Nasir Laws

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EDUCATION

Jacksonville University **Jacksonville, FL**
B.S. in Cybersecurity, Minor in Computer Science *Expected May 2028*

- **Honors:** NSF S-STEM Scholar, Glock and Ward Fellow, Dean's List (Spring 2026), VyStar Computing Award
- **Relevant Coursework:** Intrusion Detection, Systems Administration, Database Design, Networks & Wireless Communications, AI Engineering

WORK EXPERIENCE

Jacksonville University **Jacksonville, FL**
IT Help Desk Support *July 2026 – Present*

- Troubleshoot and resolve hardware, software, and network issues on Windows and macOS systems
- Provide timely technical support through in-person, phone, email, and ticket requests, documenting every resolution in the ticketing system
- Manage password resets, multi-factor authentication setup, and equipment configuration for students and staff
- Support campus software, including Microsoft 365 and campus-specific applications

PROJECTS

TrueVoice | Peer-to-Peer AAC Video Calling App **CS 199**
Project Lead & Lead Developer *August 2026 – Present*

- Led a four-person team building a WebRTC video calling app that lets nonverbal users speak through an AI-assisted phrase board, setting scope, priorities, and milestones
- Built live word-boundary correction and adaptive phrase suggestions by integrating the Claude API and ElevenLabs text-to-speech
- Owned the Azure SQL Server database: schema design, stored procedures, and safe production migrations
- Fixed a live-call bug where AI toggles silently failed by designing an event-driven state-sync fix

Intrusion Detection Cyber Range Labs **CS 427**
Student Analyst *August 2026 – December 2026*

- Investigated a simulated SSH brute-force and web defacement attack in Splunk and IBM QRadar, tracing the attacker IP, cron-job persistence, and data exfiltration, then wrote incident response steps
- Wrote custom Snort rules detecting C2 traffic, DNS covert channels, and FTP tool downloads, alerting to QRadar
- Configured pfSense firewalls with default-deny rules; analyzed SQL injection and DoS captures in Wireshark

CERTIFICATIONS & SKILLS

Certifications: IBM Introduction to Cloud Computing

Security Tools: Splunk, IBM QRadar, Snort, Security Onion, Wireshark, pfSense, iptables, Nmap, Metasploit, MITRE ATT&CK

Security Skills: Log Analysis, PCAP Analysis, IDS Rule Writing & Tuning, Incident Response, IOC Hunting, Firewall Rule Design

Technical: Python, C++, Bash, SQL, Regex, Azure SQL, MongoDB, Power BI, Linux (Kali), Windows, macOS, VirtualBox, Git & GitHub

Professional: Leadership, Agile, Technical Documentation, Stakeholder Communication, Public Speaking

ACTIVITIES & ORGANIZATIONS

InfraGard National Members Alliance | Member — July 2026 – Present
Association for Computing Machinery | Member — January 2026 – Present
Deutsche Bank Mentorship Program | Mentee — September 2025 – November 2025