Sam Pulaski

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EDUCATION

New York University

New York, NY

B.A. in Individualized Study: Computer Science and Business, GPA: 3.63

Aug 2024 - Present

• Relevant Coursework: Data Structures & Algorithms, Computer Systems, Calculus

• Harvard-Westlake School California Mock Trial MVP

Los Angeles, CA

Aug 2018 - Jun 2024

EXPERIENCE

• Software Engineering Intern – Ticketmaster

Summer 2025

Demand Team - Artist Presale & Internal Tools

- Migrated backend SMS notification functions from legacy services to MongoDB, supporting artist presale campaigns.
- Rebuilt internal tools in React/Next.js with GraphQL and Apollo, improving promoter workflow UX.
- Contributed to large-scale infrastructure used for 200K+ fan SMS campaigns; participated in standups and code reviews.

• Co-Founder / Software Engineer – nsilico.net

2025

AI-Powered Survey Response Generator

- Built full-stack web app using Next.js, TypeScript, and Firebase to simulate LLM-based persona responses.
- Pitched to VC firms including Pear VC, Stanford BASES, NYU Ent. Labs.

• Co-Founder – depicto.ai

2022 - 2024

AI-Powered Puzzle Game

- Developed HackHW-winning full-stack site with daily image-based puzzles and 1K+ users.
- Partnered with Blinkgame Inc. for iOS app launch. Maintained 48% retention rate (industry avg. 8%).

• Fraternity Philanthropy Chair – ZBT

2024 - 2025

NYU Panhellenic and NYDM

• Raised \$40K+ for NYDM charity; led recruitment campaigns boosting applicants by 200+.

• Leader – Harvard-Westlake Inc.

2018 - 2024

Summer Business Bootcamp Organizer

• Led business camp for 80+ students, teaching MVPs, PMF, and research; managed \$56K budget.

Projects

• Emotional Shopping – AI Product Recommendations

Live Site

- Face-api.js + emotion detection to recommend products in real-time. Stack: React, Tailwind
- Git Java VCS Implementation

GitHub

Rebuilt core Git features in Java including commit history, object store, and branching.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Languages/Frameworks: Java, JavaScript, React, Next.js, TypeScript, C, Firebase, HTML/CSS, GraphQL, Tailwind, Node. is
- Tools: Git, VS Code, Figma, Photoshop, Premiere Pro, After Effects
- Soft Skills: Public Speaking, Leadership, Team Collaboration
- Interests: Entrepreneurship, Frisbee, Travel, Language Learning, Piano, Drawing