

# JOHN COX

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## EDUCATION

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### University of Houston

*B.S in Computer Science, Minor in Mathematics*

*GPA: 3.1*

Houston, TX

*Expected December 2024*

### Houston Community College

*A.S in Computer Science*

*GPA: 3.2*

Houston, TX

*May 2022*

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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**Languages:** Python, JavaScript, TypeScript, NoSQL, SQL, HTML, CSS, C++, Java

**Libraries & Frameworks:** Express, Next.js, TailwindCSS, Sequelize ORM, React.js, Open-CV

**Developer Tools:** Git, Google Cloud Platform Compute Engine, Windows Subsystem Linux

## PROJECTS

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### Portfolio Website | *TypeScript, CSS, Next, Figma*

*February 2023 - June 2023*

- Modeled mock ups of the website using **Figma**.
- Adapted website to be compatible with responsive dimensions.
- Wireframed designs with an easily accessible, intuitive, and user-friendly layout.

### Umazing Amusement Park Website | *JavaScript, Node.js, MySQL, Azure, AWS*

*January 2023 - May 2023*

- Administered a **team of 4** to ensure a smooth transition in backend and frontend development.
- Created authentication and authorization features using **Node.js** and integrated them with a **MySQL** database.
- Designed and implemented a robust database schema using **MySQL** for efficient data storage and retrieval.
- Leveraged **Azure** and **Amazon Web Services** to deploy and manage the database and website.

### Hekima RPG Discord Bot | *JavaScript, Sequelize ORM, Google Cloud Platform*

*August 2022 - January 2023*

- Pioneered and developed a text-based game for Discord members using **Discord's API**.
- Integrated a node package similar to **html5 canvas** to auto-update images for users.
- Managed over **300 member's** information using **Sequelize ORM** to store critical game information.
- Connected and hosted through **Google Cloud Platform Engine** to maintain the bots up-time.

### Alone [2D Game] | *Python, Pygame*

*June 2022 - July 2022*

- Devised and created a wave-based game using the **Pygame** module.
- Applied usages of sprites to create animated imagery within the project.
- Performed trigonometric function to calculate various angles for the game mechanics.

## LEADERSHIP

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### CougarCS | *President*

*January 2022 - Present*

- Aided in bringing in nearly **\$40,0000** in sponsorships.
- Directed and coordinated a **team of 50**, ensuring effective collaboration across all operations.
- Collaborated with **7 student organizations** on campus to co-host joint events.

### CougarCS | *Events Chair, Web Dev Committee*

*August 2022 - December 2023*

- Produce professional and sociable events for the largest CS organization at the University of Houston.
- Achieved a **297% increase** in event turnout rates from previous semesters.
- Reworked pages of the CougarCS client website from **JavaScript (React.js)** to **TypeScript (Next.js)**.
- Synchronized with web dev team leads to develop and improve in areas with various projects.

### CodeRED | *Logistics Executive*

*May 2023 - Present*

- Led a team of **12 members** to produce the **largest hackathon** at the University of Houston.
- Constructed all logistical requirements for over **350 participants**.
- Developed and allocated resources efficiently including budget, venue, prizes, and equipment.