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EDUCATION

California State University, Sacramento, Ca
B. Sc. in Computer Engineering

Dec. 2023 - Present

Cosumnes River College, Sacramento, Ca
A.S. in Engineering – Electrical/Computer Option

Sept. 2022 – Dec. 2023

Franklin High School, Elk Grove, Ca
High School Diploma - STEM Pathway in Engineering Design

May 2022

EXTRACURRICULAR

- **President - Developers Student Club at CRC**
 - Collaborated with others on computer science projects and studying programming concepts
 - Coordinated practice and team collaboration for Coding Competitions
- **Club Officer - MECS (Mathematics, Engineering, and Computer Science) Club**
 - Organized and led activities/workshops involving circuits, coding, and relevant concepts
 - Participated in a SMUD sponsored Solar Boat Competition

RELEVANT COURSES

Computer Aided Design/Drafting
Structured Programming
Data Structures & Algorithms
Intro to Computer Architecture

Physics: Electricity and Magnetism
Object-Oriented Programming C++
Discrete Structures
Differential Equations

Physics: Heat, Light, and Waves
Linear Algebra
Introduction to Logic Design
Circuit Analysis

SKILLS

- **Software:** Microsoft Office, AutoCAD, Inventor, MATLAB, Intel Quartus, NI Multisim, and SQL
- **Coding Languages:** Experienced with C++, Verilog, Python, and HTML/CSS/JS

WORK EXPERIENCE

- **Software Engineer Fellow** **July 2024 – Present**
- **Volunteer - SMUD Museum of Science and Curiosity** **July 2023 – Present**
 - Ensured visitors follow established safety procedures while using electrically powered exhibits
 - Assisted visitors explore and play with educational STEM wind and solar powered exhibits
 - Supported and inspired students through simulations, animations, and videos
- **NASA Community College Aerospace Scholar (NCAS)** **June 2023 – Dec. 2023**
 - Received training to perform professional level research and documentation
 - Participated in the online workshop consisting of live video chats with NASA experts
- **Tutor – Cosumnes River College MESA** **Oct. 2023 – Dec. 2023**
 - Assisted student with questions for multiple Computer Science and Math courses

PROJECTS

- **SMUD Solar Regatta:** Was part of a team that designed and assembled a solar powered boat. The boat had to pass safety inspections while also working.
- **SpeedUp:** My submission for the 2023 SacHacks Competition, a website that predicts your ETA and distance using a Google Maps API and a few calculations with data drawn from Google Maps.
- **Wi-Fi Security System using a Raspberry Pi:** Designed a Wi-Fi security camera using Python and an Open-Source frontend called "MotionEye"- I also used Onshape to design a case and mount to 3D Print.
- **Pinball Machine:** Worked in a group of 6 to create a Titanic-themed pinball machine. Used solenoids, limit switches, relays, and motors to create reactive obstacles.
- **Can Crusher:** Created an automatic pneumatic can crusher alongside four group members.