

# Giovanni Zaarour

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## EDUCATION

### University of Southern California

Jan. 2021 – May 2024

*B.S. in Computer Science and Business Administration*

Los Angeles, CA

- **GPA:** 3.4
- **Relevant Coursework:** C++, Java, Oracle/SQL, Data Structures and Object Oriented Design, Discrete Mathematics for Computer Science, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Organizational Behavior and Leadership

## EXPERIENCE

### Moonlight Meta

Apr. 2022 – Jul. 2022

*Lead Blockchain Engineer*

Los Angeles, CA

- Moonlight is an NFT crowdfunding and fractional co-ownership protocol on Ethereum. A USC-based web3 startup
- Member of founding team, author of the [Moonlight whitepaper](#), and single-handedly implemented the [core smart contract protocol](#)
- Includes features such as DAO governance, a fork of Uniswap's AMM model, vault fractionalization, and more

### City of Glendale, CA

Dec. 2020 – Mar. 2021

*Web & Mobile App Developer - Glendale Audit Department*

Glendale, CA

- Worked on an interactive application that allows city auditors to edit audit entries and generate quarterly reports.

*Project Intern - Central Library IT Services Team*

Mar. 2019 – Nov. 2020

- Monthly [data report](#) tool for all library branches. Accesses the SQL database and generates an HTML data report with Python
- [Patron registration tool](#) that generates a new library card number and patron profile (Library ILS Database via Sierra REST API).

## PROJECTS

### C++ AVL Tree

- Coded an AVL tree implementation from scratch in C++ using OOP, templating, pointers, memory allocation, and recursion.

### Portfolio Website

- My personal website and project portfolio made with ReactJS
- Visit the site at [giozaarour.me](https://giozaarour.me) to see my entire portfolio of projects

## ORGANIZATIONS

### Blockchain at USC

Aug. 2021 – Present

*Director of Technology & Education*

- I help host weekly education discussions for Blockchain@USC members, run blockchain hackathons, manage and support student-led blockchain research teams (producing high level articles), manage the club's DAO governance and treasury, and conduct professional speaker events at USC with industry leaders.
- Blockchain@USC is receiving six figures in annual funding from [EduDAO, a subsidiary of BitDAO](#). I take part in the decision making process of using our funding for grants to student-led blockchain startups, research costs, and investment proposals

### Product@SC

Jan. 2022 – Present

- Taking part in an eight week curriculum that teaches the Product Management workflow, participating in multiple PM case studies and pitch competitions, and working with PM mentors.

### BusinessSC

Jan. 2021 – Present

*Co-Founder & Chairman*

- Business Club is an student-led networking organization. The club network has chapters at over five universities, including USC.
- Organizer of intercollegiate networking events and seminars with relevant founders and leaders in various business industries.

## SKILLS

**Programming Languages :** C++, Java, Solidity, JavaScript (NodeJS & ReactJS), Python, HTML/CSS

**Technologies :** Linux & Windows OS, SQL (PostgreSQL, MySQL), MongoDB, Git

**Blockchain :** Truffle, Ganache, Ethers.js, Chainlink Oracle, Etherscan

**Languages :** English (Native), Arabic (Native), Spanish (Working Proficiency)