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Education

Stanford University

GPA: 3.884, B.S. Candidate in Computer Science

Relevant Coursework: Programming Abstractions, Computer Organization & Systems, Mathematical Foundations of Computing, Linear Algebra & Multivariable Calculus, Introduction to Scientific Python

Stanford, CA

June 2027

Benjamin Franklin High School

Valedictorian, Captain of Track & Field Team, All-National Violinist, GPA: 4.0, ACT: 36

New Orleans, LA

May 2023

Software Engineering Experience

Posers!

Full Stack Developer

Stanford, CA

12/2023 – Present

- Created a web game which involves machine learning that estimates a user's pose from live webcam footage. The approximate positions of key body parts (elbows, shoulders, etc.) on the image are located, normalized, and compared to check whether the user is in the correct pose
- Application employs the AI framework MediaPipe for pose estimation and was built using Next.js, TRPC, Prisma, and Typescript
- IOS app is currently under development using Swift/SwiftUI

Access DB

Full Stack Developer

Stanford, CA

11/2023 – 12/2023

- Developed, built, and designed a web application that uses AI to recommend scholarships to college students with disabilities. Searches are powered by a customized ChatGPT AI with Vector Embeddings
- Application utilizes OpenAI's API + Pinecone for AI-powered searches, Next.js + TRPC + Prisma + TypeScript to ensure full-stack type safety, Clerk for authentication, and Tailwind CSS for UI/UX
- Collected 100+ scholarships via web scraping 10+ unique sites with BeautifulSoup in Python

Admitted

Co-Founder, Full Stack Developer

New Orleans, LA

6/2023 – Present

- Developing Admitted, a college prep service connecting high school students with college students, providing affordable access to high-quality essay reviews, resume reviews, and mock interviews
- Designed the UI/UX, including the layout, visual design, icons, and graphics
- Implemented RESTful API for financial transactions and an automated email communication system

Other Experience

Tulane University School of Science and Engineering

Student Researcher

New Orleans, LA

9/2019 – 9/2021

- Co-authored [publication](#): "Characterizing the role of Pdgfra in calvarial development"
- Researched the underlying molecular mechanisms in craniofacial disorders using a mouse embryo model

Leadership

Glass Half Full

Organizer of Glass Collection Service

New Orleans, LA

6/2020 – 6/2023

- Created a weekly recycling collection service to pick up glass products from New Orleans before delivering it to Glass Half Full Recycling Center
- Collected 2,500+ pounds of glass waste and aided process of recycling them into sand, glass cullet, and other glass products that were used for coastal restoration, disaster relief, and eco-reconstruction
- Awarded Rustic Spirit Spotlight — International recognition for community service

Technical Skills

Programming Technologies: Java, C++, Python, JavaScript/TypeScript, HTML/CSS, Swift/SwiftUI

Software/Web Development: React.js/Next.js, Prisma, TRPC, Node.js, Express.js, Tailwind CSS

Data Science: Python with NumPy, Pandas, and scikit-learn; Web Scraping (BeautifulSoup)