

KEEGAN HEATON

NETWORK SECURITY PROFESSIONAL

PROFILE

Strong academic talent with experience in systems engineering, having excelled as a Network Engineering student. Proven leader and technical innovator as a National Cyber League Team Lead at the University of Advancing Technology, where I fostered team collaboration and skill development. Contributed to optimizing program performance at Grab the Axe Security Solutions by improving IP and MAC scanning and mapping processes. Skilled in Linux OS, Bash Shell Scripting, and system optimization, with a strong ability to apply technical knowledge in fast-paced, highpressure environments. Known for exceptional problem-solving skills, troubleshooting complex systems, and delivering clear technical reports.

TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

2/10/2025 - PRESENT University of Advancing Technology, Tempe, AZ

National Cyber League Team Lead

- Mentor and train new team members on various cybersecurity tools, OSINT techniques, and best practices used in CTF competitions and real-world
- Develop and lead training on network analysis, system security, and system
- Complete advanced TryHackMe modules for skill development. Module Completed: Metasploit, Network Hardening, Incident Response, Cyber Threat Intelligence

SeedAI, Phoenix, AZ

12/5/2024

AI CTF COMPETITION (First Place)

- · Competed with other individuals in the field of cyber in policy penetration testing
- Utilized interface security vulnerabilities and adversarial testing strategies to receive information within an outlined scope.

6/23/2025-6/27/2025 FBI Phoenix Cyber Academy Volunteer, AZ

Federal Bureau of Investigation -Supervisor- Brittany Sharp

- Assisted FBI Phoenix with the organization and daily project assistance of the first annual Cyber Teen Academy hosted at University of Advancing Technology (UAT)
- Led students through a general demonstration of analysis tools and then provided hands-on assistance for applying these tools, FTK Imager and John the Ripper, to the evidence collected for the mock case.

PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPEREINCE

University of Advancing Technology, Tempe, AZ 2/10/2024 - 5/2/2024

Financial Aid Office Assistant

- Demonstrated excellent communication skills, reliability, and a proactive approach to problem solving.
- Worked with high-profile information such as Social Security Numbers and Veteran Financial Benefits.

University of Advancing Technology, Tempe, AZ 8/28/2025-12/20/2025 Web Security Analyst Intern

 identified two vulnerabilities, conducted security audits, and implemented protective measures to ensure a secure environment.

CONTACT

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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF ADVANCING TECHNOLOGY, TEMPE, AZ AUG 2023 - DEC 2025

- Bachelors in Network Engineering
- Bachelors in Technology Forensics
- Associates in Network Security

SKILLS

- Technical Writing
- Policy Analysis
- Autopsy
- FTK Imager

ADEPT A.I MODEL PROMPTING

- Perplexity
- Claude
- Gemini
- Bolt
- ChatGPT
- Copilot
- PentestGPT

CERTIFICATION

• Threat Intelligence Support Unit Certification by ACTRA