# Conner Steenrod

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## Education

**University of Virginia** | Fourth Year

Expected Graduation: May 2022

B.S. in Mechanical Engineering, School of Engineering and Applied Science

Minor: Computer Science

GPA: 3.547

**Deep Run High School** | 6<sup>th</sup> In Class

Graduation: June 2018

Center for Information Technology Program

# Experience

Rolls-Royce Defence | Test Operations Engineering Intern June 2021 - Aug 2021

- Helped with process of installing and testing standards on production and developmental jet turbine engines.
- Developed modernized methods for recording and analyzing test data including use of Excel and internal software packages.

**Turner Construction** | Construction Engineering Intern July 2020 - Aug 2020

- Helped manage project for the Architects of the Capital including work with superintendents, subcontractors, engineers, quality assurers, and safety managers.
- Learned about internal operations and branches of Turner as well as obtaining OSHA 30 Certification.

### University of Virginia | Teaching Assistant

Aug 2019 - Present

- Help develop course materials, hold office hours, assisted during lecture, and helped grade papers for Mechatronics, Discrete Mathematics and Ordinary Differential Equations classes.

#### Richweb Inc | Network Engineer

June 2017 - June 2020

- Founded NEAT Rack program in conjunction with RVA-IX to provide a semester long curriculum teaching network engineering.
- Worked with clients in network debugging and provisioning of servers.

#### St. Catherine's School | LEGO Robotics Coach

Aug 2014 - Aug 2019

- Mentored all-female FIRST LEGO League teams and assisted with project development, robot design, and programming.

#### **Kings Dominion** | Ride Operator

May 2019 - Jan 2020

- Ran 7 different rides in Planet Snoopy, including the highest-level operator position.

# **Organizations and Affiliations**

#### **Collegiate Cyber Defense Competition** | Co-Captain

Nov 2018 - Present

- Two Time National Champions (2019, 2020).
- Responsible for maintaining and defending an enterprise network infrastructure against an active Red Team.
- Manage the Palo Alto Firewall and assist with Linux and Network Security.

#### Theta Tau Engineering Fraternity | Secretary

Feb 2019 - Present

- Connect with other brothers and professionals in the engineering industry.
- Manage social media and communication channels with alumni and members.

#### Virginia Motorsports | Member

Aug 2019 - Present

- Complete workshops and work on various community projects

# Skills

## Mechanical Engineering and **Engineering Business**

Matlab Mechatronics Mathmatica Microsoft AutoCAD Office Suite Inventor **PMBOK** Bluebeam Project Mamt. Revu Procore SCRUM/Agile

## Computer Science and **Network Engineering**

Ubuntu Visual Basic Debian Java **KVM** Pvthon 2/3 C++ VIM IP and Windows Subnetting 7/8/10 PFsense, BSD HTML, CSS, Palo Alto JavaScript Cisco, Jupiter Git/Github Networking Ansible

## Interests

Mechanical Engineering **Test Engineering** Mechatronics **Network Engineering** Computer Science Project Management

# Awards and Certs

OSHA 30 Aug 2020 1st Place Team April 2019, 2020 National Collegiate Cyber Defense Competition (NCCDC) Dean's List Jan 2019 University of Virginia

Impact Award May 2018

Deep Run High School

National AP Scholar July 2018

College Board

**NOCTI Web Design** Mar 2017

# **Projects**

## **Project Utopia**

Dec 2017 - May 2018

Full-Scale modeled Theme Park created in theme park simulator Planet Coaster. Park includes 5 custom roller coasters and individually designed buildings and scenery.