# A.J. Futo

# CyberCorps SFS Scholar & Computer Science Student

Solution-oriented Computer Science student and IT Specialist with a variety of professional and educational experiences. Dedicated to maximizing efficiency in high-pressure situations. Passionate about information privacy and security, networking technology, and software development. Adept at motivating self and others.

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# **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# **Computer Support Specialist** University of Central Florida

10/2019 - Present

Orlando, FL

Achievements/Tasks

- Providing Tier 1 and 2 support to over 150 remote and local users in the Offices of the President, Provost, General Counsel, and CIO.
- Managing and maintaining inventory of over 1,000 devices.

#### **Front Service Clerk**

Publix Super Markets, Inc.

01/2017 - 09/2019

Fort Lauderdale, FL

#### **Math Enrichment Tutor**

## Institute for Mathematics and Computer Science

10/2018 - 05/2019

Fort Lauderdale, FL

## **EDUCATION**

# **Bachelor of Computer Science** University of Central Florida

08/2019 - 06/2023

3.9/4.0 GPA

Networks

Orlando, FL - Honors: President's List

Spring 2021, Fall 2020, Spring 2020

Awards: NSF CyberCorps SFS Scholarship, UCF **Provost Scholarship** 

Minors: Mathematics and

Secure Computing &

- Tech Stack: Python, Java, C++, C, Linux

# **Network Support Services**

# Atlantic Technical College & High School

08/2015 - 06/2019

Coconut Creek. FL

Valedictorian - 4.0/4.0 GPA

 Expertise in deploying and troubleshooting computers and peripheral network equipment.

- Creating, monitoring, and maintaining secure computer networks.

# **Programming Methodology & Modern Physics** Stanford University

06/2018 - 08/2018

San Francisco, CA

 Exploring principles including object-oriented design, abstraction, and

Undergraduate Semester

decomposition.

 Participating in discussions on Einsteinian and quantum physics.

# **SKILLS**

Open-Source Intelligence

Remote Access

Computer Networking

Active Directory & SCCM

Troubleshooting

Information Technology

Virtualization

**Data Structures** 

#### **PROJECTS**

Network Design - Bright Bank & Trust (09/2018 - 05/2019)

- Designed multi-phased computer network for Business Professionals of America competition.
- Emphasized privacy and security policies.
- Placed first in Florida and top 10 in the nation.

PC Servicing & Troubleshooting (09/2018 - 05/2019)

- Competed in knowledge-based and practical events involving PC servicing, building, and troubleshooting.
- Placed first in Florida and top 10 in the nation.

Coconut Creek Teen Political Forum (09/2018 - 05/2019)

- Organized and moderated event that allowed over 600 high school students to speak with their local, state, and national elected officials.
- Led marketing and video production teams.

## **CERTIFICATIONS**

CompTIA IT Operations Specialist

May '19 - Present

MTA: Security Fundamentals

Oct '19 - Present

CompTIA Network+

May '19 - Present

TestOut Network Pro

Apr '19 - Present

## **ORGANIZATIONS**

Hack@UCF | Collegiate Cyber Defense (08/2020 - Present) Member

Student Government Association (11/2015 - 06/2019)

Business Professionals of America (08/2017 - 06/2019) Representative

Mu Alpha Theta (08/2017 - 06/2019)

Corresponding & Recording Secretary