# Javier A. Taylor

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#### Education

## University of Michigan

Computer Science BSE Ann Arbor, MI 08/2014 - 04/2018 Minor in Entrepreneurship

**Technical Course Topics:** 

- Computer Security
- Operating Systems
- Web DB & Info Systems
- Data Structures & Algorithms
- Discrete Math/Logic Design
- Statistics and Linear Algebra
- Computer Organization

Entrepreneurship Courses:

- Business Basics
- Creativity
- Venture Analysis
- Customer Discovery

#### **Skills**

#### • Programming:

C++ (3 yrs of college courses)
C (2 yrs of college courses)
Python (Self-taught, 1 yr)
Java (from Android dev)
MatLab (2 courses)

#### • Technologies:

Familiar with Linux, Windows, and Mac OS, Android Studio and Visual Studio IDEs, development using Git and Bash

## • Web Development

Familiar with HTML, CSS, JavaScript, RESTful API, AngularJS, Flask, and MySQL

#### • Android Development:

Self-taught use of Android Studio to develop mobile apps

#### **Awards**

- Engineering Scholarship of Honor, University of Michigan
- Regents Merit Scholarship, University of Michigan
- Brown Memorial Scholarship, University of Michigan

# Work Experience

#### Software Development Engineering Intern

Amazon.com

Seattle, WA 05/2017 – Present

#### **Software Engineering Intern**

Servant Systems, Inc.

Chelsea, MI

05/2016 - 08/2016

- Worked on a team of Software Engineers and Interns to develop and test software for franchising companies using agile process management
- Used Jasmine, Protractor, and Visual Studio testing tools to build automated test suites for complex web apps developed with .NET framework
- Wrote production-level code using JavaScript, AngularJS, NodeJS, and C#

#### Co-Founder

TrailTuff Nets, LLC

Ypsilanti, MI

07/2012 - Present

- Co-founded small business that produces and sells polypropylene cargo nets for Jeeps throughout the country and internationally for off-roading purposes
- Designed website (trailtuffnets.com) and nets, manage supplies and marketing

## Research Assistant

University of Michigan Transportation Research Institute

Ann Arbor, MI

08/2014 - 04/2015

- Worked with Michigan IOE professor to run experiments, code scenarios for NADS MiniSim driving simulator, and draft and edit reports for auto companies
- Gained experience in teamwork, technical communication, and tech research
- Co-author: Green, P., Echols, S., and Taylor, J. (2014). Crash Warning Systems: The Human Factors

#### **Engineering 101 Study Group Leader**

University of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI

08/2015 - 04/2016

• Led study group for Introduction to Computers and Programming for students in the Mosher Jordan Residence Hall, held office hours and designed lesson plans

#### **Extracurricular Activities**

# Board Member and Project Team Chair

Code-M

Ann Arbor, MI

08/2015 - Present

- Helped to lead Computer Science club that works to teach skills related to the field, tutor for courses, host company events, and bring the tech world to UMich
- Hosted, organized, and lead tech workshops and club programming projects

#### **Peer Mentor**

Michigan Research Community

Ann Arbor, MI

08/2014 - 04/2016

- Led activities and set up events to build a community based on research
- Placed in charge of first year students to oversee transition to university and research responsibilities after joining as a first year member

# **Projects**

Notepad application for Android phones (available at javiertaylor.com/NotePad)

• Created with Android Studio to learn basics of mobile development

Personal website (<u>javiertaylor.com</u>) to showcase portfolio and web dev skills

• Created from scratch using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Bootstrap, and AngularJS