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EXPERIENCE

GRIMM (SMFS, INC) - SR Technical Trainer- May 2022 - Current

- Delivered training to customers and at public events and industry conferences.
- Developed training modules designed for workshops, conferences, and training courses.
- Participated in cross-team projects concentrated on threat modeling research and implementation. .

Intezer Labs - Linux and Security Advocate- October 2020 - May 2022

- Kept informed of Cyber Security trends and provided security professionals.trends and best practices on mitigation in easy to understand terms.
- Created technical content in multiple forms to educate security professionals on security best practices.
- Educated security professionals on how to monitor and react to threats within their network.

A Cloud Guru/Linux Academy - Community Training Architect - July 2018-September 2020

- Co-Hosted Choose Linux and Jupiter podcasts focusing on keeping the community up to date on security news and culture.
- Produced container fundamentals training.
- Participated and spoke at in-person and online conferences such as All Day DevOps, CircleCityCon, and Open Source Summit North America.

Rackspace- Open Stack Technical Trainer - July 2017 - July 2018

- Conducted strategic needs analysis conversations and made recommendations based on business objectives and KPIs
- Created and presented workshops and training on OpenStack technologies for local, national, and worldwide conferences.
- Created customer-facing training material for classroom and web-based training.

Technical Skills

Linux desktop and server, git, virtualization, Docker and Kubernetes basics, Cloud Platforms

Soft Skills

Communication, Project Management, Perception & Adaptability, Presentation,

CERTIFICATIONS

GCIH Certified Incident Handler
2020 - Present

GCSA Cloud Security Automation
2021 - Present

GSEC Security Essentials
2020 - Present

CompTIA Security+
2020 - Present

AWS Cloud Practitioner
2019 - Present

OpenStack Certified Administrator
2017-2019

RedHat Certified System Administrator & Engineer
2014-2017

Education

Wayland Baptist
San Antonio 2001-2004
Bachelor of Science in Occupational Education.

Rackspace – *Enterprise Linux Administrator* - October 2014 - July 2017

- Managed enterprise-level account Linux servers.
- Provided customer action plans and reports based on monitoring alerts, server logs, system resources, and customer feedback.
- Focused on troubleshooting and resolving system service issues and OS-level issues.