



# CHRIS LAWSON

COMPUTER ENGINEER

CAL POLY UNDERGRAD



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## Programming Languages/Software

- C++
- Kotlin
- C#
- Ion
- Java
- HTML/CSS
- Python
- Bash/Shell
- JavaScript
- REST API
- TypeScript
- GCode
- Arduino C

## Software Skills

- Jekyll
- Word
- WordPress
- Excel
- CAD
- Confluence
- Git
- Jira
- VMware
- Trello
- XenCenter
- Slack
- Docker
- Splunk
- TrueNAS
- AWS
- CI/CD



## EDUCATION

**California Polytechnic State University (Cal Poly), San Luis Obispo, CA**

<https://cpe.calpoly.edu/>

**SEPTEMBER 2020 - PRESENT**

- Computer Engineering, B.S.
- Expected Graduation: June 2024
- 2x Deans List
- Member of the Cal Poly Amateur Radio Club



## WORK EXPERIENCE

**Amazon SLO - Jr. Software Developer**

<https://www.amazon.jobs/en/location/san-luis-obispo-california>

**DECEMBER 2021 - PRESENT**

- Developing a payment reporting website for vendors on Amazon marketplaces
- Full-stack Java/Angular development on a 16 developer team
- Created on-startup GUI authentication script for Amazon developers

**Cal Poly ITS - Service Desk Lead**

<https://tech.calpoly.edu/>

**MARCH 2021 - DECEMBER 2021**

- IT and Customer Service lead for campus-wide technical support
- During COVID-19, conducted remote support over phone, email, and Zoom
- Managed and interviewed student assistants
- Used ITS-wide Slack, Confluence, and JIRA to help customers
- Represented the Service Desk in service outages/incidents

**Wilson Creek Communications - Network Engineering Intern**

<https://www.wilson-creek.net/>

**JULY 2019 - SEPTEMBER 2020**

- Performed Access Point maintenance on over 20 sites
- Individually engaged in face-to-face customer technical support and installations
- Managed backend infrastructure and servers using VMware ESXi with 10+ VMs
- Created an API for mapping access point locations on Google Earth

**FIRST Robotics Competition: Team 973 - Programmer**

<https://www.greybots.com/>

**OCTOBER 2016 - JUNE 2020**

- Designed 2-time world champion robot code with C++
- Created a custom robot dashboard using Python and JavaScript
- Implemented a student punch clock using JavaScript, Google Sheets, and Firebase
- Used team-wide Slack communication

**LifeGuard CPR and Aquatics - Webmaster**

<https://lifeguardcpr.com/>

**JANUARY 2013 - PRESENT**

- Created and maintained a WordPress website with scheduling for classes



## CERTIFICATE & AWARD

- CompTIA A+
- CompTIA Network+
- Google IT Automation with Python Certification
- LinkedIn IT Service Desk: Customer Service Fundamentals Course
- FCC General Class Amateur Radio Operator
- The Randy and Sally Knight Youth Scholarship