implementation of a new security technology system, which increased the overall detection rate of prohibited items by 15% and contributed to a safer transportation environment for all travelers.

## Education

### Associate of Applied Science in Homeland Security at Idaho State University, Pocatello, ID

Sep 2018 - May 2022

Relevant Coursework: Emergency Management, Intelligence Analysis, Cybersecurity, Risk Assessment, Critical Infrastructure Protection, Border Security, Terrorism Studies, and Disaster Preparedness.

## Details

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## Skills

X-ray Interpretation

Biometric Screening

CCTV Monitoring

Explosives Detection

Radio Communication

Passenger Profiling

Access Control

## Languages

English

Indonesian

## Hobbies

Model train building

Drone flying and photography

Cycling and exploring new routes