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EDUCATION

University of California, Santa Barbara

Santa Barbara, CA

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science - GPA: 3.96

Expected Graduation: June 2027

• Relevant Coursework: Problem Solving with Computers I, Problem Solving with Computers II, Object Oriented Design and Implementation, Foundations of Computer Science, Linear Algebra, Differential Equations, Vector Calculus

WORK EXPERIENCE

Construction Data Innovations

June 2025 - Present

Software Engineering Intern

Santa Barbara, CA

- Collaborated in 6-person teams to develop full-stack features for ConstructWise, a construction risk management
 platform using NextJS, TailwindCSS, and Django REST Framework, enabling contractors to simulate
 cost/schedule risks with 96% accuracy.
- Designed interactive **AI-Powered** cost estimate tool with **Claude API** for probabilistic cost forecasting, generating comprehensive list of **4+** CSI subgroups and **20+** CSI items costs for construction projects.
- Built document processing with **Supabase Storage** to extract tasks from construction plans, reducing manual data entry by **70%**.

Code Ninjas May 2022 – Sep. 2024
Coding Instructor Folsom, CA

• Taught Javascript and C# fundamentals to over 50+ students K-12 through game development projects.

- Onboarded and trained 10+ new instructors on coding curriculum, classroom management, and parent-student communication strategies.
- Facilitated tours and consultations with parents, communicating program value to prospective students, achieving an 80% enrollment rate.

PROJECTS

Artistle | NextJS, TailwindCSS, Auth0, AWS Lambda, DynamoDB, Upstash-Redis, Flask

June 2025

- Developed a Wordle-inspired, interactive daily puzzle game where players guess Spotify artists, built with **NextJS** and **Tailwind CSS** for responsive frontend, **Flask** for backend, and **Auth0** for secure user authentication.
- Utilized AWS serverless architecture (Lambda, DynamoDB, CloudWatch Events) to generate new artists daily and track player stats with automatic scaling.
- Implemented Redis caching to reduce API calls by 40%, optimizing performance.

NinjaBucks Reward Dashboard | ReactJS, ExpressJS, NodeJS, MongoDB

July 2024 – Aug. 2024

- Designed and developed **ReactJS** rewards dashboard to display balances and transaction history for instructors and students to monitor and modify for rewards based on in-class performance, storing data within **MongoDB**.
- Utilized **ExpressJS** to manage routing and HTTP requests efficiently, facilitating authentication, data retrieval, and error handling between client and Node.js server.
- Implemented into three CodeNinjas franchises, serving the needs of 150+ students and 40+ instructors.

ACTIVITIES

SB Hacks

August 2025 - Present

Full-Stack Developer

Goleta, CA

- Redesigned and optimized website to support **300+** applicants for SBHacks, UC Santa Barbara's premier hackathon, streamlining registration, application, and communication process.
- Implemented backend services with **Firebase** to ensure secure and scalable handling of participant data.

SKILLS

Languages: Python, HTML, CSS, C++, SQL, Java, JavaScript, Typescript Frameworks: NextJS, ReactJS, ExpressJS, TailwindCSS, Flask, Django

Technologies: PostgreSQL, NoSQL, AWS Lambda, DynamoDB, Git, Postman, MongoDB, Supabase, Redis, Vercel