

# STEPHANIE LAINGEN

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## CLEARANCE

US TOP SECRET

## EDUCATION

YALE UNIVERSITY

B.S. Computer Science & Spanish

- Graduated 2019

## SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- ICON 360 Webinar - 2024
- Star East - 2024
- Chef Conf Seattle & Munich - 2023
- Kansas City Developer Conference - 2023
- Chef Conf - 2022
- Chef Conf - 2021
- Chef Panel Discussion - 2021
- Chef Webinar - 2020

## LANGUAGES

- Proficiency in Chef Infra, Chef Inspec, Terraform, Git, Python, Ruby on Rails, JavaScript, HTML, CSS.
- Experience in SQL, C, C++, Vue, React, and PHP

## OTHER SKILLS

- Excellent interpersonal skills
- Confident and empathetic leader
- Thrives in fast-paced environments
- Well organized and detail-oriented
- Creative troubleshooter & problem-solver
- Independent self-starter
- Energetic team player
- Fluent in Spanish

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Software experience in Chef Software Stack, Atlassian Jira, Azure DevOps, Inflectra Spira Plan, Linux/Unix, Microsoft Office
- Certified HashiCorp Terraform and Vault Associate, Progress Chef Principles Award holder, Inflectra Rapid Technology Adoption Award Winner
- Trained in Scrum and Agile Project Management methodologies, AWS and Cloud Architecture, DevSecOps Automation practices, IT troubleshooting, and System Administration.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**TapHere! Technology** | Director of Innovation      2022 - PRESENT

- Architected and implemented bespoke large-scale solutions for clients to achieve High Availability and Business Continuity
- Served as SME and lead technical consultant to ensure stickiness and Customer Success
- Fostered community and increased engagement through thought leadership in DevSecOps, Management, and Software QA
- Created partner relationships and introduced cutting edge technology to expand company-wide knowledge
- Acted as an individual contributor on multiple projects, closing out critical tickets and enabling essential features to ensure team success

**TapHere! Technology** | Software Engineer      2019-2022

- Collaborated with customers to identify needs and prioritize delivering features based on business value
- Architected and implemented a Chef-based infrastructure and DevSecOps automated solution in an air-gapped environment
- Consulted US Government agencies on automating compliance with CIS Benchmarks using Chef Infra and Chef InSpec
- Automated infrastructure creation for multiple environments (dev, test, stage, and prod) in AWS and Azure using HashiCorp Terraform
- Set up CI/CD pipeline to deliver projects from lower to higher environments using Chef Habitat to package, configure, and deploy applications
- Directly interfaced with and provided excellent technical support for clients across multiple projects
- Redesigned and maintained an application with a Vue front-end and a Ruby on Rails back-end with a focus on intuitive user experience
- Implemented testing suite for a Vue application and integrated continuous testing into pipeline using CodeShip

**Axios (CACI)** | Software Engineering Intern      Summer 2017 & 2018

- Assessed and adapted to customer specifications iteratively for multi-million dollar contract bid
- Developed a React App front and back-end within a team environment
- Debugged and contributed to legacy code; wrote and published new supporting documentation for legacy tool in an interactive tutorial-based website
- Learned and understood importance and responsibilities of the intelligence community

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