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## **Education**

#### **University of Central Florida**

Orlando, FL

Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering
Minors in Intelligent Robotic Systems and Mathematics

3.78 GPA

#### **Technical Skills**

Verilog, C, MIPS, Java, JavaScript, Apps Script, Python, PHP, React, HTML, CSS, C++, ThreeJS, Git, Vivado, Multisim, KiCad, COMSOL, Eagle, MATLAB, Simulink, Postman, Wireshark, SwaggerHub, Arduino, NodeJS, Raspberry Pi, Blender, MongoDB, Yarn

# **Experience**

Lead Rush Labs Orlando, FL

Software Developer Intern

*May 2023 – Aug. 2023* 

- Refactored Apps Script functions by implementing asynchronous programming for API calls which reduced runtime by 33%
- Eliminated redundant code and improved recursive functions
- Rectified JSON parsing issues which increased the efficiency and reliability of OpenAI responses

### **University of Central Florida**

Orlando, FL

CREOL Fiber Optics Laboratory - Undergraduate Research Assistant

Jan. 2022 - Aug. 2022

- Ran simulations on COMSOL to identify at which eigenvalues single-mode transmission occurred
- Experimented with optical setups to achieve optimal mode matching/light efficiency

#### **University of Central Florida**

Orlando, FL

College of Sciences, CECS - Undergraduate Teaching/Learning Assistant

Aug. 2021 - Aug. 2022

- Ordinary Differential Equations I, Calculus with Analytical Geometry I, Linear Circuits I
- Offered tutoring, held office hours, led recitation sessions, prepared and graded coursework

# **Projects**

Foodie Rover In Progress

Foodie Rover is a small autonomous vehicle doubling as a food convoy for UCF's Senior Design exhibition.

- Employing Google Maps API services to dynamically provide routing information
- Developing a computer vision obstacle aversion system using TensorFlow
- Constructing a mobile application to communicate directly with Foodie Rover's security system
- Operationalizing servos, magnetometers, and GPS modules to accurately ping location

LeetSocial November 2023

LeetSocial is a web/mobile-app for UCF's Processes of Object-oriented Software Development that serves as a social platform for LeetCode where you can view a leaderboard compiled of your friends' statistics.

- Integrating MongoDB and Express with React and Node JS to complete a MERN stack
- Incorporated GraphQL to communicate with LeetCode API endpoints
- Employed JSON web tokens to store user information from the database into the local storage cache to reduce API calls

#### **Moody Music Player**

September 2023

Developed a therapy chatbot with facial recognition that could determine your mood and utilized APIs to communicate with a microcontroller that plays music for the 2023 ShellHacks hackathon.

- Programmed an ESP32 microcontroller in Arduino IDE to establish a Wi-Fi connection and host a webserver
- Engineered a common-emitter amplifier circuit to streamline current effects on a piezo active buzzer
- Utilized Postman to implement REST APIs in JavaScript carrying JSON data storing the mood state of the user

#### **Contact Manager**

September 2023

Created a contact manager web application following LAMP stack structure that showcased CRUD applicability for UCF's Processes of Object-oriented Software Development course.

- Assembled APIs with PHP scripting to transmit requests between the front-end and database
  - Facilitated API documentation on SwaggerHub according to OpenAPI 2.0 specifications