

# CYBER FORENSICS EXPERT



## DEGREE REQUIRED?

Yes

Bachelor's Degree  
in Cybersecurity or  
Computer Science

[Master's Degree in Computer Forensics helps]

## MEDIAN SALARY

+\$70,000

## JOB GROWTH

+28%

## SOFT SKILLS

Curiosity & Insight

Strong Communication

Ability to Write Reports &  
Explain Evidence, Potentially  
in Front of Lawyers & Judges

## COMMON JOB DUTIES

- ▶ Conduct data breach and security incident investigations
- ▶ Recover and examine data from computers and electronic storage devices
- ▶ Dismantle and rebuild damaged systems to retrieve lost data
- ▶ Identify additional systems/networks compromised by cyber attacks
- ▶ Compile evidence for legal cases
- ▶ Draft technical reports, write declarations and prepare evidence for trial
- ▶ Give expert counsel to attorneys about electronic evidence in a case
- ▶ Advise law enforcement on the credibility of acquired data
- ▶ Train law enforcement officers on computer evidence procedures
- ▶ Keep abreast of emerging technologies, software and methodologies

