# Andrew "Buzz" Lakata

Programmer

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I am a backend developer. I love working with data and apis. No matter what the project is I am always happy to get down and dirty with the code.

SKILLS

**Software Development** 

Advanced

aws | data structures | algorithms

**Database** 

Intermediate

mysql | mongodb | dynamodb

Linux

Advanced

unix | bash | scripting | git

**Artificial Intelligence** 

Beginner

machine learning | tensorflow |

data science

**Programming Languages** 

Advanced

python | java | node.js | c++ | bash

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

### Teaching Assistant at Trilogy Education Services March 2019 - June 2019

https://www.trilogyed.com/

- Helping students learn the basics of coding and logic
- Guiding students with coding projects and understanding concepts

#### PACTS Robotics Instructor at Franklin Institute November 2018 - Current

http://fi.edu/

- Teaching students basics of coding, engineering and problem solving.
- Guiding student Battlebot team
- Organizing different student projects including raspberry pi, arduino, soldering and circuit design.

### Software Developer at DICE at Jefferson July 2018 - November 2018

https://www.dicegrp.org/

Skills acquired: aem | backend java | kinvey

- Created tools to help migrate data for 9000+ websites
- Helped to create Algorithms to search for all doctors within network
- Technology Used: AEM, Backend Java, Kinvey

#### Software Developer at YellowDig May 2017 - March 2018

https://www.yellowdig.com/

- Created tools for students to use for collaboration for class material
- Managed custom command line tools for other developers to use
- Utilized AWS to create, maintain and manage internal data
- Technology Used: Node.js, AWS, PHP, MySQL

### Software Engineer at Connectify October 2016 - March 2017

https://www.connectify.me/

- Created custom monitoring tools for company servers
- Utilized different technologies to maintain company systems
- Added auto decision making and trend information to server alerts
- Technology Used: Python, InfluxDB, Consul

### Software Engineer at Point.io March 2015 - October 2016

- Created new software for company's main product
- Managed projects to work within other applications
- Created custom tools for users to interact with products
- Technology Used: Node.js, Backend Java, Blockly, Scala

#### **VOLUNTEER**

### Instructor/Coach at Philadelphia Rock Gym

June 2018 - Current

https://www.philarockgym.com/

- Coaching kids on rock climbing technique
- Teaching kids and adults safety procedures and basic climbing skill
- Leading classes on climbing style and technique

### Activity Organizer at Philly Codefest

April 2018 - April 2018

http://phillycodefest.com/

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February 2017 - February 2017

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#### **EDUCATION**

### Bachelor of Science Computer Science at Drexel University

2013 - 2016

Artificial Intelligence, Data Structures and Algorithms

## Associate of Science Computer Science at Community College of Philadelphia

2010 - 2013

### High School Diploma at Central High School (269)

2006 - 2010

#### **AWARDS**

### Certificate of Completion at MongoDB

December 2015

MongoDB for Developers

#### **LANGUAGES**

EnglishPythonJavaNativeMasterAdvanced

Node.js C++
Advanced Intermediate

### INTERESTS

Rock Climbing Cooking

**Skills acquired:** climbing | bouldering | outdoor

Attending Hack-a- GitHub

Thons Skills acquired: github | git

Skills acquired: hacking | hackathon

Raspberry Pi

Skills acquired: hardware | hacking | linux

**Video Games** 

**Skills acquired:** ps4 | nintendo switch