

# — Student Spotlight —

## Mike Chimhuka

Mike Chimhuka is an international student from Zimbabwe who came to the United States with a clear goal—to build a better future for himself and for his family,

He is currently studying for a **Cybersecurity Associate's Degree** and a **Computer Software Development Certificate** at Cincinnati State, where he is committed to growing both academically and professionally.

Mike believes that **discipline**, professionalism, and **confidence** are essential for success.

**“Give your all in whatever you do.**

**Look and dress professionally** when meeting recruiters and other professionals. **Always be on time**, give a firm handshake, maintain eye contact, smile, and most importantly, **be confident in yourself.**”

Growing up, Mike did not have access to schools that taught many of these professional habits. However, since arriving at **Cincinnati State**, he has gained valuable mentorship and guidance.

He credits **Mr. Waits**, his Co-op Coordinator, for helping him develop professionally and for encouraging him to push himself toward success.

**“This kind of support gives me hope and confidence.**

It reminds me that I must keep going and determined to succeed.



— Mike Chimhuka