# Maria Mastronardi

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#### **CAREER FOCUS:**

Creative and detail-oriented Computer Science student with a strong foundation in graphic design. Experienced in web technologies like HTML, CSS, and JavaScript as well as Adobe Creative Suites. Passionate about creating user-centered designs and intuitive digital experiences. Seeking internships in UI/UX, frontend development or graphic design.

#### **Education:**

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, Minor in Graphic Design | Expected May 2027 Oakland University, Rochester, MI

## **Projects:**

#### Web Development Projects – Independent Developer

- Designed a personal portfolio website using HTML, CSS, and Javascript, to showcase coding projects and technical skills, emphasizing responsive design and clean UI/UX principles.
- Developing a custom photography website using HTML, CSS and Javascript for a client to display and organize their professional photo work, including image galleries, and contact methods.

## **Sophomore Project: SumBuddy – Oakland University** | Educational Math Learning website

- Working collaboratively with a group to create an interactive math learning website, SumBuddy, designed to teach fundamental math concepts across multiple levels.
- Designed and illustrated original characters using adobe platforms, then integrated assets into front-end code (HTML/CSS), enhancing visual design and user experience.

## **Technical Skills:**

**Programming & Web Development:** C, Python (Beginner/Intermediate), HTML, CSS, JavaScript. **Development & Design Tools:** GitHub, Visual Studio, Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Canva.

# **Experience:**

## Receptionist & Creative Media Assistant June 2023-Present Salon Lux, Shelby Twp., MI

- Assisted in website design, contributing to user-friendly layouts, content creation, and digital branding.
- Designed and produced digital and print marketing materials (social media graphics, flyers, and promotional assets) using Canva and Adobe Creative Suite to enhance brand visibility and client engagement.
- Managed administrative operations using salon software, including maintaining client records, processing orders, and supporting daily workflow efficiency.

#### Honors College Teaching Assistant September 2025-present Oakland University, Rochester MI

- Mentored a cohort of first-year students, promoting academic success, personal growth, and campus involvement.
- Led interactive activities strengthening students' collaboration and communication skills.

#### **Activities & Achievements:**

- 2025 Oakland University ACHA D1 Club Hockey Graphic Design Team
- 2025 United Wholesale Mortgage Emerging Leaders Workshop
- 2025 Assistant Coach 19U Girls Youth Hockey Team