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Projects & Blog Posts

Blog Post : My First Reported Vulnerability - Fake WordPress Plugin

Available at : <https://n-mcclure.github.io/writeups.html>

This article covers my experience reporting a vulnerability that I detected in the website of a local pizzeria while learning to use the tool **WPscan**. It goes over how I found the vulnerability, the roller coaster of emotions I had, and how the aftermath of reporting the vulnerability went.

Project : CanScan - Barcode Decoder & Canadian Product Identifier

Available at : <https://n-mcclure.github.io/index.html>

This project was something I built as a tool to combat the American tariffs when they first started. It allowed me to practice the usage of APIs, responsive UI across multiple device sizes, and experiment with decoding barcodes. I hope to further this application to utilize Computer Vision in a later version.

Work Experience

ISSessions - Online Content Developer

May 2025 - Present

As a Content Dev for Canada's largest student run Cybersecurity club, I am in charge of taking photos and videos to post on our various social media events to capture our events, as well as presenting news stories of recent security news at our bi-weekly meetings.

Mariano's Pizza - General Worker

September 2023 - October 2024

As a general worker, I was in charge of taking orders, making pizzas, and ensuring customers received hot and fresh product.

Wendy's (Brantford) - Grill / General Worker

May 2023 - September 2023

As the store's main grill worker. I was tasked with preparing all of the protein, helping with sandwiches, cleaning all the fryers and grill, cleaning bathrooms, getting rid of the trash throughout service and at the end of the night.

Wendy's (Burlington) - Grill / General Worker

May 2021 - September 2022

As the store's main grill worker. I was tasked with preparing all of the protein, helping with sandwiches, cleaning all the fryers and grill, cleaning bathrooms, getting rid of the trash throughout service and at the end of the night.

Education

- Honours Bachelor's Degree - Cybersecurity** September 2024 - Present
Sheridan College, Oakville, ON
- College Diploma - Computer Programming** September 2022 - August 2024
Sheridan College, Oakville, ON
- Highschool Diploma** September 2018 - June 2022
St. Ignatius of Loyola, Oakville, ON

Certificates & Awards

- CyberStart 25/26 Introductory Pathway - Certificate of Completion** February 2026
This is a certificate that I received after completing the introductory pathway for CyberStart 2025 / 2026 on TryHackMe. I am now working through the intermediate pathway and hope to complete it by August of 2026.
- Industrial Intrusion - Certificate of Completion** July 2025
This is a certificate that I received after competing in and finishing the Industrial Intrusion CTF event on TryHackMe.
- Award For Technology - Award** June 2022
I was awarded this at my Highschool Graduation for my "excellence in Technology courses, such as Woodshop, Auto repair, Computer Engineering, and Computer Science".
- Award For Computer Science - Award** June 2022
I was awarded this award at my Highschool Graduation for my "Excellence in Computer Science".

References

Reference can be shared upon request. Please reach out for their contact info.