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Summary

Mission-driven Intelligence and Security Specialist with more than 15 years of expertise conducting security and intelligence operations to identify, assess, and eliminate potential threats. Eligible TS/SCI security clearance.

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| Education  Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice Administration  University of Phoenix  Certifications  **School Security Specialist,** 2018  **DHS Watchlist Analyst,** 2016  **US Army Small Arms Repair**  **US Army Strategic Debriefing**  Professional Development  Advanced Non-Commissioned Officer Course, USAIC & FH, AZ  Basic Non-Commissioned Officer Course, USAIC & FH, AZ  Basic Unit Armorer School, Ft. Riley, KS  Intelligence Analyst Course (96B), USAIC & FH, AZ  Primary Leadership Development Course, 1st AD NCO Academy, Baumholder, Germany  Interrogator Course (97E), USAIC & FH, AZ  **Languages**  **Arabic Language Training**, Defense School of Languages, Beaconsfield, England  **German Language Training**, Defense Language Institute, CA | Qualifications Summary   * Demonstrated experience working with the Department of Defense and the Department of Homeland Security on various strategic operations. * Adept at analyzing and resolving problems and developing and instituting the appropriate policies and procedures. * Core competencies include Joint Personnel Adjudications Systems (JPAS), Threat Assessments, Problem Resolution Intelligence Systems, Research & Analysis, as well as Inter-Agency Collaboration.   Career Experience  Target Corporation – Melbourne, FL 2020 – Present  Target Security Specialist/Operations Specialist  Hold responsibility for theft prevention, crowd management, and crisis response. Utilize de-escalation tactics when confronting shoplifting suspects. Successfully document more than 90 cases into industry-standard management systems for essential follow-up. Rapidly respond to emergencies and crises within the facility.   * Assess human behaviors through a closed-circuit video system to identify and halt over 100 security situations involving loss or property damage.   Brevard Public Schools – Brevard County, FL 2018 – 2020  School Security Specialist  Trained for any potentially deadly incident involving active assailants. Identified impending security concerns and up-channel updates to District Security. Aided the school’s administrative staff in the execution of policies and procedures. Liaised with local law enforcement during risky security procedures.   * Presided within an Armed School Safety position focused on the safety and security of more than 600 students and over 100 employees on school grounds.   National Transportation Vetting Center – Colorado Springs, CO 2013 – 2018  Senior Transportation Security Specialist  Observed intelligence threat streams using multiple agency resources, including National Counter-Terrorism Center (NCTC) Situational Reports, National Targeting Center (NTC) Reports, Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Intelligence Reports, and TSA Operational Executive Summaries. Gathered information from various sources on venues and individuals concerning transportation security and incidents. Delivered information and data to upper management through senior-level reports, including the TSA Administrator Daily Briefing, White House Situational Reports, and DHS Secretary briefings. Completed detailed analysis of transportation system security threats and conducted an evaluation of sources to establish credibility.   * Championed a team of 24 analysts focused on the detection, processing, and analysis of operational intelligence to support the Department of Homeland Security in monitoring transportation systems. |

Northrop Grumman – Schriever AFB, CO 2012 – 2013

Industrial Security Specialist

Collaborated with the Contractor Program Security Officer (CPSO) and the Facility Security Officer (FSO) on the efficient execution of the security program. Identified customer security conditions and guaranteed essential security access requests with applicable government agencies. Held responsibility for adhering to JAFAN, Northrop Grumman, administrative policies and procedures, as well as NISPOM requirements. Certified that all security support for Sensitive Compartmented Information (SCI) level programs and operations of associated Sensitive Compartmented Information Facilities (SCIF’s) remained in accordance with governing directives.

* Streamlined the management of JPAS and Scattered Castles clearance processing for over 500 Northrop Grumman employees.

United States Army – Fort Carson, CO & Fort Riley, KS 2004 – 2011

First Sergeant, 2009 – 2011

Headed manpower division for Intelligence Soldiers in the Brigade as well as a clearance update for over 2,300 active clearances. Led two Secure Compartmented Information Facilities and three deployed teams. Oversaw rear-detachment services for a Brigade of more than 2,300 deployed soldiers.

* Slashed response time for clearance actions through the execution of a SharePoint collaboration site that processed information from deployed soldiers.

Team Sergeant, 2008 – 2009

Presided as a Liaison between external correspondents in an effort to establish project specifications for limited resources. Monitored a training of an Iraq Brigade to acquire the necessary equipment for self-sufficiency. Expertly deployed an 11-man Military Transition Team (MiTT) to Iraq.

* Instructed foreign security of 3,800 soldiers on communications, border enforcement, intelligence, operations, infantry tactics, civil policing, fire support, and logistics.
* Utilized U.S. close air support, medical evacuation, and indirect fire during operations.
* Presided as a liaison between foreign units and the U.S. units to guarantee each unit remained up to date on operations.

Intelligence Sergeant, 2004 – 2008

Regulated more than $3M of classified and unclassified systems and hardware. Supervised a team of 24 Secure Compartmented Information Facility (SCIF) personnel delivering intelligence to deployed 1st Army assets. Cultivated a SharePoint site that contained numerous self-help instructional documents and usage reports.

* Pioneered the revitalization of all computer systems in the 1st Army SCIF to meet and exceed Information Assurance (IA) standards.
* Secured a savings of more than $50k through the revamp of a classified signal gathering network.

Additional Experience

Intelligence Sergeant Major, United States Army, Camp Arifjan, Kuwait

Intelligence Watch Officer, United States Army, Yokota AFB, Japan

Opposing Force Intelligence Sergeant, United States Army, Fort Irwin, CA

Document Exploitation Team Leader, United States Army, Fort Gordon, GA

Interrogator, 8th ID, United States Army, Germany