JESSE GARDNER

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EDUCATION

- **Bachelor of Arts in Sociology, May 2013, Bloomfield College, Bloomfield, New Jersey**
  Graduating GPA: 3.152
- **Candidate for Bachelors of Science in Computer Science, December 2016, Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania**
  Cumulative GPA: 2.83

ATTRIBUTES

- Firm stance on fighting for the greater good of humanity
- Resourceful consulting experience with student organizations and peers/groups
- Profound loyalty and compassion to work with others
- Connoisseur of event coordination
- Management oriented
- Gifted verbal and written communication skills
- Computational skills; C, Java, Javascript, HTML/CSS, PHP, SQL/NoSQL, XML, JSON, Matlab, Android Studio (Java/XML/gradle), Visual Basic
- Familiarity with the office environment
- Talented technical problem solver and critical thinker
- Passion for research and exploration of various fields of study

ACHIEVEMENTS & LEADERSHIP ROLES

- Programmer for Nao Robot child autism spectrum evaluation project, Summer 2016-Present
  - ➢ Implementing machine learning algorithms that interface with Nao Robot in child autism spectrum evaluation which is supervised by Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, Temple University School of Public Health, and Temple University Electrical Engineering Chair Dr. Li Bai.
- Researcher at Temple University Computer Information Science Department, Spring 2016-Present
  - ➢ Developing assistive based technology to combat neurocognitive memory recall complications common among the elderly population of Alzheimer's, dementia, Huntington's disease, and Parkinson's disease sufferers.
- Lead Organizer, Hacking Eating Tracking, Spring 2016-Present
  - ➢ Annual hackathon with a focus on nutrition and dietary awareness which is a collaborative effort involving Temple University Developers, Drexel Dragon Hackers, Harvard Medical School, and Boston Nutrition Obesity Research Center to be hosted on October 22-23.
- Logistics Advisor/Public Relations, Temple University CoDesigners, Spring 2014-Fall 2014
  - ➢ Build a community for those who are passionate about modern technology and software. Co-managed the organization in regards to familiarizing new e-board members with their duties, handling faculty affairs from time to time as well as many other matters based on the organization management.
- Technical Advisor, Filtrest, Summer 2015 | Technical Advisor/Programmer, December 2015-Present
  - ➢ Offer detailed emphasis on application programming approaches to a startup, whom aims to build a social networking application with a focus on garnering people's general interests.
- Founder/Logistics Advisor, Bloomfield College Debate Club, Spring 2012-Fall 2015
  - ➢ Managed to establish a student organization focused towards critical thinking, peer interactions, and understanding the world through an open scientific, political, and philosophical lens.

ACHIEVEMENTS & LEADERSHIP ROLES CONTINUED
- Student Body Presidential Candidate of Bloomfield College, Fall 2012-Spring 2013
  - Overcame the current Greek Council president at the time by well over a hundred votes, came in second place leading a strong campaign advocating towards student funding, campus safety, and policy implementation.
- President, Bloomfield College Debate Club, Spring 2012-Spring 2013
  - Taking responsibility of overseeing all Debate Club functions and assessing most processes, such as policy implementation, mass email notification, scheduling, public relations, and the budget.
- The "Most Improved Organization of The Year" Award, Bloomfield College Debate Club, Spring 2013
  - Out of seven newly established organizations on campus, Debate Club became voted as the most improved new organization due to the punctuality of its processes and dedication of its members.
- Resident Senator, Bloomfield College Student Government, Fall 2011-Spring 2012
  - Attempted to bring resident students together in becoming actively involved in improving themselves and campus life as a whole primarily by hosting campus life problem solution forums, promoting presence as a class officer willing to make those beneficial changes in need, and collaborating with various on-campus student organizations by hosting social event programs to acknowledge the importance of students voices.
- Managing Editor, Bloomfield College Student Newspaper Committee, Fall 2011-Spring 2012
  - Tasked to find best possible ways on making students more aware of current events happening around campus and the facilitative management role of how the reporting of current events surfaced among the campus student media.
- Orientation Leader, Bloomfield College Center For Student Leadership and Engagement, Fall 2011 and Fall 2012
  - Chosen twice in a row out of a select few each year (generally the students with most leadership experience) to be an orientation leader, whom is in charge of directing new incoming freshmen around campus in small groups to information sessions with regards of learning about campus life and assistance in moving in their dorms.
- Building Manager, Bloomfield College Center For Student Leadership and Engagement, Fall 2012-Spring 2013
  - Out of a select few, chosen to be hired as a building supervisor, kept track of events that occur within the vicinity, scheduling, office work, and managed events.

STUDENT ORGANIZATION INVOLVEMENT
- Gentleman's Club, Bloomfield College, Fall 2010-Spring 2013
- Student Newspaper Committee, Bloomfield College, Spring 2011-Spring 2012
- Student Government, Bloomfield College, Fall 2011-Spring2012
- Live Poet Society, Bloomfield College, Spring 2011-Spring 2013
- African Student Association, Bloomfield College, Fall 2011-Spring 2012
- Debate Club, Bloomfield College, Spring 2012-Fall 2014
- Math Club, Temple University, Fall 2013-Spring 2014
- CoDesigners, Temple University, Spring 2014-Fall 2015 (Merged with TU Dev)
- Temple Debate Society, Temple University, Fall 2014, Spring 2016-Present
- TUDev (Temple University Developers), Temple University, Fall 2015-Present

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Urban Apps & Maps Studios, Howard Gittis Student Center Temple University, Philadelphia PA
Summer 2014
Contacts: Jean Akingeneye, Coordinator, jean.akingeneye@temple.edu 267-414-4123
- Mentored volunteering high school students in an effort to not only better their future but also develop technological approaches to improving the city of Philadelphia by incorporating a hands on group project.

Orientation Leader, Center for Student Leadership and Engagement, Bloomfield NJ
Fall 2011 and 2012
Contacts: Jennifer Troxell, Director, 973-748-9008 ext. 401 & Bado Alverna, Assistant Director, ext. 1300
- Assisted freshmen moving in dormitories, showing them around campus, and easing them into campus life.

Office Assistant, Bloomfield College, Disabilities Department, Bloomfield NJ
Fall 2010
Contacts: Margaret Adams, Coordinator, 973-748-9000 ext. 1654
- Performed office work such as: faxing, filing, technical support, and computer associated work.

Study Monitor, Bloomfield College, Academic Affairs, Bloomfield NJ
Fall 2009 – Fall 2012
Contacts: Carolyn Spies, Associate Dean of Faculty, 973-748-9000 ext. 285
- Monitor the commuters lounge while people study for finals during finals week.

Building Manager, Bloomfield College, Center for Student Leadership and Engagement, Bloomfield NJ
Fall 2012 – Spring 2013
Contacts: Jennifer Troxell, Director, 973-748-9008 ext. 401 & Bado Alverna, Assistant Director, ext. 1300
- Managing the workplace by accomplishing facilitative office duties and supervising the building.

Sales Associate, Hickory Farms Food Stand in Phillipsburg Mall, Phillipsburg NJ
December 2012, December 2013
Contacts: Donna Allfather (570-688-6944)
- Making holiday food products sales and managing the kiosk.

REFERENCES

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