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OBJECTIVE STATEMENT

Ambitious computer science major, with a strong foundation in technical skills, customer service, and communication, eager to apply my teamwork and creativity in a professional setting.

EDUCATION

Purdue University West Lafayette, IN	Expected Graduation: May 2029
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Coursework: Object-Oriented Programming, Fundamentals of Computer Science, Programming in C	
New Albany High School New Albany, OH	May 2025

- GPA: 3.99 | 6 APs, 2 CCP, 6 Honors, 7 Graduation Seals
- Awards: Cum Laude, Microsoft STEM Scholarship, Intel ASCENT Scholarship, Football Team-Academic Ohio 2x, Ohio Honors Diploma, AP Scholars with Honors, Student Honor Roll 4x

LEADERSHIP & PROJECTS

Calendar Application - Launchpad	September 2025-Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Developed a mobile app with mentor guidance that tracks for availability within your schedule to add eventsImplemented Flutter UI components with Firebase integration and utilizing Real-Time Tracking	
Reservation Manager	November 2025-Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Facilitated a group to create a reservation manager for a fictional movie theaterEngineered using a Multi-Client Architecture, Interactive GUI, Data Persistence, Thread Safety	
Networking Company Project	2023-2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Led a group of five to design a project for a fictional company to design a network infrastructureCreated network topologies to emphasize hardware, security strategies, and network documentation	
Lead Game Designer Roblox	2020-2021
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Coordinated the development of a puzzle-horror game utilizing terrain modeling, 3D modeling, animationAchieved over 70 million plays worldwide; demonstrating entrepreneurship & teamwork	

WORK EXPERIENCE

Pastimes Pub & Grill Barback Columbus, Ohio	June 2025 - August 2025
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Expedited bar service by consistently restocking drinks and supplies, changing kegs, and assisting serversMaintained cleanliness throughout the restaurant and the kitchen, improving efficiency and organization	
Eagles Pizza Employee New Albany, Ohio	February 2023 - May 2025

- Displayed exceptional work ethic through customer service, assisting in kitchen operations, and cleanliness

CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT & EXTRACURRICULAR

Pi Kappa Phi, Omega Chapter	2025-Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Engaged in leadership, service through fraternity initiatives through The Ability ExperienceVolunteered and contributed to fundraisers and events to support individuals with disabilities	
Varsity Football	2022-2025
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Served as a team-captain and contributed to an OCC Division 1 regional championship game appearance	

- Organized and administered fundraisers at restaurants and school events to raise money for leukemia awareness

SKILLS

Languages: Proficient in Java & Lua, Foundational to Python & JavaScript, Intermediate in C

Frameworks/Tools: Blender, Terrain Modeling, Animation Modeling, Git/GitHub, Flutter