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PERSONAL STATEMENT

I am a hardworking, passionate, and efficient college student seeking an IT internship where I can apply my relevant college coursework to gain real-world experience. I thrive in all types of environments, especially those requiring collaboration. I am eager to learn in all environments, including software development, information security, and database design. I am committed to improving myself daily to ensure a lasting impact.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Olive Garden, Mankato, MN — Server

August 2022 - PRESENT

- Communicate with guests and anticipate their needs to provide superior customer service
- Efficiently package to-go food order for guests
- Effectively work with kitchen staff and management to provide efficient service

AAA Movers, Brooklyn Park, MN — *Relocation Expert* March 2020 - July 2023

- Carefully relocated customer's items to a new location via truck
- Managed crew and drove a truck to locations
- Ensured customers were satisfied with services after completion
- Handled billing and signatures after job completion

EDUCATION

BS Computer Information Technology - Minnesota

State University, Mankato May 2025 (Expected)

- Film Studies Minor
- Current GPA: 3.3

Diploma - St. Michael-Albertville High School

September 2017 - May 2021

- Current GPA: 3.7
- Varsity Football
- Hockey Assistant Captain
- Varsity Lacrosse Captain
- Business Professionals of America

(IT) SKILLS

Python, C#, C, Microsoft Windows, Linux, VirtualBox, SQL, MySQL, Microsoft Office.

SOFT SKILLS

Leadership, Communication, Listening, Problem-Solving, Multi-Tasking, Collaboration

ACHIEVEMENTS

- 2022-2024 MNSU lacrosse captain
- 2024 MNSU Lacrosse Vice President
- 2023 Dean's list

PROJECTS

Co-Lead / Front End Developer | MaverageGrades | Mankato, MN | December 2023 - Present

- Conceptualized and spearheaded a comprehensive project involving both front-end and back-end development for a grade distribution website using data provided by Minnesota State University, Mankato.
- Taking a leadership role in the planning and execution of front-end development tasks, ensuring alignment with project goals.
- Responsible for designing and implementing the user interface, utilizing HTML, CSS, and JavaScript to enhance user experience.
- Collaborating with partner Anthony Lopez to ensure seamless integration between front-end and back-end components.
- Demonstrating effective communication and leadership skills to drive the success of the project.

RELEVANT COURSES

Introduction to Programming, Data Structures, Algorithms, Calculus 1, Information Security, Database Systems, Technical Communication, Computer architecture, Systems Analysis and Design

Solo Game Developer | Unity/C# | "Platformer" | January 2024-Present

- Designed and implemented multiple engaging levels, demonstrating creativity and problem-solving skills.
- Integrated animations seamlessly to enhance the visual appeal and overall user experience of the game.
- Wrote and implemented scripts for player controls, character movement, and interactions, ensuring smooth gameplay.
- Applied debugging techniques to identify and resolve issues, ensuring a polished and bug-free gaming experience.

Project Leader | "Maverick College" | Contingency Policy/ Pen-Testing | September 2023-December 2023

- Group project focused on developing a comprehensive contingency plan for an e-commerce store, showcasing strong leadership and project management skills.
- Conducted a thorough risk assessment to identify potential vulnerabilities and threats to the e-commerce platform, demonstrating a keen understanding of security protocols.
- Leveraged penetration testing skills to identify and exploit vulnerabilities within the e-commerce store, followed by successful restoration of services to enhance overall system resilience.
- Collaborated with team members to analyze and prioritize potential risks, ensuring a strategic and targeted approach to security measures.