**Austin Persek**

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**EDUCATION**

**B.S., Computer Science May 2026**

High Point University High Point, NC

**Relevant Courses:** Advanced Programming/Data Structures, Algorithm Development/Advanced Data Structures, AI/ML, Discrete Math, Web Technologies, Computational Physics

**Extracurriculars**

* HPU Food Recovery Network Club
* Intramural Sport Athlete (Basketball and Football)

**EXPERIENCE**

**Research Intern June 2024 – Present**

Mc Dermott and Bull Executive Search Irvine, CA

*Top 25 Global Retained Executive Search Firm*

* Supported the executive search process by providing data entry and data enhancement for client engagements.
* Shadowed client meetings and participated in training sessions to learn about executive search processes and practices
* Researched potential candidates for executive positions, using Microsoft Dynamics, LinkedIn Recruiter, and Zoom Info
* Provided business development support to the firm’s Managing Directors and Partners by researching target companies, prospects, and contact information. Maintained database with most accurate information.
* Analyzed and updated Executive Network membership records. Reported on status of members so that the firm could market events and upcoming offerings.

**Resident Assistant August 2023 - Present**

High Point University High Point, NC

* Manage and oversee 8 housing units and over 60 students on campus
* Conduct necessary meetings to help residents navigate their campus experience and ensure their well-being as well as resolve conflicts.
* Develop community activities monthly to enable relationship building across resident communities
* Coordinate resident floor repairs and facilitate maintenance work orders

**SKILLS**

* Public Speaking
* Growth Mindset
* Team Development
* Inclusive Leadership
* JavaScript, Python
* HTML, CSS
* Data Structures, Algorithms
* Interpersonal Skills