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Education

UC San Diego

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science
Bachelor of Arts in Music with an Emphasis in Technology

September 2020 - June 2025

San Diego, California
GPA: 3.90/4.00

Classical Academy High School

Salutatorian
Rank 2/250

September 2016 - June 2020

Escondido, California
GPA: 4.48/4.00

Technical Skills

Languages Java, Python, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, C, C#, C++, SQL

Technologies/Frameworks Unix, Git, VS Code, Eclipse, Vim, TailwindCSS, Figma

Developer Tools Node.js, React, Next.js, GitHub, Express, MongoDB, Vercel, WordPress, Godot

Experience

Origin Golf

June 2022 - Present

Full-Stack Software Engineer

Vista, California

- Launched a full-stack [machine shop management website](#) to track all jobs in the machine shop. This tool **consistent facilitated day-to-day planning** and communication, and saved hours from searching for missing fixtures.
 - Built the management website in **Next.js**, a **React**-based framework, using a **MySQL database** interfacing with **Node.js** in the back-end. Implemented responsive design to be compatible with **iOS and Android screens**.
 - Created a [momentary history page](#) using the same tools, showing the exact state of the shop at any moment in time, and a [history log](#) with all changes viewable with a **filter**.
- Developed an [order management website](#) for tracking all active customer orders. This tool dramatically improved **workload awareness**, leading to more **dynamic workforce management** to scale with the needs of the company.
 - First designed the orders page in **Figma**, then created it using **Next.js**, **MySQL**, **Node.js**, and **TypeScript**.
 - Created a [history log](#) to track all changes to orders for ease of use.
- Created **several additional tools** and websites to increase efficiency:
 - Developed a [time-clock management tool](#) to decrease payroll entry time by an **estimated 30%**.
 - Built a [conversion tool](#), once in **Java** for desktop users, and again in **React** for web users, to optimize manufacturing time. One of the tool's many settings improved machine time by **3 hours per 1000 parts**.
 - Designed a [new company website](#) to attract new clients with a **built-in contact form**.
- Leading an ongoing effort to sell golf putters **directly to customers**. This includes building an **eCommerce website**, finding suppliers, placing orders for parts, and **sales & marketing**.

Leadership Opportunities

Technology Director for Video Game Development Club

September 2023 - Present

- Designed and developed a [new club website](#) with event and news integration for future use. Also served as **treasurer**, overhauling the club's financial systems and records to manage the **\$3500 budget**, plus additional funding.

Computer Science Mentor

September 2023 - June 2024

- Served as mentor to **4 computer science students** at UCSD in the **Mentor Collective program**. Coordinated individual meetings **tailored to each mentee's needs**, including preparing lessons, resources, and answers to questions.

Game Development Team Lead

October 2023

- Orchestrated the development of [Spellthief](#) with 5 team members, creating a video game using **Godot** in 2 weeks. Advised the team using **personal experience** from [8 previous game jams](#) as a solo developer.

Software Engineering Team Lead

September 2022 - December 2022

- Led a team of 10 students** to create [Roommate Hub](#), an apartment management website. Coordinated **team meetings**, allocated tasks, and contributed **87 out of 454** commits, **achieving an A** in the class.

Assistant Programming Teacher

January 2017 - June 2018

- Taught the **Robotics class** at **Classical Academy High School** for two semesters **while enrolled** as a student, supervised by the official teacher. **Designed a new curriculum** and **gave daily lectures** to teach **Java** programming.

Awards

Salutatorian at Classical Academy High School

National Merit Commended Scholar