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EDUCATION

University of Scranton

Graduation May 2025

Majoring in Cybercrime & Homeland Security

Scranton, PA

Majoring in Philosophy

Legal Studies Concentration

- Earned placement on the Dean's List three times until time of resume (Fall 2023)
- Maintained a commendable 3.4 GPA while pursuing a dual major in Cybercrime & Homeland Security, and Philosophy with a legal studies concentration, showcasing a strong commitment to academic excellence and multidisciplinary learning.
- Actively engaged in various extracurricular activities, including membership in the Photography Club, Pre-Law Society, United Cultural Organization, Irish Club, Philosophy Society and Intramural Sports, demonstrating a well-rounded involvement in diverse interests and campus communities.
- Distinguished myself as a key contributor in a national "CTF" style cybercrime and hacking tournament for college students, earning second place overall and achieving the highest individual score among all participants, reflecting exceptional technical skills and problem-solving abilities.
- Successfully served as a defense attorney in a pivotal mock trial during a major class, leading the team to a victory and showcasing persuasive communication skills, legal knowledge, and the ability to perform under pressure.
- Excellently balanced multiple commitments by maintaining a work study job alongside academic and extracurricular responsibilities, demonstrating strong time management, organizational skills, and a commitment to professional development.

Father Judge High School

Graduation June 2021

Philadelphia, PA

CYBERCRIME INVESTIGATION EXPERIENCE

Invited to the prestigious 2023 International White Hat Conference held at Boston University as a speaker and competitor

June 2023

Boston, MA

Team Cyber Royals

- Personally invited to the conference, spoke and presented a paper/board on a possible correlation between older predators being in online rings rather than younger predators on average.
- Listened to speeches by members of the FBI, Department of Homeland Security, Interpol, Europol, Children's Advocacy Center of Suffolk County & more.
- Spoke about and met with the creators and spokespeople of various companies who make the leading cybercrime tools. (ADF Solutions & ImmuniWeb)

1st in personal points in the Utica University 2023 Cyber Forensics Student Competition and Conference & 2nd team placement.

April 2023

Team Cybers Royals

- Participated in Utica University's 2023 Cyber Forensics Student Competition and Conference, engaging in a virtual team-based cybercrime investigation focused on digital forensics.
- Contributed to the event's theme of combating online child exploitation and victimization, gaining insights into the various forms of online child sexual exploitation and relevant legislation.
- Explored innovative techniques and global measures during the conference to disrupt cybercrime investigations and contributed to discussions on effective criminal justice policies.

- Played a role in the foundational effort of the conference to enhance higher education capacities in cybersecurity, computer forensics, and digital evidence, with a focus on improving cybercrime investigations and successful prosecutions.
- Received recognition or awards for achievements in the competition, showcasing dedication to the conference's objectives and demonstrating skills in cybercrime investigation and digital forensics.

2nd place in the 2023 Endicott College Halloween CTF Challenge

October 2023

Team Jesus-loving Jesuits

- Participated in Endicott College's 2023 Halloween CTF Challenge, engaging in a virtual team-based cybercrime investigation focused on digital forensics.
- Received 2nd place.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Boscovs

Oct. 2023 – Present

Small Appliances

- Handling of stock items, money, and customer service.

ACME Markets

Aug. 2022 – Aug. 2023

Deli Worker

Cape May, New Jersey

- Provide exceptional customer service by greeting customers, taking orders, and answering inquiries in a friendly and professional manner.
- Prepare and assemble a variety of deli items, according to customer specifications and established recipes.
- Ensure the freshness and quality of all deli products by regularly monitoring expiration dates, rotating stock, and maintaining proper food storage procedures.
- Operate deli equipment, such as slicers and grills, safely and efficiently to slice meats and cheeses and cook ingredients as required.
- Maintain a clean and organized deli area by sanitizing surfaces, washing utensils, and regularly restocking supplies.
- Assist in inventory management by conducting regular stock checks, recording product usage, and notifying management of any shortages or discrepancies.
- Follow all food safety and sanitation guidelines to ensure compliance with health and safety regulations.
- Collaborate with team members to ensure smooth deli operations, including assisting with food preparation, sharing knowledge and skills, and supporting coworkers during peak periods.
- Upsell and promote deli products, specials, and promotions to increase sales and customer satisfaction.

Weinberg Memorial Library

January 2023 – Present

Library Worker (Work Study)

Scranton, PA

- Assist library patrons in accessing and utilizing media resources, including DVDs, CDs, audiobooks, and digital media platforms.
- Provide knowledgeable guidance to patrons in finding and selecting appropriate media resources based on their interests and needs.
- Process new media acquisitions, including labeling, covering, and inputting relevant information into the library database.
- Maintain the condition of media resources by inspecting for damages, repairing or replacing cases as needed, and cleaning discs to ensure optimal playback.
- Monitor and enforce borrowing policies for media resources, including checking items in and out, managing reservations, and collecting late fees when necessary.
- Stay up-to-date with emerging media technologies and trends to provide informed recommendations and support for digital media platforms and streaming services.

Wing It

June 2021 – August 2021

Kitchen Worker

Villas, NJ

- Expertly handle food preparation tasks in a fast-paced chicken shop kitchen, ensuring accurate portioning, seasoning, and cooking of chicken products.

- Maintain a clean and organized kitchen environment by following sanitation procedures, washing dishes, and sanitizing food preparation surfaces and equipment regularly.

Jumbos Grub & Pub

June 2020 – September 2020

Runner/Bus/Expo

Wildwood, NJ

- Acted as a vital link between the kitchen and waitstaff, ensuring smooth communication and timely delivery of food orders as a runner, bust boy, and expeditor.

SKILLS & INTERESTS

- **Skills :** Dedicated, Analytical, Critical Thinker, Detail-oriented, Strong Research Skills, Excellent Written and Verbal Communication, Logical Reasoning, Problem Solver, Strong Work Ethic, Time Management, Professional Integrity, Team Player, Coding/Programming Skills, Cybersecurity Awareness, Familiarity with Emerging Technologies
- **Interests:** Music, Guitar, Basketball, Hockey, Drawing, Reading, Politics, Football, Baseball, Fashion, History, Philosophy (with extended interest in Asian Philosophy & Logic), the Beatles, AI, Hiking