# **Arion Almond**

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### **EDUCATION**

**Bachelor of Science in Computer Science** 

University of North Carolina Charlotte Charlotte, North Carolina College of Computing and Informatics

3.2 GPA Overall 3.5 GPA Core

Associate in Applied Science Computer Information Technology
Associate in Applied Science Computer Networking
Graduation: May 2013
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Rowan Cabarrus Community College Concord, North Carolina

3.5 GPA Overall

### **EMPLOYMENT**

## AvidXchange INC: Software Engineer

August 2016 to Present

Graduation: December 2016

- Development of external facing API's utilizing REST, C#, .NET, WSO2 API Manager and ESB
- Development of API Documentation Platform, leveraging Open API Specification Swagger 2.0, JSON parsing, MYSQL for version control, and hosting website for internal developers and external partner developers

#### University of North Carolina Charlotte: Teaching Assistant

August 2014 to Present

- Responsible for managing up to 50 students per semester, creating and administering labs
- o Teaching freshman and transfer students how to succeed in the computer science program
- Working with UNCC CCI Business Partners to connect students to companies

# Pride Technologies, LLC: IT Consultant

December 2015 to May 2016

- Service Desk Support for TIAA-CREF with over 10,000 employees/clients
- o Leveraging phone, chat, and customer initiated support to resolve incidents

## **EXPERIENCE**

#### AvidXchange INC: Internship

- Worked on API Toolkit team: Exposing APIs for internal software solutions
- Worked on Integration team: Extract and translate data for integrated customer solutions

#### **Clutch Gaming Solutions:** Technology Lead

 Design and implementation of gaming as a service platform utilizing Amazon Web Services. The purpose of the platform is to transition away from the pay per unit current market of video games.

#### **Networking Project:** Capstone

 Completed CCNA curriculum and multiple location network build. Installed routers, switches, and 1000 clients from Internet point of contact. Utilized Microsoft Project, Cisco Packet Tracer, GNS3, Microsoft Visio, and VMware.

#### **Systems Support Project:** Capstone

 Desktop Infrastructure deployment implemented virtually in VMware, with thin-clients, Windows 7, and Microsoft Server 2008.

#### **VOLUNTEER**

- Career Code Events, hosting weekly meetings to inspire students to reach their full potential
- o Salvation Army Rehabilitation Center, weekly meetings to teach computer skills and job training

#### **HONORS**

- Accepted into the Entrepreneurship Program and Business Incubator for Clutch Gaming Solutions
- o Dean's List at University of North Carolina Charlotte