# **Dominic Catania**

# **Engineering Student**

Inspired college freshman looking to inspire others through my work



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# **SOFT SKILLS**

Leadership Experience

Problem Solving

Communication Skills

Adaptive Thinking

**Active Listening** 

# **TECH SKILLS**

Python Django

Java Javascript

React

### **EDUCATION**

# **General Engineering Major** Texas A&M University

08/2024 - 1/2025

College Station

- Organizations/Activities
- Triangle Fraternity
- Aggie Robotics Team WHOOP5
- Class Councils Fish Council
- Altar Server/Eucharistic Minister

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# Shrimp Slinger Coco Shrimp LLC

06/2023 - 12/2023

Watauga, TX

Tasks

- Motivating and collaborating with other slingers
- Preparing & expediting food; lowered average prep time by 20%
- Conducting sales; increased monthly sales by 17%

# **FEATURED PROJECTS**

#### Vigil (07/2024 - 1/2025)

Designed and programmed web application using Django where users can set up configurations for their FRC robot and dynamically analyze data using Plotly

#### PathGen (10/2024 - 12/2024)

 Designed and programmed web application using React where users can build paths for VEXU robots, including straight and curved paths, event markers, constraint zones, and customizations for each robot

# FlowNote (05/2024 - 07/2024)

 Python desktop application designed to assist users in destructuring and modularizing large-scale projects through a calendar-tree relationship using tkinter GUI

#### 2024 "Carson" Robot Program (01/2024 - 04/2024)

 Java robot program for the 2024 FRC game; distance interpolation and locking to game targets using AprilTag IDs; autonomous routines with decision-making; auto-pickup and auto-score

#### 2023 "Foniks" Robot Program (01/2023 - 04/2023)

 Java robot program for the 2023 FRC game; full-field localization and pose estimation using inverse kinematics and AprilTag IDs; autonomous routines with decision-making; auto-pickup and auto-score

# **ACHIEVEMENTS**

## Reta & HJ Haynes '46 University Scholarship (06/2024)

Merit-based scholarship covering 50%+ of expenses for top undergraduates at Texas A&M, funded by a philanthropic gift to support high-achieving students with strong academic and leadership backgrounds.

#### FIRST Robotics Championship - Team 4206 - World Semifinalists (04/2024)

Placed 3rd in the World after district, state, and world divisional competition through collaborating on complex robot designs, programming, competition strategy, & robot operation

## Second Degree Black Belt Tae Kwon Do (08/2020)

7 year training in Taekwondo forms, sparring, weapons & techniques; national competition in each discipline; teaching students the Bo Staff weapon; mentoring & evaluating peers & younger students