

# TAI SEWELL

## SOFTWARE ENGINEER



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## Projects

### GridironGPT - Fantasy Football Assistant

In Progress | React | Sleeper Fantasy Football API | SQLite (Local Cache) | FastAPI | OpenAI API | Docker

- Developed **GridironGPT**, a **full-stack AI** fantasy football assistant leveraging **React**, **FastAPI**, **SQLite**, and the **Sleeper/SportsDataIO API's** to generate data-driven player insights and matchup analytics.
- Engineered a high-performance **caching layer** and **data ingestion pipeline**, reducing external API calls and **accelerating** backend query **response times**.
- Integrated the **OpenAI API** to transform raw **statistical data** into clear, conversational fantasy guidance.
- Implemented **CI/CD** pipelines with **GitHub Actions**.
- **Containerized** a **full-stack** application with **Docker**, enforcing **clean architecture**, **RESTful API** design, and well-structured **data models** using **object-oriented** principles.

### TaskTrackr - To-Do List Web Application

React | Python | FastAPI | MySQL | Docker | Github

- Engineered **TaskTrackr**, a **full-stack** task management app with secure user authentication using **JWT**.
- Implemented **task creation, editing, deletion**, and **completion tracking** with checkbox UI.
- Built **Restful API** endpoints using **FastAPI** and connected them to a **MySQL** database.
- **Containerized** frontend, backend, and database using **Docker** and managed them with **Docker Compose**.
- Applied authentication logic, error handling, and **token-based** session management to support a scalable **microservice architecture**.

### TaiSewell.com - Personal Portfolio Website

React | Tailwind CSS | Vercel | Github

- Developed a **fully responsive** personal website to showcase **projects, skills, education**, and **experience**.
- Implemented a **navbar navigation**, **animated profile section**, and **dynamic project cards**.
- Deployed the site using **Vercel** for fast, reliable hosting and global accessibility.

## Education

**BAS in Software Development** - Austin Community College - Austin, TX

**Expected Graduation Date:** December 2026

**AAS in Computer Programming** - Austin Community College - Austin, TX

January 2022 to December 2024

## Skills/Coursework

**Technologies:** React, Node.js, FastAPI, Docker, GitHub, Jupyter Notebook, Jira, VSCode, Github Actions CI/CD, SQLite, MySQL, Eclipse, PyCharm,

**Languages:** Python, Java, C++, JavaScript, C#, SQL

**AI/ML Tools:** scikit-learn, ensemble modeling, model evaluation

**Advanced Coursework:** Data Structures & Algorithms, System Analysis & Design, Machine Learning, Computational Thinking, Programming Languages, Operating Systems, Cloud Computing

## Experience

### Sales & IT Manager

Urban Euphoria CBD

August 2025 to Present

- **Sales & Team Leadership** – **Manage** and **train** sales associates to meet **performance goals**.
- **Website & IT Management** – **Maintain** and **optimize** the company **website**, improving functionality and user experience for **300+** monthly customers and supporting online sales growth.
- **Business Operations & Collaboration** – Partner with **ownership/leadership** to meet business goals.

### NCAA Division I Football Athlete

Abilene Christian University | August 2021 to December 2021

- Enhanced **teamwork** and **collaboration**, Developed **leadership** and **communication skills**