

MATT ANDERSON

Cybersecurity | Risk Management | Governance | Compliance

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Personal Skills

- Team leadership & training
- Excellent verbal and written communication.
- Project, personnel, and task management.
- Ability to analyze data, identify trends, and develop solution strategy.

Education

AA in Media Design Technology

Ridgewater College
Willmar, MN
08/2001 – 05/2003

Security+ Certification

CompTIA

Profile



Cybersecurity professional with 10+ years of experience protecting organizational assets from cyber threats. Proven track record in risk management, security, cloud migrations, and strategic planning. Proficient in threat analysis, incident response, audit and vulnerability assessment and remediation. Adept at identifying gaps, implementing mitigation strategies, and ensuring compliance with industry standards, proactive defense and innovation.

Experience

2020 – Present | MBA Engineering, Inc.

IT Systems and Security Manager

Management of cybersecurity and compliance programs to deliver IT and OT convergence, best practices to Fortune 500 clients within the United States Critical Infrastructure.

- Lead the management of enterprise-wide IT systems supporting both systems and users across multiple locations.
- Implemented the ISMS Program and obtained the ISO27001:2013 certification in three months.
- Maintaining and supporting the ISO 27001 certification for 4+ years while also recertifying the ISMS program to the latest ISO2700:2022 version
- Directed the upgrade and migration of multiple on-premises SharePoint Farms
- Implemented endpoint security protocols and firewalls, reducing cyber threat
- Lead internal phishing simulations and employee training programs.
- Alignment of business operations and objectives to engineering, automation, and industrial controls cybersecurity and risk mitigation controls.
- Managed cybersecurity and compliance audit teams and projects, reporting the assessment gaps, and developing the remediation strategy and resolutions.

2017 – 2020 | MBA Engineering, Inc.

Senior Systems Analyst

- Maintained and upgraded infrastructure across Windows Server, Linux, and VMware environments.
- Infrastructure and systems management and support for corporate office and data center for client facing operations and services.
- System and user helpdesk support for 40+ employees

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Technical Skills

- Firewall, Host & Network IDS / IPS
- Identity & Access Control Management, MFA
- Centralized & Distributed systems audit logging best practices
- Enterprise infrastructure & architecture design
- Endpoint vulnerability and patch management
- IoT, IIoT, OT, and ICS cybersecurity

GRC Skills

- Audit assessment and reporting procedure
- Risk analysis, register, and management.
- GRC policy, plan, process document creation and management.
- External audit project and activities management
- Communication with third parties, suppliers, vendors, concerning GRC requirements.
- Supply Chain and Software Bill of Materials risk analysis and management.
- Open-Source Software security and risk assessment

Experience continued

2016 – 2017 | Comm-Works

Level 2 Network Operations Center Analyst

Responsible for NOC Tier 2 services critical to the successful operation of the technical support environment, focal point for communication between technical groups, Tier 1 and client personnel, and end-to-end service delivery across the service operation lifecycle.

- Supported Client Networks for Restaurant and Retail businesses
- Worked with ISPs when troubleshooting , setting up new circuits and reporting outages
- Assisted remote techs with hardware replacement and upgrades
- Maintained and/or improved customer satisfaction by providing troubleshooting with ability to identify and report on routine issues.
- Maintain integrated hardware and software solutions.
- Oversight or direct participation in adds, changes, modifications to hardware and software solutions.

2006 – 2016 | Brown & Brown

Network and Systems Support

- Provided exceptional customer service and support experience for 250+ employees across 32 national locations and offices.
- Developed automated desktop imaging, operating system and application delivery architecture and infrastructure to reduce department and personnel downtime.
- Maintained and upgraded infrastructure across Windows Server, SonicWall Firewalls, and Hyper -V environments.
- Lead and orchestrated new office openings and moves. Circuit turn-ups and upgrades.
- Maintained, monitored, and improved hardware and systems, perform preventative maintenance, met expectations of Service Level Agreements (SLA) to internal and external client stakeholders.
- Prompt technical assistance in response to support calls, emails, service tickets, and internal requests.
- Responsible for capturing and cataloging requests in ticketing system and escalation of urgent issues.
- Tested upgrades, interfaces, and fixes to assure quality, security, and mitigation of outages and downtime beyond planned service and maintenance windows.
- Promoted company values, initiatives, policies and procedures.
- Participated in on-call after-hours support rotation.

Industry Appointments, Activities & Volunteering

- Board position, Minnesota Chapter Information Systems Security Association