

# Helena Patino Cruz

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## EDUCATION

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### Kennesaw State University

Kennesaw, GA

*Bachelor of Science in Software Engineering, GPA 4.0*

*May 2026*

- Awards: President's List of Fall 2022 & Spring 2023, Dean's List for Fall 2023

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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**Languages:** Java, C (sharp), HTML, CSS, JavaScript

**Developer Tools:** IntelliJ, Visual Studio

**Relevant Coursework:** Program Problem-Solving I/II, Object Oriented Programming, Intro to SWE, Calculus I/II, Discrete Structures

## PROJECTS

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### CodePath Intro to Web Development | *HTML, CSS, JavaScript*

September 2023 – Present

- Create a working dynamic web application with the focus of advocacy in affordable sustainability and self sufficiency
- Implement frontend graphical user interface fundamental languages to achieve an interactive website

### DMV | *Java*

April 2023

- Developed a functioning DMV simulator using Object – Oriented Programming
- Categorized data into child classes and stored data into Array-Lists which would be later prompted with loops to display the Array

## LEADERSHIP

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### ColorStack | *Co-President*

March 2023 – Present

- Develop and lead a chapter with a non-profit organization focused on increasing the number of Black and Latinx Computer Science students graduates
- Gain 130+ members in the first term of launch and establish relationships with outside companies
- Host Hackathons under the chapter's name

### Upsilon Pi Epsilon | *Secretary*

February 2024 – Present

- Oversee the committee of social media and promote planned events
- Manage the official minute book for e-board meetings and event attendance

### Girls Who Code | *Communications Lead*

January 2023 – Present

- Facilitate and establish communication between the employers/outside organizations and the chapter