Maximus Marin

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EDUCATION

Texas A&M University

Aug 2023 – Dec 2027

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, Minor in Cybersecurity and Statistics - GPA 4.0

College Station, TX

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, C/C++, Java, Haskell, Bash, SQL, x86 assembly

Skills/Technologies: Incident Response, OOP, Linux System Administration, Technical Support (English/Spanish), Shell Scripting, Manage SELinux, Containerization, WordPress, Flask, TCP/IP, OWASP, Threat Analysis, Log Analysis Tools: Elastic Stack, Axonius, ExtraHop, Cisco OORT, Azure, GitHub, VS Code, Podman, Neovim, Jupyter Notebook Libraries: Pandas, Selenium, NumPy, Matplotlib, MediaPipe, Requests (REST APIs), Scikit-learn, LightGBM Certifications: CompTIA Security+, CompTIA Network+, Red Hat Certified System Administrator (RHCSA), ExtraHop (ECNE & ENSE), Certified Associate in Python Programming (PCEP & PCAP)

EXPERIENCE

Cybersecurity Apprentice

Oct 2024 – Present

Cybersecurity Apprenticeship Program (CAP) at TAMU

College Station, TX

- Monitor, analyze, and respond to school-wide cybersecurity incidents while contributing to projects enhancing network security, cyber frameworks, and incident management in focused departments at Texas A&M University.
- Scripted and optimized Elastic queries to streamline incident detection, improving log analysis efficiency and supporting 15+ employees in faster, more accurate investigations.
- Conduct daily cybersecurity training and practice offensive security techniques on platforms such as HackTheBox.

Student Technician

Aug 2023 – May 2024

Texas A&M University Technology Services

College Station, TX

- Diagnosed and resolved hardware, software, and network issues for faculty, staff, and students both in-person and remotely, ensuring smooth operations within CEHD for approximately 5,000 faculty, staff, and students.
- Managed and maintained laptops, desktops, printers, and other hardware using Active Directory, imaging machines, and installing authorized applications via a Windows SMB server.

Projects

Lakitu's Car Quality Predictor | Python, Scikit-learn, XGBoost, Streamlit

Jun 2025

- Built a machine learning model to classify car quality using real-world vehicle data, deployed as an interactive web app with explainability features to help users during acquisition phase.
- Achieved strong performance and earned 2nd place at InnovaLab 2025 Machine Learning Hackathon at Tecnológico de Monterrey, Campus Ciudad Juárez, Mexico.

Craftlab | Kubernetes, Docker, Grafana, Elastic Stack, Pi-hole, WireGuard

May 2025 – Present

- Built a multi-node Kubernetes homelab with a security-first approach, containerizing all services (Grafana, Uptime Kuma, Pi-hole, Dashy), enabling SSL certificates for encrypted access, and documenting all setup details.
- Deployed a resilient Minecraft server capable of hosting 20+ concurrent players. Integrated Elastic Stack for SIEM to expand observability and security analytics across local network infrastructure.

Extracurriculars

Hackathons and Organizations

Oct 2023 - Present

Member and participant

College Station, TX

- Regularly competed at TAMU Datathon, TAMUhack and TAMUctf, focusing on machine learning, data science, app development, and cybersecurity. Earned 2nd place in two iterations, impacting 160+ participants.
- Active member of Cybersecurity Club, Cisco Networking Academy, Aggie Data Science Club, and HKN-IEEE.

First Robotics Competition - XRams 6200

Aug 2020 - May 2023

Team Member & Mentor

Ciudad Juarez, Mexico

- Designed and programmed competition robots; developed a team website and implemented GitHub repositories.
- Volunteered to bring robotics education to underserved communities; teaching programming and mechanics to over 300 participants and 12 schools along 2 years.
- Now mentor a 50+ member team in robot programming and game strategy.