

Tony Golbeck

Heyo! My name is Anthony Golbeck but most just call me Tony. Here's a picture of me and my grandmother at the casino! (I'm the one on the left). I am a computer science major here at Aurora University with plans to get into the tech hardware field after graduation. I am in CSC 4500 mostly due to the fact that it is required for the major, but also the fact that it is required for my major. As far as what I want to do in the future outside of my career? To be honest I'm not quite sure yet, but I'm sure it will have something to do with being close to friends and attending different conventions. Currently I am not part of any sort of organizations through AU which leaves me time for my other hobbies.

A bit about me, I was born in Chicago and raised nearby in the good ol' land of Sugar Grove. I graduated from Kaneland High School which is where I discovered my love for all things tech, and computers. I used to take these career-focused classes there where I learned all about how they worked and how to troubleshoot, and even build computers from scratch. This of course led me to building my own computer around 2016 which I still have to this day! Along with my new computer came my biggest hobby being gaming. I sorta ran the gamut on what kind of games I would play but for the most part I would play things like Dota 2, League of Legends, and more recently, Escape from Tarkov. In addition to online gaming I also am a huge fan of tabletop games. I suppose this is really where I earn my badge of nerdism because my favorite tabletop game to play with my friends is D&D or Dungeons and Dragons. Outside of Games some of my other hobbies include rock climbing, hiking, and airsoft.

My family consists of my parents, myself and my sister, along with her husband and their two gorgeous baby girls! I can't forget our pets of course, we have two dogs and one cat currently. One Rhodesian Ridgeback / Vizsla mix named Jack, my sister's dog who's a total mutt named Macaroni, as well as her cat named Dwight. We are all big TV show and movie addicts of course with favorites among our house being Game of Thrones, and Harry Potter. I suppose you could say the nerd genes run through my family!

My music taste is pretty all over the place as I listen to really anything other than country. I listen to different genres like rock, Jazz, low-fi, to even German music (which I speak a little bit of). I look forward to seeing what this class has in store!

