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EDUCATION

B.S, Computer Engineering, Virginia Tech
Blacksburg, VA

Expected graduation: May 2027

INVOLVEMENT

- STEM Organization and Assessment** Virginia Beach, VA
Career & Technical Education Program September 2021 - May 2023
- Utilized AutoCAD to create and modify detailed 2D/3D technical drawings, ensuring accuracy and compliance with project specifications and industry standards.
 - Actively contributed to all phases of projects, including systems design, prototyping, and detailed project planning, ensuring that all technical aspects met rigorous industry-grade standards and were optimized for functionality.
- National Honor Society** Virginia Beach, VA
Executive Board Member September 2020 - May 2023
- Prestigious organization that recognizes and encourages academic achievement, leadership, service, and character in high school students, with a focus on promoting well-rounded individuals and fostering a culture of excellence.
 - Provided leadership and strategic direction, organizing events, coordinating community service initiatives, and fostering academic excellence among members.
 - Actively worked to bridge the gap between students looking for meaningful volunteer experiences and local organizations seeking volunteers, ensuring the needs of both parties were met effectively.
- Cox Orchestra Association** Virginia Beach, VA
Concert Master September 2020 - May 2023
- Served as Principal Concert Violinist and Concert Master from 2020 to 2022, demonstrating leadership and musical excellence in orchestral performances.
 - Achieved Full Superior Ratings in Orchestra Assessment and received multiple class awards at the Busch Gardens Williamsburg Orchestral Performance in Spring 2022.
 - Performed at Carnegie Hall during the 2022-2023 season and was recognized as the Most Improved of Class A in 2020-2021, showcasing dedication and artistic growth.

EXPERIENCE

- Geisha, Japanese Steakhouse** Virginia Beach, VA
Dishwasher, Busser, Waiter August 2020 - January 2021
- Developed strong problem-solving skills and adaptability by efficiently managing dishwashing operations in a high-volume steakhouse, ensuring seamless kitchen workflow.
 - Enhanced teamwork and communication by coordinating with kitchen staff and servers as a busser, optimizing table turnover and restaurant efficiency.
 - Demonstrated attention to detail and customer service skills as a waiter, managing multiple orders accurately and improving time management in a fast-paced environment.
- Cinnaholic, Gourmet Cinnamon Rolls** Virginia Beach, VA
FOH, Cashier August 2022 - May 2023
- Managed front-of-house operations in a busy shop, ensuring a smooth customer experience through efficient service and coordination with the kitchen staff.
 - Handled cash and electronic transactions with accuracy while providing excellent customer service, demonstrating strong attention to detail and problem-solving skills in a fast-paced environment.
 - Optimized workflow by quickly adapting to changing demands, assisting with order fulfillment, and maintaining inventory to support seamless daily operations.

HONORS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- Workplace Readiness Certification 2022
- AutoCAD Autodesk Certification 2022
- 95+ hours of Community and Volunteer Service. 2019-present

SKILLS

C++, Matlab, Solid Works, Arduino, Java, Onshape, Database management, Team Collaboration, Volunteer Acquisition, Texas Instruments