## **Andrea Scales**

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**EDUCATION** Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, Langston University

Graduation Date: May 2025 GPA: 3.39/4.00

Major: Computer Science

## **EXPERIENCE** Development Project Manager Intern, Paycom, Oklahoma City, OK

May 2024– August 2024

Goal: Assist Project Manager Team Leads and Project Managers in daily activities.

Value: Collaborating closely with project managers across different departments within a dynamic corporate company

- Supported project teams by managing schedules and coordinating tasks, ensuring projects stayed on track through agile and lean methodologies
- Improved communication between departments, leading to a 10% increase in project efficiency.
- Conducted project analysis to identify areas for improvement, contributing to better resource allocation saving \$20,000 in project costs.

August 2023 – May 2024 **Student Research Assistant,** SkyWranglers Research Project, Langston University, Langston, Oklahoma

*Goal:* Create cost-efficient UAVs (Unmanned Aerial Vehicles) that provide practical feedback to livestock producers to manage livestock and pasture.

Value: Developed understanding the propulsion system of a drone, as well as developing code for autonomous flights

My Contribution:

- Maintained continuous improvement through regular drone maintenance
- Created autonomous flight missions for livestock and pasture monitoring, improving efficiency by 20%
- Conducted research and testing to enhance UAV performance and reliability

June 2020 – July 2020

PrepKC Intern, JEDunn, Kansas City, MO

High School Internship/Supervised by Nakisha Busby

*My Contribution:* 

- Assisted with administrative and project-related tasks to support daily operations.
- Shadowed supervisor to gain exposure to construction project management and professional workflows.
- Completed small assignments to ensure efficiency and organization within the team.

TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

Languages: Java, Python, JavaScript

Operating Environments: MS Windows, Raspberry Pi

Business Tools: Visual Studio Code, QGroundControl, GitHub, Jira, Confluence, Adobe Creative

Cloud, Procreate

HONORS AND ACTIVITIES Dean's List, President's List

Forté Career Ready Certificate Recipient

**Computer Science Club Member** 

McCabe Honors Scholar

Miss 1911 for Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity,

Inc., Alpha Pi Chapter

**National Society of Leadership and Success** 

Member

**CodePath Tech Student** 

**International Baccalaureate Diplomat OK- Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority** 

**Participation Member** 

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated.