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Education

George Mason University

Dec 2026

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science (Accelerated M.S. Track)- 3.64 GPA

Fairfax, VA

Relevant Coursework: Software Engineering, Data Structures, Analysis of Algorithms, Linear Algebra, Database Systems, Artificial Intelligence

Northern Virginia Community College

Aug 2022 - May 2024

Springfield, VA

Associate of Science in Computer Science

Projects

AlgoMinds (Algominds.net) | Typescript, Express.js, Next.js, Redis, Docker | Fullstack Engineer March 2025 - Aug 2025

- Developed a coding platform for solving problems in real time with a Next.js frontend and Express, Prisma, PostgreSQL backend; containerized with Docker and deployed across Vercel, Fly.io, Azure, and Supabase, enabling cross-platform scalability and rapid feature deployment.
- Implemented secure auth JWT with rate limiting and validation via Passport.js, protecting against high-traffic abuse and reducing auth-related errors by 90%.
- Created a custom code judging pipeline using Judge0, Redis, and Websockets, cutting code execution latency by 40%.

Experience

Software Engineer - The Dumpster Masters

May 2025 - July 2025

The Dumpster Masters - Local Waste Management Client

Fairfax, VA

- Developed a **React Native** mobile MVP with an **Express.**; s backend to handle job dispatch, driver workflows, and in-app photo uploads for **3 drivers**.
- Built interactive Mapbox map screens showing real-time pickup/drop-off locations, fully automating route planning and improving driver task completion speed by 60%.
- Designed and deployed a role-based **REST API** (auth, jobs, billing) with **20+ endpoints** using **Express.js**, PostgreSQL, and Prisma ORM.
- Delivered mobile MVP for waste management workflows

Backend Engineer – Forkcast

July 2025 - Sept 2025

Forkcast (Forkcast.fit) - Restaurant Demand Forecasting

Fairfax, VA

- Built a machine learning-powered platform with a team of 5 that predicts restaurant inventory needs using **POS menu** item data, developed with FastAPI, XGBoost, PostgreSQL, and a React/TypeScript frontend.
- Engineered an idempotent, concurrent job pipeline with BullMQ + Redis to reliably transfer and process multi-GB POS datasets into Supabase storage, ensuring zero duplication and consistent state under retries/failures.
- Containerized pipeline services with Docker, enabling reproducible local dev + cloud deployment, and scaled workers horizontally to process 10+ GB/hour without data loss.
- Integrated interactive dashboards with real-time visualizations, enabling restaurant managers to monitor daily, weekly, and monthly demand trends for proactive ordering.

Leadership

Events Chair - ColorStack GMU

Oct 2025 - Present

George Mason University

Fairfax, VA

- Elected to lead event strategy and programming for a student org supporting underrepresented CS students at George Mason University.
- Planning and coordinating technical workshops, networking mixers, and professional development events in collaboration with peers and industry partners.

Technical Skills

Languages: Java, Python, C#, JavaScript, TypeScript, SQL

Frameworks & Libraries: React.js, Node.js, Express.js, FastAPI, Prisma, BullMQ, Redis

Cloud Platforms & DevOps: Azure, AWS, Docker, Fly.io

Developer Tools & Others: Git, GitHub, Sentry, Winston, Jest, Supertest