

# Nicole Hernandez

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## Education

**Georgia Institute of Technology | Atlanta, GA**  
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, GPA 3.66

*January 2022 – December 2024*  
Dean's List

**Georgia Southern University | Statesboro, GA**  
Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering, GPA 3.97

*January 2018 – December 2019*  
Summa Cum Laude

## Experience

**The Home Depot - OrangeWorks**  
Software Engineer Intern – Part-time

*August 2022 – Present*  
Atlanta, GA

- Using ROS to analyze LiDAR data obtained from a robotic quadruped scanning different distribution centers.
- Utilizing Figma to create prototypes to present to stakeholders and developers at the end the design sprint.
- Creating automation scripts in Python for both infrastructure and test cases.

**Electrical Engineering Senior Capstone Project**  
Technical Advisor

*February 2021 – April 2021*  
Statesboro, GA

- Assisted in the configuration and setup of a Raspberry Pi for remote SSH access and proper firewall rules.
- Guided in the DDNS setup to access the web app from outside the local network, enabling remote access.
- Provided guidance on network security best practices for the project implementation.

**Cardano Blockchain**  
Stake Pool Operator

*July 2020 – November 2020*  
Remote

- Managed three stake pool nodes on Google Cloud Platform with over \$3.5M in combined staked assets.
- Applied DevOps skills establishing a safe & reliable connection from the relay nodes to the rest of the blockchain.
- Generated all sensitive files in an air-gapped offline machine and stored them in a 256-bit AES encrypted device.
- Gained exposure to the Cardano CLI, Linux OS (Ubuntu) CLI, and git version control.

**Georgia Department of Transportation**  
Civil Engineer 2 – Preconstruction, Design

*February 2020 – December 2021*  
Atlanta, GA

- Following GDOT's Standards, designed bridge replacement PFPR & FFPR plan sheets for the assigned projects.
- Decided the location for the construction best management practices for each project and detailed its stages.
- Analyzed problems by evaluating information and resources; developed effective, viable solutions to problems.

## Projects

**Game Suite | C#, Unity**

*July 2022*

- Designed and developed a Unity application consisting of 5 games: Peg Solitaire, 2048, 8 Puzzle, Flappy Bird, RPS.
- Created scenes, game objects, scripts, prefabs, and animations as required, maintaining proper file organization.
- Implemented 2-week long sprints agile methodology and applied project management using ZenHub for GitHub.
- Followed SOLID and GRASP principles as well as design patterns during the development process.

**Jordle | Java, JavaFX**

*April 2022*

- Developed a playable Java Wordle UI to progressively guess a random 5-letter word correctly.
- Defined an inner class which overrides a KeyEvent handler whenever the user releases a key.
- Utilized lambda expressions to handle the key events from user input.

## Skills

**Programming Languages:** Java, Python, C#, JavaScript, Node.js, HTML5, CSS3

**Technologies:** ROS Rolling, Bootstrap, GitHub, Figma,, LiDAR, MicroStation

**Platforms:** Linux (Ubuntu), Oracle VirtualBox, Unity

**Hardware:** Raspberry Pi, Quadruped Robot

**Languages:** Spanish (native), English (fluent), Japanese (intermediate), Italian (beginner)