August Ta-Goetz

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EDUCATION

University of Michigan GPA: 3.98/4.0

Ann Arbor, MI

Studies in Computer Science BSE, Dance (Performance & Production)

09/2019-08/2023

Dean's Honor List

James B. Angell Scholar

Awarded Craig Jon Kutinsky Scholarship and The Ailey School Full Scholarship

CORE COMPETENCIES

Languages: Spanish Fluency Computer Languages: Python, C++, Java, HTML, CSS, JS

Engines: Unreal Engine, Unity Design Softwares: Blender, Photoshop, InDesign

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

EECS 498: Augmented & Virtual Realities, Multidisciplinary Design Experience

Projects in Extended Reality for Social Good, Unreal Engine, and Unity

EECS 485: Web Development

Projects in Distributed Systems, Server-Side Dynamic Pages, Client-Side Dynamic Pages

EECS 482: Operating Systems

Projects in File Server Management, Memory Management, and Multithreaded Programming

EECS 481: Software Engineering

Projects in Mutation Testing, Delta Debugging, and Open Source Contribution

EECS 376: Computer Science Theory

• Practice in Complexity Theory and Turing Machines

MATH 465: Combinatorics

• Practice in Combinatorics and Graph Theory

WORK EXPERIENCE

Fun Girl Dance Company

Ypsilanti, MI

Company Artist

09/2021 - 08/2023

Selected as a paid dancer and soloist for the 2021-2022 and 2022-2023 performance seasons

Arts in Color: A World Beyond

Ann Arbor, MI 09/2019 - 11/2019

Performer

Hired to collaborate and dance in annual show

Performance promoted equity and social justice to Ann Arbor community, sparking change to the local social climate

The Ailey School

New York, NY

Assistant Dance Instructor

09/2017 - 04/2019

- Hired under work study as instructor for The Ailey School, premiere modern dance company and cultural ambassador
- Taught modern dance technique to high potential young dancers

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honor Society

Ann Arbor, MI

Member

09/2020 -

- Selected as a member for being in top 5% of engineering students at the University
- Coordinated service events for local community including K-12 tutoring and youth outreach
 - o Engaged precollegiate students in engineering through projects in circuitry, coding, and product design
 - Hosted panel discussions for prospective engineering students, sharing preparation advice and personal experiences