ELIJAH (ELI) PAULMAN

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EDUCATION

The Ohio State University - College of Engineering

Columbus, OH

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Science and Engineering, GPA: 3.83

December 2025

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Languages & Frameworks: Java, C#, Python, TypeScript, JavaScript, C, SQL, HTML, CSS, x86 Assembly
- Tools & Platforms: AWS (Lambda, AppSync, S3), Git, MySQL, MongoDB, Visual Studio, VS Code, MATLAB
- Core Skills: REST and GraphQL APIs, Machine Learning, Computer Vision, Statistics, Agile Development

EXPERIENCE

Amazon Denver, CO

Software Development Engineering Intern – Devices

May 2025 – August 2025

- Built a scalable, full-stack product catalog system managing 15,000+ trade-in items with historical pricing, product lines, merchant data, eligibility rules, and server-side filtering/search.
- Automated catalog generation and ETL workflows using Vue.js, AWS AppSync (GraphQL), and AWS Lambda, increasing operational efficiency and reducing manual price and item feed input by ~60%.
- Took ownership of a production system, independently driving the full development cycle: gathered requirements, led design and feedback reviews, researched implementation tradeoffs, and delivered a robust and maintainable solution.
- Collaborated with cross-functional stakeholders to align on goals, ensuring successful deployment and adoption by internal teams.

IBM Virtual

Accelerate Fellowship Program – Software Engineering

June 2024– August 2024

- Developed full-stack web apps using JavaScript, React, and Node.js, applying cloud-native best practices and principles.
- Completed hands-on projects covering data structures, algorithms, and application security, strengthening problemsolving and coding proficiency.
- Collaborated with IBM engineers on code reviews and mentorship, gaining hands-on industry experience.

London Computer Systems

Cincinnati, OH

Software Developer Intern – API

May 2024- August 2024

- Developed REST APIs using C#/.NET, and SQL to enhance Rent Manager's internal and integration functionality.
- Resolved 20+ bug tickets through systematic debugging, improving stability and reducing customer reported issues.
- Reengineered online booking queries to improve performance and lower memory use, reducing query time by 40%.
- Delivered 7 API tickets for a new leasing center feature, streamlining prospect management and manager workflows.
- Maintained business layer and data layer logic for CRUD operations, ensuring robust data management capabilities.

Software Quality Assurance Intern – API

May 2023 – August 2023

- Designed and executed 50+ Rent Manager API test plans using Jira with Xray integration and Postman software.
- Developed precise REST API calls to validate endpoints, ensuring 100% accuracy in expected vs. actual JSON data.
- Utilized MySQL to query and manipulate databases for pre/post-test data validation, improving defect detection.
- Partnered with developers to resolve 15+ critical defects, reducing overall average bug resolution time.

PROJECTS

Repo Rover | *Elasticsearch, LangChain, Flask, Python, Next.js*

- Built a web AI assistant with a RAG pipeline to provide repository code explanations, security scans, and insights.
- Implemented hybrid semantic and keyword search with vector embeddings to generate contextual, cited answers.

Alumni Network Platform | MERN Stack, Tailwind CSS | Hackathon Winner

• Built a full-stack networking platform LMCC with user profiles, opportunity listings, calendar, and dynamic feeds.

ACTIVITIES & INVOLVEMENT

OHI/O (Ohio State's Hackathon Program)

Columbus, OH

Marketing and Communications Committee

August 2023 – Present

• Supporting hackathon planning and marketing for 1,600+ students to foster innovation and industry engagement.

Engineers for a Sustainable World

Columbus, OH

President – Former Director of Community Service

January 2023 - May 2025

• Led 20+ engineers in sustainable projects, fostering collaboration and measurable community impact.