

# CHRISTIAN D. HOBSON

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## EXPERIENCE

### Security Operations Specialist

#### Jesse Brown VA Hospital

📅 Jun 2022 - Ongoing    📍 Chicago, IL

- Led security awareness initiatives, adeptly educating staff on IT protocols and procedures.
- Design, develop, and deploy tailored countermeasures and integrations to elevate security resilience.
- Expedite resolution of intricate malware and intrusion issues internally, minimizing disruption and restoring system integrity promptly.

### Management Trainee

#### Rent-A-Car

📅 Jun 2021- Jun 2022    📍 Chicago, IL

- Completed comprehensive training program in rental car business, where addressed rental needs inquiries and ensured satisfaction.
- Cultivated and sustained relationships with B2B and B2C clientele to evaluate market shifts and customer demands.

### Turret Guard

#### Brinks Security

📅 Jan 2018 - Jun 2021    📍 Chicago, IL

- Manned security systems, including surveillance cameras and alarms, to ensure safety of entire premises.
- Operated armored vehicle's turret, ensuring its readiness and reliability for secure transport operations.
- Swiftly and decisively responded to emergencies, and security breaches, effectively mitigating risks and safeguarding personnel and assets.

## EDUCATION

### Bachelor of Science

#### Cyber/Computer Forensics and Counterterrorism

📅 Apr 2019 - Dec 2022

### Bachelor Arts - Spanish Language and Literature

#### Illinois State University

📅 Aug 2014 - May 2017

## EARLY CAREER SYNOPSIS

### Campus Dorm Security Officer

#### University of Chicago

📅 Aug 2018 - Sep 2020    📍 Chicago, IL

### Early Morning Support

#### Macy's State Street

📅 Nov 2010 - Aug 2014    📍 Chicago, IL

## KEY VALUE OFFERINGS



#### Application security

Conduct vulnerability analysis in applications, OS, and networks.



#### Network security

Implement security models, i firewall, VPN, IDS, and server setups.



#### Intrusion Detection

Employ testing to pinpoint intrusion responding to security breaches.



#### Cross-functional collaboration

Collaborate with Cybersecurity Risk and Security Operations teams to fortify enterprise-wide security posture.

## CORE COMPETENCIES

NIST

PCI

HIPPA

Security Operations

EDR & User Behavioural Analysis

SOAR Platforms

Network Traffic Analysis

Presentation Patch Management

IDPS

SIEM

MITRE ATT

Ethical Hacking

Vulnerability Management

## CERTIFICATIONS

### Assets, Threats, and Vulnerabilities

#### Google

📅 | Feb 2024

### Tools of the Trade: Linux and SQL

#### Google

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### Connect and Protect: Networks and Network Security

#### Google

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### Foundations of Cybersecurity

#### Google

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