

# DREW JONES

## ASPIRING SOFTWARE DEVELOPER



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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Currently at Southern Wesleyan University pursuing a degree in Computer Information Systems, I'm passionate about using technology to solve problems and make systems work smarter. My studies center on software development, data management, and process improvement—skills I'm eager to apply in professional settings.

Alongside my academics, I compete in cross country and track, experiences that have shaped my resilience, consistency, and focus under pressure. I've also built leadership and communication skills as a Residential Assistant at both SWU and BaylorTIP, where I supported students, organized events, and resolved challenges in fast-moving environments.

My journey began with hands-on work experience at Target, where I learned the importance of teamwork, customer service, and adaptability. I continue to live those values through involvement with the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, connecting faith and leadership in community service.

Growing up in a family that fostered and adopted children instilled empathy, patience, and a deep respect for others—traits I bring to every project and team.

I'm seeking opportunities in software development, IT operations, or data systems where I can contribute, learn, and grow alongside professionals who value integrity, innovation, and hard work.

## EMPLOYMENT

### Residential Assistant

Baylor University Talent Identification Program (Baylor TIP)

📍 Waco, Texas, United States 📅 Jun 2025 - Jul 2025

- Led and supported a diverse group of gifted students, fostering both academic and personal growth through individualized guidance and mentorship.
- Designed and facilitated engaging activities and community events that encouraged teamwork, creativity, and a positive residential culture.
- Managed and resolved student conflicts with empathy and professionalism, maintaining a safe and inclusive living environment.



## SKILLS

Volunteering

Charity Work

Community Outreach

Software Development

Data Management

Programing Languages: C#, C++,  
SwiftUI, HTML

## REFERENCES

**Cheryl Taliaferro, Ph.D.**

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- Collaborated with staff to ensure smooth daily operations and uphold the program's educational and behavioral standards.
- Served as a role model for academic integrity, responsibility, and respect, helping students navigate challenges away from home.

## Cashier, Starbucks Barista, Guest Services, Drive-Up, Cart Attendant

Target

📍 *Brandon, Florida, United States* 📅 *2020 - 2022*

- Delivered exceptional customer service across multiple departments, including front end, Starbucks, guest services, and drive-up.
- Managed fast-paced shifts during peak hours while maintaining accuracy, composure, and a positive guest experience.
- Collaborated with team members to resolve customer issues quickly and efficiently.
- Balanced a 40+ hour work week while being a full-time student-athlete, demonstrating reliability, time management, and strong work ethic.

## EDUCATION

Southern Wesleyan University | Bachelor of Science - BS, Computer Information Systems.  
Minor: Business Administration

📅 *August 2022 - May 2026*

## PROJECTS

### JustBeanIt – Mobile App

- Designing and building a coffee discovery app that lets users find, rate, and save their favorite local coffee shops. Developed the core UI in SwiftUI, built the authentication flow, and integrated Firebase for real-time user data. Focused on clean architecture, smooth navigation, and scalable features as the project grows. Currently expanding functionality and preparing it for future App Store release.

### Personal Portfolio Website

- Built a clean, responsive portfolio website from scratch to showcase projects, experience, and technical skills. Hand-coded the layout and styling using modern HTML and CSS, optimized for both desktop and mobile. Focused on clarity, smooth navigation, and a professional visual identity while maintaining flexibility to expand with new projects and content.