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#### **EDUCATION**

University of Massachusetts Amherst- Bachelors of Science in Computer Science Commonwealth Honors College

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#### **PROJECTS**

### US Space Force: "Best Space App"

- Created a 2D top-down blaster game in 36 hours as a part of HackUmass IX, an official Major League Hacking-run hackathon
- Selected by Major League Hacking and the US Space Force as the best space-themed app

### HalfPoint App (current project)

- Using Google Map API to create an app to enable people to find attractions at the halfway point
- Learned applications of API, JavaScript, and HTML

#### **EMPLOYMENTS AND INTERNSHIPS**

#### **Beaver Works MIT CubeSat**

- Designed, assembled, and tested a Cubesat
- Worked with Lincoln Laboratory staff and MIT graduate students to gain hands-on experience in building a space system

#### YMCA Front Desk Representative

- Coordinated and lead membership events
- Used excel to organize events, manage memberships, and coordinate staff meeting

#### **Needham High School Student Ambassador**

- Promoted to Lead Student Ambassador to form a selective group of 10 students
- Created school activities to create a better learning environment
- Lead a "No One Eats Alone" project

### **Needham Community Education Program (NCE)**

- Volunteered as a teacher assistant for a local educational enrichment program working with students grades 1-8
- Collaborated with a diverse group of people to promote the learning of computer science among kids
- Organized projects and learning materials

### **SKILLS**

Java, JavaScrip, Python, HTML Communication Leadership

## **Affiliations & Activities**

Machine Learning Club Cybersecurity Hacking Club Product Management Club Entrepreneurship Club

### **Awards**

National Honor Society (2018-2021), National Junior Honor Society (2016-2018), Commonwealth Honors College (2021), Honor Roll (2016-2021), Massachusetts Seal of Biliteracy, AP scholar with distinction