# Peter Johnston

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# **EDUCATION**

#### **Georgetown University**

B.S. in Computer Science, Cybersecurity, and International Relations

Bachelor of Science in Foreign Service | Korean Minor | Asian Studies

GPA: 3.93

Exp Graduation: May 2019

- Coursework: Machine Learning (in progress), Computer Vision, Cybersecurity: Policy, Technology, and Operations
- Study abroad: Spent semester of spring 2018 abroad at Yonsei University in Seoul, South Korea.

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### **Booz Allen Hamilton**

Software Engineering Intern

# Annapolis Junction, MD

June 2018 - August 2018

- Contributed to development of an architecture-independent binary analysis and vulnerability discovery tool by implementing a continuous integration testing framework. Compiled, organized, and wrote a set of real-world and synthetic test binaries to evaluate our vulnerability detectors.
- Used IDA to reverse engineer binaries and discover vulnerabilities. Gained experience in symbolic execution using angr.

# Students of Georgetown, Inc.

Washington, DC

Manager of Software Engineering (formerly Project Lead, Software Engineer)

September 2015 – Present

- Manage 14 developers on 2 project teams and assist with system design decisions. Review code and act as a resource for members of the IT department of a large, entirely student-run nonprofit. Implemented a training and onboarding process for new hires, including a curriculum of guided lessons to teach Python and web development.
- Built a single sign-on authentication platform with hierarchical permissions for internally used web services.
- Used Python and Django to create a database to store point of sale data, and HTML, CSS, and JavaScript to build an interface to access the data, generate reports, and send automatic emails, for a student-run nonprofit.

#### **Liberty in North Korea**

Long Beach, CA

Web Development Intern

June 2016 - October 2016

• Built a web platform for group and peer to peer fundraising campaigns, integrating data with Salesforce via the Salesforce REST API, using Python and Diango, and designed and built front-end with HTML, CSS, and JavaScript.

#### **Lucid Software**

South Jordan, UT

Software Engineering Intern

June 2015 - August 2015

 Worked on a development team using Scala and Selenium to write 100+ automated UI-based browser tests for Lucidchart and Lucidpress, collaborative online diagramming and publishing tools.

#### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

#### **Georgetown Day School**

### Coding Instructor for After-School Program

Created and carried out a curriculum to teach the basics of computer programming to elementary school students using Scratch in an after-school class.

#### **Georgetown Computer Science Department**

# Teaching Assistant for NLP for Data Analytics

Evaluated homework assignments and projects done in Python, using natural language processing to analyze texts and determine trends. Served as a resource for students in the class on general programming questions.

#### **SKILLS**

#### **Programming Languages**

C++, C#, Java, Scala, Python, JavaScript, HTML, CSS

#### Frameworks and Technologies

Django, MySQL, jQuery, Bootstrap, Git, Vagrant, IDA

#### Foreign Languages

French, Korean, Spanish (working proficiency)

# **AWARDS AND HONORS**

U.S. Department of Defense Boren Scholarship

U.S. Department of State Critical Language Scholarship

Eagle Scout Award: conducted a series of five food drives for the Utah Food Bank