

almond Heil (/ˈhaɪl/)

I'm interested in server maintenance and developing user-facing utilities, and looking for a post-bachelor's position.

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Education

Grinnell College Computer Science, B.A.
Grinnell, IA Aug. 2021 – May 2025 (expected)
• 3.808 GPA
• Coursework including Operating Systems, Parallel Programming, and Programming Language Theory
• Dean's List F21, F22, S23, F23, and S24 semesters

Selected Experience

Grinnell College CS Department Grinnell, IA
Teaching Assistant, various courses Jan 2023 – Present
• **Built an understanding of teaching** by mentoring both introductory and advanced CS courses

Los Alamos National Labs, HPC-OPS Remote
Systems Undergrad Intern Aug 2024-Present
• Contributed to the development of **Ochami**, a novel cluster **management infrastructure**

Los Alamos National Labs, HPC-DO Los Alamos, NM
Supercomputer Institute Student Jun-Aug 2024
• Designed, built, and **maintained a cluster** of 10 nodes
• Learned to operate cluster from the ground up, progressing from **manual to automated administration**
• Explored containerizing the Cray Programming Environment for the Programming Environments team

Los Alamos National Labs, XCP-DO Los Alamos, NM
Parallel Fellowship Student Jun-Aug 2023
• **Developed a one-sided MPI algorithm** for particle transport in lab testing code Branson

Los Alamos National Labs, T-6 Los Alamos, NM
Computational Biology Undergrad Intern Jun-Sep 2022
• Studied **infection time inferral** from phylogenetic trees

Technical Skills

📋 Linux · Ansible · Slurm
Ochami · Docker · MPI
🔧 Git · Bash · Vim · SSH
📄 C · Python · Rust
Racket · Haskell · Java

Favorite Projects

give-take Grinnell
• User-to-user **file transfer** built for school CS network
• Inspired by 'give' utility at Los Alamos National Lab
• **Skills:** TCP networking, file serialization, daemons

ftag Personal
• Arbitrary **file tagging** intended for photo libraries
• **Skills:** Rust, databases, argument parsing

Hobbies

THEATRE Stage management
Sound design
ART Origami (esp. modular)
Pixel art
Tabletop roleplaying
game (TTRPG) design