# Marcus Mendoza

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#### **EDUCATION**

## Fullerton College | Fullerton, CA

**Expected Graduation May 2024** 

A.S. - Computer Science (Intending on transferring to a 4 year university for a B.S. Computer Science)

Coursework: Data Structures, Algorithms, Discrete Mathematics, Linear Algebra, Differential Equations, Computer Systems and Organization

## **SKILLS & TECHNICAL TOOLS**

Languages: Java, Python, C/C++, C#, JavaScript, HTML/CSS

Technologies: Git, Unity, MongoDB, Postman, Docker

## **EXPERIENCE**

**SeekEats** *Intern - Backend Development , Database Management* 

Los Angeles, CA

October 2023 - Present

- Designed and implemented robust API endpoints for Seekeats' mobile app, enhancing data retrieval efficiency and user experience.
- Played a key role in architecting and developing the rating system for the app, enabling users to rate and review restaurants effectively.
- Oversaw the setup, configuration, and management of MongoDB databases, ensuring optimal performance and scalability.
- Designed and structured MongoDB schemas to efficiently store and retrieve data required by the application.

Coding Minds Irvine, CA

Coding Instructor

January 2024 - Present

- Designed and implemented interactive coding curriculum for students at elementary to high school levels, focusing on languages such as Python and C++
- Delivered engaging online instruction to international students through Zoom
- Provided tutoring for the AP Computer Science A and AP Computer Science Principles exams

#### Code Ninjas

La Habra, CA

Coding Instructor

January 2023 - January 2024

- Successfully taught coding concepts to students ranging from kindergarten to high school, using age-appropriate curriculum and teaching methods.
- Encouraged creativity and critical thinking through the use of coding challenges and problem-solving activities
- Taught a variety of coding languages and platforms, including Scratch, JavaScript, Lua, and C#.

#### Children's Hospital of Los Angeles

Los Angeles, CA

Intern

July 2021 – September 2021

- Learned about the management of common pediatric conditions such as asthma, allergies, and infectious diseases
- Participated in weekly meetings with Dr. Kato, and learned more about pediatric practices
- Participated in ongoing professional development opportunities, such as in-service and educational workshops

## **PROJECTS**

## Portfolio Website

Frontend Development

- Designed and developed a personal portfolio website using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript showcasing professional experiences.
- Implemented a responsive web design to ensure optimal viewing across various devices and screen sizes, enhancing user experience.
- Integrated interactive elements using JavaScript to create dynamic content and engage visitors, highlighting technical skills and creativity.
- Conducted user testing and incorporated feedback to improve overall user experience and website functionality.

#### Wordle Clone

Frontend Development

- Developed a clone of the word puzzle game Wordle using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript.
- Designed a user-friendly interface that replicates the look and feel of the original game, ensuring an engaging user experience.
- Implemented core game logic in JavaScript, including word validation, letter matching, and scoring.