

## CHRISTIAN CYGNUS

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### EDUCATION

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign – Champaign, Illinois

**B.S. in Computer Science**

**August 2015 – May 2019**

GPA: 4.0

Top 10% of admitted Class of 2019

James Scholar

Mundelein High School – Mundelein, Illinois

**High School Diploma**

**August 2011 – May 2015**

GPA: 4.43

Top 5% of Class of 2015

High Honor Roll (4 Years)

### EXPERIENCE

Village of Mundelein, Mundelein, Illinois

**Information Technology Intern**

**May 2015 – August 2015**

Managed software installation on a system of over 100 computers.

Expanded the support base on the local network by creating help guides.

Replaced hardware in computers and managed deployment of refurbished ones.

Barefoot Bay Aquatics, Mundelein, Illinois

**Lifeguard**

**June 2014 – August 2014**

Guarded a medium size water park during peak summer months.

Worked with a team while responding to rescues, training, and general operation.

### ACTIVITIES

Association for Computing Machinery

**Member**

**September 2015 – Present**

Interested in the Special Interest Groups for Artificial Intelligence and Mobile Development.

Byte Club

**Co-founder**

**January 2015 – May 2015**

Co-founded our school's very first programming club.

Helped organize group projects, hackathons, and teaching efforts for members and community.

Future Business Leaders of America

**Member and Vice President (2014-2015)**

**August 2011 – May 2015**

Assisted in leading a chapter of over 200 members.

Registered students, planned, and attended trips to the National Leadership Conferences

Competed in a variety of Technology focused competitions nationally.

### SKILLS & PROJECTS

- Java programming

- Computer diagnostics and repair

- General game design

- System checks and troubleshooting

- Hardware support and troubleshooting

- Problem solving

- Project management

- Team working dynamics

- GitHub use and management

**Projects:**

*Infection Protocol*

3D game developed in Unity and modeled in Blender that placed 9<sup>th</sup> nationally at the Future Business Leaders of America National competition.

*Finangelist*

Android application to track income and expense in an easy-to-use, efficient way. Developed during CodeDay Chicago, a 24-hour hackathon in a team with three other individuals.

### HONORS

National AP Scholar

**August 2015**

1<sup>st</sup> Place in Computer Problem Solving at the Illinois FBLA State Competition

**March 2014**

3<sup>rd</sup> Place in Networking Concepts at the Illinois FBLA State Competition

**March 2013**

9<sup>th</sup> Place in Introduction to Technology Concepts at the FBLA National Competition

**July 2012**