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EDUCATION

University of North Carolina at Charlotte   **Charlotte, NC**
Bachelor of Science: Computer Science   May 2026

WORK EXPERIENCE

Parking Management Company   **Charlotte, NC**
Valet Parking Associate   March 2025 - Present
- Provided safe, efficient, and courteous valet services while maintaining a strong focus on customer satisfaction and vehicle care
- Supported team operations to ensure smooth traffic flow and a positive guest experience in a high-volume, fast-paced environment

UNC Charlotte College of Computing and Informatics   **Charlotte, NC**
Dean Ambassador   November 2023 - Present
- Investigated and resolved inquiries with competence and proficiency.
- Directed informational tours for prospective students and their families.
- Facilitated comprehensive resources to students provided by CCI.

Harris Teeter   **Wesley Chapel, NC**
Personal Shopper Associate   March 2022 – May 2025
- Oversaw order intake, delivery logistics, and adaptive delivery localities to ensure timely and accurate fulfillment
- Delivered exceptional customer service by resolving issues and supporting associates, management, and customers
- Maintained store safety and assisted with front-end operations, including cart returns and customer support

VOLUNTEER WORK

Common Heart   **Indian Trail, NC**
Food Sorter   2019 - 2022
- Facilitated management and vendors with food distribution.

Take On Sports   **Weddington, NC**
Buddy Volunteer   2016 - 2020
- Mentored and supported developmental and physically challenged athletes in various sports.

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

Software Engineering
- Developed a team-based web application using Django (Python), incorporating sprint planning and modern software development tools
- Applied software engineering principles through requirements gathering, system design, implementation, testing, and deployment
- Emphasized usability, security, reusable design patterns, and software quality assurance throughout the project lifecycle

Database Design and Implementation
- Analyzed logical and physical database organization, data models, design challenges, and secondary storage considerations
- Participated in the design and implementation of functional database systems

Computer Systems   **Spring 2024**
- Applied computer system abstractions across programming languages, operating systems, computer architecture, and networking concepts
- Programmed in C and assembly to explore processor architecture, system calls, memory management, and file systems
- Utilized command-line tools for file and directory management and analyzed network protocols including HTTP, MAC, IP, and DNS

Data Structures and Algorithms   **Fall 2023**
- Analyzed the theory and implementation of abstract data types, including stacks, queues, and both general-purpose and specialized trees and graphs
- Examined and implemented algorithms related to the various studied data structures, including creation, searching, and traversal of abstract data types.

PROJECTS

Blackjack
- Developed a Java text-based Blackjack game with an emphasis on applying object-oriented principles and essential programming skills.
- Contributed as the sole developer to design, implement, and deliver a Java-based Blackjack game project. Led all phases, including ideation, coding, testing, and finalization.

Portfolio Website
- Developed and deployed a fully responsive portfolio website from scratch, ensuring smooth performance and an engaging user experience across all devices.
- Implemented interactive features including a contact form, hover animations, and adaptive layouts using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript to improve navigation and usability.

SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Technical – Java | HTML | CSS | C | SQL | Django | Python
Interests - Sudoku | Weightlifting | Soccer | Watching Movies/Shows/Anime