TARON VARDANYAN

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Software engineer with 7+ years of professional experience building and operating production systems across SaaS and customer-support platforms, now transitioning into security operations. Holds the ISC2 Certified in Cybersecurity (CC) credential and the Google Cybersecurity Professional Certificate. Cybersecurity training covers SIEM tools (Splunk, Chronicle), intrusion detection (Suricata), network security, Linux, SQL, Python scripting, and incident detection and response using the NIST and MITRE ATT&CK frameworks. Brings strong debugging discipline, systems thinking, and experience monitoring production environments, investigating issues, and collaborating across technical teams.

CYBERSECURITY CERTIFICATIONS

ISC2 Certified in Cybersecurity (CC)	ISC2 | 2026
Google Cybersecurity Professional Certificate	Google / Coursera | Issued August 2026

Google certificate coursework: Foundations of Cybersecurity; Play It Safe: Manage Security Risks; Connect and Protect: Networks and Network Security; Tools of the Trade: Linux and SQL; Assets, Threats, and Vulnerabilities; Sound the Alarm: Detection and Response; Automate Cybersecurity Tasks with Python; Put It to Work: Prepare for Cybersecurity Jobs.

SECURITY SKILLS & KNOWLEDGE

SIEM / Detection: Splunk, Chronicle, Suricata (IDS), log analysis, alert triage

Networking: TCP/IP, DNS, firewalls, VPNs, network protocols, packet analysis

Frameworks: NIST Risk Management Framework, MITRE ATT&CK, OWASP

Scripting & Systems: Python, SQL, Bash, Linux command line

Core Concepts: Threat and vulnerability assessment, incident detection and response, security controls, identity and access management, cryptography fundamentals, system hardening

TRANSFERABLE TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Debugging & root-cause analysis:** 7+ years diagnosing and resolving issues in complex, multi-service production systems under time pressure.
- **Monitoring & alerting:** Configured and used Sentry for production error monitoring, and Amplitude / Google Analytics for behavioral analytics and anomaly spotting.
- **Identity & access:** Integrated Auth0 authentication flows into production applications.
- **Infrastructure as code:** Managed deployment infrastructure with Terraform; shipped via automated CI/CD pipelines (GitHub Actions).
- **Version control & documentation:** Git-based workflows, code review, and clear technical writing across distributed teams.
- **Data analysis & reporting:** Built data-driven dashboards and reporting features (SQL/GraphQL-backed grids, D3.js, embedded Tableau).
- **Cross-functional communication:** Led and mentored engineers, coordinated across design, backend, and outsourced client teams.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Front End Team Lead — Civitta

- Lead a front-end engineering team, setting technical direction and running code reviews while mentoring engineers and staying hands-on with delivery.
- Coordinate staffing and delivery across concurrent outsourced client engagements, balancing multiple codebases and stakeholders simultaneously.

Senior Software Engineer — FactoryPal (via Civitta)

- Build features for an industrial shop-floor platform within a large-scale micro-frontend architecture; monitor production health with Sentry and analytics tooling.
- Write unit, integration, and end-to-end tests (Jest, Cypress) with coverage and static-analysis reporting (SonarQube) enforced in CI.
- Ship to production via an automated build/rollback pipeline, with infrastructure managed through Terraform.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Software Engineer — Loftware

- Integrate Auth0 for authentication and manage real-time data flows (Pusher/Laravel Echo, Firebase) across a dual Angular/React codebase.
- Test with Jest and Playwright; monitor and triage production errors with Sentry.

Software Engineer, React.js — HackTech LLC

- Owned front-end architecture for a CRM product handling trackable links and usage analytics, including complex data-grid reporting.
- Applied strong debugging practices and computer-science fundamentals, communicating closely with cross-functional teams.

Additional Software Engineering Experience (2019–2025)

React.js / Next.js / Node.js development across Beewo, Salesmrkt, Global Airlines, Bl.ink, Feezbak, SoftConstruct (Hoory AI, Ucraft), Esterox, eLeaP, Giver, and Worky.am — full history available on request or LinkedIn.

EDUCATION

Master of Engineering — National Polytechnic University of Armenia, 2019–2021

Bachelor of Engineering — National Polytechnic University of Armenia, 2013–2019