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EDUCATION

University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

GPA: 3.72/4.0

Master of Computer Science

Expected: May 2026

Coursework: User-Centered ML | Adv. Information Retrieval | Text Information Systems | Distributed Systems | Database Systems | AI Agents

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science + Economics, Minor in Statistics

May 2025

Coursework: Computer Systems | Artificial Intelligence | Compilers | Data Structures | Linear Algebra | Game Design | Financial Econometrics

Extracurriculars: [AI Alignment @ Illinois](#) [Vice President] | [Illini Blockchain](#) [VP Partnerships; Project Lead; Recruitment Chair]

National University of Singapore [Study Abroad]

Aug 2024 – Dec 2024

Coursework: Game Theory | Urban Economics | Algorithms

Extracurriculars: NUS Fintech Society

SKILLS

Languages: Python, Go, Java, Bash, Git, Rust, C#, C/C++, SQL, Solidity, PHP, Dart, HTML/CSS, JavaScript/TypeScript	Frameworks: React.js, Next.js, Tailwind CSS, Svelte/SvelteKit, Node.js/Express, Pandas, Flask, FastAPI, RESTful APIs, React Native/Expo, Flutter, WebRTC, WebSockets, Anthropic MCP	Database/Cloud: PostgreSQL, MySQL, Firebase, Supabase, MongoDB, Netlify, Railway, Heroku, Azure, GCP	Tools: Ubuntu/Linux, Notion, Android Studio, Unreal Engine, Unity, Jupyter, Postman, Docker, TensorFlow, LangChain, Pydantic AI, Scikit-Learn, AI Agents
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EXPERIENCE

PwC AI Engineering Intern (Incoming)	June 2026 – Aug 2026 Chicago, IL
Mercor Model Analyst & Coding Expert	Feb 2025 – May 2025 Nov 2025 – Dec 2025 Remote
• As expert I provided coding expertise for a leading AI research lab to train LLMs and improve their accuracy and reasoning. • As analyst I improved LLM accuracy for hiring decision-making by analyzing 120+ AI-generated evaluations to detect errors and biases.	
IDX Exchange Software Developer Intern	Oct 2025 – Nov 2025 Remote
• Engineered a full stack microservice integrating CRMLS data and architecting SQL schemas for efficient property querying. • Used React/TypeScript , and PHP , alongside MySQL database and REST APIs for scalable data retrieval and user-friendly property search.	
CollegeDAO Core Team & Software Developer	Oct 2024 – Sept 2025 Remote
• Built MVP for <i>Latent</i> , an AI-powered collaborative hiring platform that connects candidates and recruiters to accelerate talent acquisition. • Co-leading initiative to establish permanent hacker houses at universities worldwide, designed to foster onboarding in blockchains.	
FreshCredit® Software Developer Intern	June 2024 – Aug 2024 Remote
• Built Substrate pallet allowing users to securely store credit-related metadata (e.g. financial history, credit scores) via dynamic NFTs . • Established partnership FreshCredit and UIUC Blockchain organization to manage 5-member developer team through a <i>10-week internship</i> .	

PROJECTS

MyCalPal * Website * Source	Sept 2025
• Developed AI agent calendar pipeline that allows users to easily schedule calendar events by uploading screenshots/files to a <i>Discord bot</i> .	
• Built dashboard with Next.js , Tailwind CSS , MongoDB , Gemini SDK , Discord SDK and GCP to parse images, and to edit or publish events.	
SolPal * Source	Aug 2025
• Created AI-powered mobile wallet that accepts voice/text input to allow blockchain interactions, such as sending crypto to personal contacts.	
• Utilized React Native/TypeScript , Tailwind CSS , Web3.js , Gemini SDK , and MCP to design Android UI with AI-blockchain integration.	
NodeFlow * Website * Source	[Early open-source contribution to mcp-b.ai - a protocol extending MCP to browser] July 2025
• Designed AI-powered mapping platform that allows <i>voice/chat</i> interaction with LLMs powered by <i>customizable, browser-native MCP</i> servers.	
• Used ReactFlow , TypeScript and Tailwind CSS for UI, Gemini and WebSockets/WebRTC for LLM interaction, and MCP-B for LLM tooling	
StakeShack * Source	[Won \$1500 for OnionDAO Solana hackathon at Chicago] June 2025
• Built trustless renting/leasing platform that features verification via crypto-staking, referral rewards, and AI-powered recommending systems .	
• Used Next.js/TypeScript for UI, Supabase/PostgreSQL for data governance, and Gill/Anchor/Rust for blockchain architecture.	
GymBro * Source	June 2024 – Aug 2024
• Made cross-platform fitness app with React Native , TypeScript , Flask , Tailwind CSS , and D3.js to allow workout tracking and visualizations.	
• Used PostgreSQL and Pandas for data management, Firebase for OAuth and file storage, and WebSockets/WebRTC for real-time chat.	

ADDITIONAL INFO

Honors: Keywords AI (Prompt Track) | 2nd @ OnionDAO Solana | 2nd @ Raise Your Hack | ETH Denver '25 (Optimism Track) | Eagle Scout

Interests: AI/ML | Automation | Data Science | Product Engineering | Research | Cloud | Blockchain | Tennis | Chess | Entrepreneurship