# **Felix Leitner-Mittersinker**

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#### **EDUCATION**

# Classical High School, Providence, RI

Class of 2022

**GPA:** 98.53/100 SAT: 780 M 770 W

# EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES (CLUBS/ATHLETICS)

#### **CHS Debate Team**

School Debate Team 2019 - Present

- Gained experience in crafting arguments and public speaking by competing in the Rhode Island Forensic League
- Awarded Best Novice Team twice and competed in the State Final
- Coached new members, judged practice rounds, and gave feedback on improving arguments and presentation skills

# **CHS Sailing**

420 Racing Co-Captain

2020 - Present

- Coached new members in sailing and taught them sailing and racing techniques, proper rigging, safety, and right of way, which the team successfully used at state-wide regattas
- Organized effective team rotations at weekly regattas

#### **CHS Theatre Club**

Actor, Stage Technician, Prop Designer, Ticketing System development

2019 - Present

- Developer; implemented new ticketing system to streamline distribution process and allow for contact-free sign-in
- Actor; played prominent role in Fall and Winter plays
- Technician; operated sound and lighting systems necessary for performances
- Prop Designer; designed, created, and repaired several props subsequently used during performances
- Stagehand; worked during performances to rearrange props and furniture between scenes

#### COMMUNITY SERVICE & VOLUNTEERING

#### **CS4RI** Computer Science Advocate

2019-2020

CS4RI (government initiative to develop state-wide computer science curricula)

- One of 5 students statewide selected to advise in the creation of Rhode Island's public school computer science curriculum for grades 1-12
- Helped to consider and evaluate multiple teaching platforms to be implemented in the Rhode Island public school system

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

# **Junior Sailing Instructor** - West Dennis Yacht Club - Cape Cod

Summer 2019-2021

- Taught sailing for the past 3 years as one of the youngest instructors in sailing technique, proper rigging and racing strategies
- Instructed children ages 6-16 in sailing Optimist and 420 class boats
- Taught sailing and racing techniques, proper rigging, safety, and right of way

### **Junior Sailing Instructor** - Community Boating Center - Providence

Summer 2018

- Instructed children ages 10-16 in sailing Quest class boats
- Taught sailing techniques, proper rigging, and safety

#### SPECIAL INTERESTS

# **Computer Science**

Proficient in Python 3

- Created an AI game-playing program (Minimax) for tic-tac-toe on any boards size
- Built an automated Discord user account (bot) to play music in voice channels, currently being used across the platform
- Used Pygame to simulate several physics concepts, including gravity, charged particles, and cloth

Experience with web server setup and development

- Knowledgeable in HTML, CSS, Liquid, and Linux commands
- Worked with my school's student newspaper on several new features for their website, classicalchronicle.org, including an updated teacher directory
- Hosted my personal website on an Ubuntu web server, using a GitHub webhook to update the site automatically when its repository was changed
- Used my server to host my Discord music bot, using a GitHub webhook to streamline my workflow and quickly make changes to the bot

Experience with JavaScript and C# (Unity)

### Violin (Irish and English Folk Music) - playing since 2011

- Initially classically trained violinist, fell in love with Irish and English Folk Music
- Performances at open mics and group concerts
- Recently began writing tunes

#### SPECIAL SKILLS

**Bilingual Native German Speaker** - Goethe Institut C1 (CEFR College level) Certificate 2021 **Certified Ski Instructor** - Professional Ski Instructors of America - Alpine Level 1 Stowe, Vermont 2021

Certified Sailing Instructor - US Sailing - Small Boat Level 1 2021 (in person 2022)
Certified for Adult, Child & Baby First AID/CPR/AED - American Red Cross - 2021
Certified Power Boat Operator - US Powerboating - 2019

#### **ADDITIONAL COURSEWORK**

Honors Precalculus - Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth - 2020

AP Calculus C - Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth - 2021

Multivariable Calculus - Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth - 2021/2022

Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning - iD Tech Camps at MIT campus - 2019

Advanced Python Coding with Machine Learning & Cryptography - iD Tech online class - 2020

# Honors / Awards

Best Novice Team - RI Forensic League (Parliamentary Debate) - 2018 + 2019
 MVP - Sailing 420 class boats, West Dennis Yacht Club sailing school - 2018
 2nd Place Art & Writing Contest - Sandra Bornstein Holocaust Education Center - 2018
 Distinguished Achievement - National Poetry Out Loud Student Competition - 2019