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In 2003, Steve developed the Cyber Defense and Digital Forensics degree program for Edmonds College where he is now a tenured faculty member. He has since added several cybersecurity certificate programs, a Digital Forensics Certificate, and an Electronic Discovery Analyst Certificate.

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