# JOSHUA NEGREANU

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#### **EDUCATION**

**Oregon State University** Sep 2021 - Jun 2025 **Catlin Gabel School** Sep 2017 - Jun 2021 GPA: 4.00/4.00 GPA: 4.00/4.00 Upper School Honors College

**Pursuing**: BS Computer Science (*Artificial Intelligence*)

BS Mathematics (Applied and Computational)

**FRC Robotics** 

CommuniCare

Robot Fabrication, Videography

Volunteer, Nonprofit Fundraising

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

#### **Operating Systems Undergraduate Learning Assistant**

Supervisor: Benjamin Brewster

Sep 2023 – Present

Oregon State University

Hold office hours, tutor students, help debug issues in code. Grade assignments and communicate with professor and students.

Projects written entirely in C and span areas of cryptography, network protocols, multithreading, shells, file I/O, UNIX OS.

### **Data Structures Undergraduate Learning Assistant**

Supervisor: David Hendrix

Apr 2023 - Jun 2023

Oregon State University

Led students through grading demos of code. Required quick adaption to specific student code, assessed level of understanding, mentored students with projects. Met weekly with professor and assistants. Assignments on lists, trees, hash tables, queues, heaps.

# Gen Engineering Undergraduate Learning Assistant

Supervisor: Jason Clark

Sep 2022 - Dec 2022

Oregon State University

- Prepared and led recitations alongside fellow assistants. Mentored students on industry programs; COMSOL, MATLAB, Simulink.
- Maintained communication with professor and coordinated meetings regarding class structure and objectives. Graded assignments.

## **Honors College Leadership Circle Volunteer**

Sep 2021 – Jun 2022

Supervisor: Toni Doolen

Oregon State University

- Met weekly with team, devised methods to improve diversity and inclusion in Honors College student acceptance and enrollment.
- Led group discussions, wrote detailed team meeting notes. Collectively produced final report with goals and methods for OSU dean.

#### High School Senior Computer Science Research Project

Supervisor: Andrew Merrill

Sep 2020 - Jun 2021

Catlin Gabel School

- Developed prototype app for students. Written in C# using Xamarin .NET allowing for native support on iOS and Android.
- User logs in with school account to access Canvas and Veracross via APIs and OAuth2. App displays data in calendar with tabs.

# **SKILLS**

**Coding Languages** Python, C, JavaScript, C++, C#, Java, HTML, SQL, PHP, Node.js

**AI Toolkits** NumPy, PyTorch, Matplotlib

**Industry Skills** Agile development, Jest unit/UI-integration testing, Cypress end-to-end testing, GitHub Action workflows

Soft Skills Motivated, open-minded, clear and concise, flexible, detail-oriented, respectful, value diversity

English, Romanian (limited), Spanish (limited) Languages

# RELEVANT COURSEWORK

#### Machine Learning and Data Mining (CS 434)

Stefan Lee

Logistic regression, SVMs, gradient descent, neural networks, decision trees, ensembles, PCA/SVD, KDE, reinforcement learning Analysis of Algorithms (CS 325) Amir Nayyeri

Dynamic programming, recursion, greedy algorithms, asymptotic running-time analysis, NP-completeness, NP-hard equivalence Linear Algebra II (MTH 342) David Wing

Fundamental subspaces, eigenvalue/vector decomposition, unitaries, self-adjoints, isomorphisms, matrix algebra, inner products

# PERSONAL INTERESTS

**Sports** Ultimate Frisbee Club (Oregon State University), Track (Catlin Gabel varsity), Tae Kwon Do (instructor, demo team)

Rock climbing, hiking, mountain biking, snowboarding, kayaking, backpacking, camping **Outdoors** 

Creative Piano (9 years, OFMC 3<sup>rd</sup> Gold Cup, Oregon Duet Competition Winner), guitar, painting, drawing, music production