

# Uiliamu Tuileepa

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## SUMMARY

Military Veteran with Top Secret/Sensitive Compartmented Information (TS/SCI) clearance and 9 years of proven leadership in the United States Army. Demonstrated success leading teams in high-stakes environments, overseeing critical operations, and driving mission success. Skilled in team development, tactical operations, and strategic execution, with a track record of optimizing performance and improving efficiency. Strong problem-solver with an analytical mindset and excellent communication skills. Proficient in HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, and full-stack software development with a focus on accessibility and user-centered design. Adept in agile development methodologies and continuous integration practices, with experience in cloud computing and AI technologies.

## CORE COMPETENCIES

Leadership & Team Management | Strategic Planning & Execution | Cross-functional Team Leadership | Equipment & Asset Management | Project Leadership | Agile Methodologies | Training & Development | Organizational Leadership | Conflict Resolution | Problem Solving & Innovation | C# | HTML | CSS | .Net | Git | Node.js | CI/CD | Azure | Machine Learning | Python | SQL

## EXPERIENCE

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### Infantry Squad Leader (Operations Team Lead)

June 2015 - October 2024

United States Army | Fort Liberty, NC

- Led, trained, and developed a squad of 10 soldiers, responsible for executing complex missions in both training and operational settings. Provided mentorship and coaching to junior leaders, ensuring a strong pipeline of future leaders.
- Managed and maintained \$2.5 million in military assets, including vehicles, weapon systems, and communication equipment, ensuring 100% operational readiness during critical missions.
- Designed and executed tactical training programs that improved team performance by 30%, with a focus on agility, coordination, and leadership development in high-pressure scenarios.
- Spearheaded the development of contingency plans and executed mission-critical decisions under extreme pressure, maintaining team safety and operational success.
- Fostered an environment of collaboration and respect within the squad, empowering team members to contribute their insights and develop solutions collectively.
- Conducted performance reviews and identified areas for improvement, providing continuous feedback and coaching to enhance individual and team performance.
- Organized and led after-action reviews (AARs) to assess mission performance and drive continuous improvement in operations and team readiness.

### Key Achievements:

- Played a pivotal role in improving the unit's operational readiness, reducing equipment downtime by 20% through the introduction of a new maintenance protocol, resulting in cost savings and increased mission readiness.

### Infantry Team Leader (Project Lead)

- Led a specialized team of 3 soldiers in high-stakes missions, responsible for mission planning, execution, and post-mission analysis, while maintaining accountability for \$1 million in military equipment.
- Implemented new tactical strategies and innovative solutions to enhance operational efficiency, which led to a 25% improvement in team readiness and mission execution.
- Coordinated with cross-functional teams, ensuring seamless communication between senior leadership and ground-level teams, aligning mission objectives with team capabilities.
- Developed and enforced safety protocols that reduced incidents by 15%, ensuring the well-being of all team members during high-risk operations.
- Conducted technical and tactical training, enhancing team members' skillsets in communication systems, navigation, and combat strategies, leading to an overall performance increase of 20%.
- Successfully integrated new technologies and systems into daily operations, optimizing the team's ability to respond to evolving battlefield conditions.

#### Key Achievements:

- Led a team during a critical deployment that achieved all mission objectives ahead of schedule, earning commendations from senior leadership for operational excellence and team cohesion.

## TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

**Microsoft Software and Systems Academy**  
Microsoft | Remote

May 2024 - September 2024

- Selected for a highly competitive 18-week Software Development course, where I acquired advanced skills in C#, Visual Studio, Azure, ASP.NET, and .NET MAUI.
- Developed a Chess Openings app using .NET MAUI, featuring user authentication backed by an SQLite database. The app allows users to search and view different chess openings, complete with descriptions and images. This project catered to users of varying skill levels, improving their chess strategies and skills.
- Gained hands-on experience with Azure AI and machine learning fundamentals, using these technologies to enhance project capabilities and explore the potential of AI-driven solutions.
- Led over 100 projects utilizing problem-solving techniques, debugging, and user experience enhancements, improving both functionality and user engagement.
- Implemented CI/CD best practices and DevSecOps principles in project development, ensuring secure, scalable, and high-quality code deployment.

#### Key Achievements:

- Successfully delivered a project integrating Azure AI to improve user accessibility in web applications, showcasing my ability to leverage cutting-edge technology to solve real-world problems.

## EDUCATION

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**Bachelor of Science, Information Technology** | Colorado Technical University, Denver, CO

**Microsoft Systems and Software Academy** | Cloud Application Development