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## **EDUCATION**

• University of Kentucky College of Engineering

Lexington, KY

Expected Graduation: Dec 2027 / May 2028

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Major in Computer Science; Minors in Mathematics

GPA: 3.5/4.0

• Relevant Coursework: Introduction to Program Design, Data Structures, Advanced Programming & Operating Systems Interfaces, Discrete Mathematics, Numerical Methods, Calculus III

## **SKILLS**

- Programming: Python, Java, JavaScript, C++, MATLAB, HTML, CSS, SQL, Bash/Shell scripting
- **Software Development / Tools:** Git/GitHub, Visual Studio, VS Code, Eclipse, Linux, Agile workflow, Debugging, Unit Testing, RESTful APIs (JSON, Postman)
- AI & Machine Learning: LLM integration (OpenAI API), Prompt engineering, Data analysis, Machine learning fundamentals, MATLAB modeling, Data visualization
- Cloud & Systems: Operating systems (Windows, Linux), Virtualization (VMs, Docker), Cloud services (Microsoft Azure), CI/CD concepts
- Security & Networking: Host-based threat monitoring, Gophish phishing simulation, Network setup & configuration
- Design & Media: Web design, UX/UI fundamentals, Microsoft Office, Video editing (DaVinci Resolve)

## RECENT PROJECTS

• AI-Powered Study Assistant Web App (Full-Stack • AI • Cloud)

Fall 2025 - Present

- Developing a web-based study assistant that uses an LLM API to generate summaries, flashcards, and practice questions from uploaded notes
- Implementing Flask/Node backend with SQL database for storing user data and study materials
- Integrating OpenAI API for natural language processing and response generation
- Deploying the containerized application on Microsoft Azure using Docker for scalability and reliability
- Focused on user experience, secure authentication, and efficient API handling
- Host-based Intrusion Detection System (HIDS) (Python Security Systems)

Fall 2025

- Built a lightweight HIDS in Python to monitor file integrity and detect unauthorized system modifications
- Utilized cryptographic hashing algorithms (SHA-256) to identify file changes and log anomalies
- Designed configurable monitoring rules and modular architecture for easy expansion
- Tested detection accuracy and optimized thresholds to minimize false positives
- Phishing Attack Simulation with Gophish (Cybersecurity Social Engineering)

Fall 2025

- Deployed a phishing simulation using Gophish to analyze user responses to targeted email campaigns
- Configured custom templates, tracked interaction metrics, and identified weak points in email security practices
- Documented findings, proposing mitigation strategies to improve awareness and reduce future risk
- Web Development Projects (Frontend Client Work)

Summer 2025 - Present

- Designing and developing responsive, user-friendly websites using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript for individual clients
- Implementing cross-browser compatibility and mobile responsiveness with clean UI layouts
- Applying UX principles to optimize accessibility and user engagement

## WORK EXPERIENCE

• **Kroger** (E-Commerce Pickup Associate)

2023 - Present

- Processed 100+ customer orders weekly with 95% accuracy through efficient teamwork and coordination to ensure on-time deliveries.

## **ACTIVITIES & LEADERSHIP**

ColorStack

2025 - Present

- Co-founded a student community promoting diversity in CS through mentorship, collaborative software projects, and hackathons.