

# MARSHALL ZHANG

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Full Stack Developer

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## EDUCATION

### University of Portland

B.S. Computer Science and Music

Portland, OR

Fall 2020 - Spring 2025

**Awards:** Outstanding Capstone Project, Outstanding Instrumentalist, Dean's List, Presidential Scholarship, Music Scholarship

**Leadership:** Tennis Club president, Lion Dance head, Symphony & Chamber Orchestra First Chair

**Additional Information:** I took a one-year gap year (F'21–S'22) to care for my mother, who had cancer.

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## EXPERIENCE

### Money Maker - Budgeting App

Full Stack Developer

September 2025

Personal Project

- Developed full stack budget tracking app with 12+ expense organization, budget vs transaction comparison tables, and history of monthly goals for financial management and clarity
- Architected secure REST API using Node.js (Express) with Prisma ORM + PostgreSQL that features JWT authentication, data models (user, budget, and transaction), and 4+ CRUD endpoints
- Designed responsive React/Vite UI with reusable components and hooks, real-time transaction rollups, and Docker containerized deployment

### Full Stack Construction Website

Full Stack Developer

Summer 2025

Mega United Corporation LTD

- Developed responsive website for construction companies to showcase 5 + project portfolios and web development capabilities
- Architected scalable MERN stack infrastructure with MongoDB with CRUD operations
- Implemented animations featuring timeline milestone visualization, leaflet-based geolocation mapping, and dynamic project gallery

### University of Portland Computer Science Department

Teaching Assistant : Intro to CS, Data Structures, and Theory of Computation

Spring 2023 - Fall 2024

University of Portland CS Department

- Collaborated with professors to manage student grades, feedback tracking, and performance metrics through Microsoft Excel and weekly meetings
- Automated homework submissions validation and compilability checks through Linux CLI, reducing grading time by ~30%
- Mentored 60+ students, provided code reviews, feedback, and guidance to strengthen understanding and proficiency

### Senior Capstone - MicroMouse

Full Stack Developer and Team Lead

Fall 2024 - Spring 2025

University of Portland Multidisciplinary Capstone

- Led a 4-person team, set milestone deadlines, delegated tasks, and coordinated between developers and advisors
- Designed and built an autonomous robotic mouse capable of solving an interchangeable 10 ft x 10 ft maze using a flood fill algorithm
- Programmed embedded C firmware on STM microcontroller, calibrated sensors and PID, unit-tested both hardware and software modules, and tracked issues with LEDs and simulation
- Competed in the 2025 APEC MicroMouse competition, achieved autonomous navigation, and earned Outstanding Capstone Project

## SKILLS

**Languages:** Java, JavaScript, C/C++, Python, Rust, R

**Frameworks/Tools:** React, Node.js (Express), MERN, Prisma, Docker, CI/CD

**Databases:** PostgreSQL, MongoDB

**Other:** Linux, MATLAB, STM, TailwindCSS, Godot, JWT, Onshape

**Other projects:** Mortal Cooking game (F'24), Speedrun game (F'24), Game-Jam Horror game (F'24), Olympic Data Analysis and Visualization (F'24), Java Compiler-MiniJava (S'24), DFA animator (F'23), Chess game (F'22)