# Carson Smith

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#### EDUCATION

#### The University of Texas at Dallas

Richardson, TX

B.S. in Computer Information Systems and Technology, Minor in Cybersecurity

Aug. 2024 - May 2028

#### EXPERIENCE

### Co-Founder, Project Manager

Allen, TX

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May 2024 - Present

- Tested and debugged all code before deployment, resulting in a 95% reduction of post-deployment issues
- Automated testing processes by developing and maintaining scripts, cutting manual testing time by 10 hours/week
- Standardized code practices, reducing developer onboarding time by 80%
- Acted as the primary liaison between development and cross-functional teams, ensuring seamless communication
- Oversaw task distribution and coordinated timelines, guaranteeing 100% on-time delivery of project milestones

#### **Back-End Developer**

Allen, TX

Allen STEAM Life App

Aug. 2023 - May 2024

- Deployed the backend on Amazon AWS, maintaining 99.99% uptime
- $\bullet$  Optimized database performance using DynamoDB, maintaining response times less than 100 ms
- Collaborated with the project manager to implement robust security measures, achieving zero security breaches
- Worked closely with front-end team to ensure reliable data flow between front and back-end

#### Projects

Petrophysics Inc. Catalog Rewrite | TypeScript, SQL/SQLite, Pocketbase, React

Jul. 2024 - Present

- Refactored the seismic data catalog, reducing data retrieval time by 97%
- Engineered a Pocketbase backend to maintain sub-100ms response time for all queries
- Developed a dynamic React front-end for streamlined searching of seismic logs and velocity surveys
- Implemented a user-friendly interface, increasing user satisfaction by 57%

#### Self-Hosted Email Server | Linux, Shell, SMTP, IMAP, Docker

Aug. 2024 – Sep. 2024

- Deployed and configured an email server, ensuring 99.99% uptime and complete reliability
- Implemented SPF, DKIM, and DMARC protocols, achieving 100% deliverability for outgoing emails
- Drove a 66% reduction in reliability on third-party email services

Self-Hosted Webserver & Personal Website | HTML, Node.js, Tailwind CSS, Astro, React, nginx

Jul. 2024

• Launched a personal website (cartt.one), utilizing Astro and Tailwind CSS, maintaining 99.99% uptime

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: TypeScript, JavaScript, Java, Python, SQL, HTML/CSS, LaTeX, Markdown

Frameworks: Django, Flask, React, Tailwind CSS, Astro Developer Tools: Docker, Git/GitHub, Node.js, Vite

Operating Systems: Linux (Arch, Debian, Kali, RPi OS, Ubuntu), Windows 8/10/11, MacOS, iOS

Technologies: Amazon AWS, UEFI, VirtualBox, VMware, DNS, SMTP, IMAP, nginx

Soft Skills: Customer Service

## CREDENTIALS

CompTIA Security+ | In-Progress CompTIA A+ | ID: COMP001022565935 Sep. 2024

Jul. 2024

AP Scholar with Distinction

May 2023