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**EDUCATION** 

# University of Maryland, College Park

Expected May 2021

B.S. Computer Science; Minors: Linguistics, General Business

GPA: 3.9

- Advanced Cybersecurity Experience for Students (ACES) Honors College
- President's Scholarship, National Merit Scholarship

**SKILLS** 

Languages Python, TypeScript/JavaScript, Java, C, Ruby, OCaml, HTML, CSS, SQL, Go Technologies Git, React.js, Node.js, UNIX, Django

**EXPERIENCE** 

## Dropbox

May 2019 – Aug 2019

Software Engineering Launch Intern | Product Security Team

- Reduced account lockout and improved user experience by building recovery features on the desktop client to be used in case of lost access to 2FA codes
- Improved password safety by implementing encryption and decryption libraries to address key security concern of accidental plaintext password logging

## Maryland Center for Women in Computing

Aug 2018 – Dec 2018

Ambassador

- Visited a local school once a week to educate and expose more students to computing through hands-on activities
- Developed curriculum and attended outreach and professional development events

#### **Parsons Corporation**

May 2018 - Aug 2018

Computer Science Engineer Intern

- Eliminated bugs and added features to Capture the Flag (CTF) Scoreboard used at company-sponsored events, NCP training, and the Maryland STEM Festival (Node.js)
- Drove initial development of web app hosting "Zazzys" that help to incubate innovation, enable collaboration, and drive greater speed and agility via crowdfunding
- Demo of early prototype by Leadership Council in front of Parsons CEO secured \$75,000 of project funding on the spot

**PROJECTS** 

## Truth Serum

2019

Dropbox Intern Hack Week

- Built a lightweight web app for distinguishing real and fake images of Tweets
- Used Google Vision API to parse text from images and submit to Twitter for validation
- Collaborated with designer and another engineer to create an MVP within a week

#### Cycles for Her Future

2017

Technica (UMD's All-Women Hackathon)

- Won Best Education/Diversity and Inclusion Hack sponsored by Bloomberg
- Created interactive, informational game to raise awareness about Girl Up's SchoolCycle initiative to bring girls in developing countries better access to education

SELECTED COURSEWORK Advanced Data Structures, Programming Languages, Algorithms, Intro to Data Science, Intro to Computer Systems, Object-Oriented Programming I & II, Intro to Machine Learning