

# Autobiographical Note

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*“Myth: computers suck because they don’t do what you say.*

*Reality: computers suck because they do exactly what you say.”*

*—Zach Wiener Smith*

# Biographical facts

- born in Ohio
- lived in California, Indiana, and Canada for a bit
- attended high school
- became interested in CS due to friendship with a C++ enthusiast
- double major at Cornell College in French and Computer Science

# Interesting facts

- sabre fencer + archer
- works right outside the Academic Teanology Studio
- oboist
- studied abroad in Martinique (French caribbean)
- had been called the "cat wizard/whisperer"

# Special interests

- robots and artificial intelligence
- video + computer games
- music in said games
- cats
- architecture
- languages, translation, linguistic anthropology
- the exact science of creating oboe reeds