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# **EDUCATION**

University of Florida, Gainesville, FL

August 2016 to May 2020

Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering

- Coursework - Algorithm Design, Object Oriented Programming, Computer System Design, Operating Systems, Microprocessor Applications II (RTOS), Programming Language Concepts, Database Systems

GPA: 3.96/4.0

- Honors - Computer E Award (most prestigious academic award granted by ECE department), Anderson Scholar (top 1% academically, class of 2020), College of Engineering Scholarship for Engineering Leadership, CISE Scholarship, ECE Scholarship (x2), College of Engineering Dean's List (x4)

# **EXPERIENCE**

### Microsoft, Redmond, WA

May 2019 to August 2019

Software Engineer Intern

- Developed using C# and .NET on <u>Azure Active Directory</u>, a cloud-based service responsible for managing user identities, access management, and devices.
- Solved a major customer complaint regarding the loss of private BitLocker key data by refactoring API calls and architecting an additional external storage model to decouple the lifetime of two data objects.
- Changed the intrinsic way that the Microsoft Mezzo cache service operated by altering their data syncing service to sync data objects with a one-to-many instead of a one-to-one relationship.

## Ultimate Software, Weston, FL

May 2018 to August 2018

Software Engineer Intern

- Developed and tested using C# and ASP.NET on <u>UTE (UltiPro Tax Engine)</u>, an internal tax filing service responsible for the collection of over 13,000 tax codes.
- Implemented Grafana dashboard to diagnose performance issues with generation and calculation of tax forms in order to better serve users.

# VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

#### Google igniteCS, Gainesville, FL

January 2017 to May 2018

Program Lead (formerly Logistics Director)

- Led an educational initiative with the goal of educating students in basic programming principles.
- Communicated directly with Google to design the initiative's Computer Science curiculuum.
- Managed scheduling between Oak View Middle School and our Google igniteCS team of over 30 mentors.

# **PROJECTS**

### Firespotter, Gainesville, FL

August 2019 to May 2020

- Built <u>a web application</u> in Django that utilizes deep learning to detect wildfires in an array of images provided by low-cost internet protocol cameras to aid in the fight against wildfires.
- Designed a neural network architecture in PyTorch that achieved a 94.5% accuracy rating.

# C-Like Language to LLVM Compiler, Gainesville, FL

April 2019 to May 2019

- Built <u>a compiler</u> in OCaml for GNU bc, the popular Unix calculator language, using the LR(1) parser generator Menhir and OCaml's LLVM library to generate LLVM IR code.
- Includes functions, if/else statements, and while/for loops all structured in an abstract syntax tree.

### TECHNICAL SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Architecture & Systems Web Development, RESTful APIs, Microservices, Embedded Systems

Languages C#, Python, Java, C, Assembly (AVR, ARM), OCaml, C++

Frameworks & Tools .NET, Django, Hugo, PyTorch, Bash, Git

Data Management Microsoft SQL Server, MongoDB

Containers & Cloud Docker, Azure

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