
LUKE BENDER

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EDUCATION

Duke University

Durham, North Carolina

Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science, Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy, Certificate in Markets and Managements

Expected 2022

- GPA: 3.96

Fairfield Warde High School

Fairfield, Connecticut

Graduated June 2022

- Valedictorian of a 384-person class
 - National Merit Scholarship Commended Student
 - ACT: 35 [Reading: 36, Science: 35, Math: 34, Writing: 34]
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WORK EXPERIENCE

BrainQ Technologies

Jerusalem, Israel

Product Intern

June 2019 – August 2019

- BrainQ is a MedTech startup that uses AI to cure neurological disorders, which was selected by Google as 1 of 4 companies in the world expected to transform healthcare with artificial intelligence.
- Developed the feature prioritization list for an upcoming Home Medical Device utilizing an Impact/Effort matrix and Use Case diagram. Emphasized psychological engagement mechanisms to mitigate demotivation risks.

Varsity Tutors

Remote

Paid Tutor

March 2018 – August 2018

- Tutored high school juniors to prepare them for the ACT and SAT examinations
- Was the sole tutor for clients and tutoring services were completely unsupervised by anyone other than myself

TheSpectrumCareers.com

Fairfield, CT

Paid Intern

March 2017 – June 2018

- The sole Connecticut representative of this nationwide, nonprofit company that assists people with special needs in finding meaningful employment
- Tasked with consulting with the owners due to my exposure with the targeted customer base and recruiting these centers to join the website's service

The Center for Growth & Development

Wilton, CT

Intern

March 2016 – June 2018

- A center that offers intervention programs for children with special needs
 - Assisted psychologists in helping freshmen adjust to various aspects of high school life
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EXTRACURRICULARS/LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

TAMID – Duke University

Durham, North Carolina

Consultant

October 2018 – Ongoing

- A highly selective club that provides pro-bono consulting services for companies coming out of Israel

Arete Fellowship – Duke University

Durham, North Carolina

Fellow/Board Member

September 2018 – Ongoing

- A highly selective 9-week fellowship which focuses on reading and discussing both philosophical and scientific ideas that improve one's ability to utilize an analytic mindset to make the greatest impact on society

Investment Club – Fairfield Warde High School

Fairfield, Connecticut

President

September 2014 – June 2018

- University of Rochester Xerox Award for Innovation and Information Technology Recipient
- Attended the selective Bentley University Wall Street 101 Program

Latin Club – Fairfield Warde High School

Fairfield, Connecticut

President

September 2014 – June 2018

- Two-time recipient of the Latin Excellence Award; one recipient per grade
 - Recipient of the Maxima Cum Laude, Magna Cum Laude, and Cum Laude National Latin Exam Awards
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INTERESTS

- NFL (Patriots fan)
- Stand-Up Comedy
- KΣ Fraternity
- Classic Rock (Pink Floyd, Led Zeppelin, Red Hot Chili Peppers)
- Sports (Varsity Wrestling, Tennis)
- Quentin Tarantino Movies