### classes

Machine Learning/Soft Comp.
Software Engineering
Programming in Python/Java/C
Computer Architecture
Data Structures and Algorithms
Discrete Structures
Web Design (HTML and CSS)
Microprocessor Systems
Logic Circuits

# about

I am extremely passionate about pursuing a career in Program Management and/or Software Development. To complement my learning in the field of computer science, an internship developing real world software used by actual consumers would be an invaluable experience for my computing career.

I plan on continuing my education in Computer Science so that I can one day help the world by developing something amazing that will influence lives for the better. A major focus of mine is on how I can make my software intuitive, beautiful, and usable from the standpoint of any possible user with any level of prior computing knowledge; giving no room for confusion, learning curves, or frustration.

In my free time, I personally designed, and developed my own personal website and portfolio at madisonfichtner.com education using HTML, and CSS. I'm currently part of a team that's using machine learning techniques to develop classification, and function approximation neural networks. Using a Raspberry Pi, I developed a few projects, including a quadcopter drone running from python starting from open source code, and using Google's API's to creating a Google Home.

### references

#### John Paxton

Director of MSU Gianforte School of Computing john.paxton@montana.edu

#### Matthew Fichtner

Product Designer – Snapchat matthew.fichtner@snap.com

Jeff Howard

Owner – JDH Construction 406-451-8774

# skills

Python/Java/C

HTML/CSS

Git

Strong problem solving skills

Collaboration within groups

Excellent communication

Deep attention to detail

# awards

Member of MSU's Assoc. of Computing Machinery (ACM)

Montana State Champion for We the People Competition Competed Nationally in Washington D.C. in 2015

Member of National Honor Society (NHS)

Member of National Society of High School Scholars (NSHSS)

# education

Montana State University Computer Science Major Junior 3.17 GPA

Laurel High School Graduated 2015 3.5 GPA

# work experience

JDH Construction Contractors Assistant

Summer 2016/2017 Built mezzanines, and fully framed a house

Windmill Restaurant Servers Assistant

May 2016 – Aug 2016 Table bussing, food delivery, restaurant hosting