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EDUCATION

Computer Science
The University of Alabama,
Dean's List

08/2021 – 05/2026
Tuscaloosa,
United States

PROFILE

Dedicated and detail-oriented Computer Science student with experience in software development, IT support, and leadership roles. Skilled in problem-solving, programming, and working in fast-paced environments. Passionate about technology, software development, and optimizing solutions for efficiency. Seeking opportunities to apply technical skills and gain further industry experience.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- American Red Cross Lifeguard Instructor** *J.F. Hurley YMCA, Salisbury, NC March 2024 - Present*
- Train and certify new lifeguards in CPR, first aid, water rescues, emergency response, and emergency oxygen usage.
 - Teach, evaluate, and enforce American Red Cross safety protocols.
 - Conduct lifeguard recertification and in-service training to ensure continued compliance with safety standards.
- Lifeguard** *J.F. Hurley YMCA, Salisbury, NC December 2023 - May 2025*
- Ensured pool safety as part of a team of 20 lifeguards.
 - Managed operations at a facility with a two-pool configuration and a medium-sized water slide.
 - Developed expertise in pump room procedures and emergency protocols.
- Lifeguard** *The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL November 2022 - May 2023*
- Worked at the university's aquatic center with a team of 30 lifeguards.
 - Maintained safety at a facility featuring an Olympic-sized pool, high-dive platforms, and diving boards.
 - Familiarized with pump room operations, including chemical handling, water levels, and drain maintenance.
- Lifeguard / Pool Manager** *Swim Club Management Group, Mooresville, NC May 2023 - August 2023*
- Managed lifeguard operations at Trump National Golf Club Charlotte, overseeing a team of 15.
 - Operated a three-pool facility featuring a large water slide.
 - Maintained a safe environment for patrons and ensured proper pump room procedures.
- Lifeguard / Pool Manager** *Pool Management Group, Salisbury, NC June 2022 - August 2022*
- Managed a team of approximately 15 lifeguards at Salisbury Country Club.
 - Oversaw scheduling and coordinated daily operations to maintain safety protocols.
 - Enhanced operational skills, including pump room management and chemical safety procedures.
- Construction Worker** *TALK Enterprises, Salisbury, NC June 2019 - August 2019; June 2020 - August 2020*
- Collaborated directly with home contractors on various repair and renovation projects.
 - Demonstrated adaptability and teamwork by assisting on diverse job tasks.
 - Learned and applied various skills and techniques in home repair and renovation.

SKILLS

Microsoft Office Specialist (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Access)	<div></div>	Autodesk Inventor 3D	<div></div>
		CompTIA A+ Core 2 (In Progress)	<div></div>
SolidWorks Academic	<div></div>		
IT Technical Support Specialist (In Progress)	<div></div>		