

# Nikolas Vahlas

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## SKILLS

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- **Coding:** Java, JavaScript, C, C++, HTML, CSS, Object Oriented Programming, Git
- **Documentation:** Word, Excel, LaTeX
- **Debugging:** JUnit

## PROJECTS

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**HackATeam** (in progress) | *JavaScript, Object Oriented Programming (OOP), Node.js, MongoDB, HTML, CSS*

- App that allows users to find hackathon teammates with similar interest and skill levels. Filters prospective teammates with an algorithm.

**BlurBuddy** | *C++*

- Command line tool that allows users to process and blur image files. Implements a Depth-First Search (DFS) algorithm to transform and output images.

**FitTrack** | *Java, Object Oriented Programming (OOP), JSON, JUnit*

- Nutrition tracker that allows users to add custom foods and keep track of their macronutrients and calories throughout the day.

## WORK EXPERIENCE & VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

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**Download Chicken**

**October 2022 – April 2023**

*Crew Member*

*Vancouver, BC*

- Maintained high standards of customer service during high-volume, fast-paced operations
- Followed procedures for safe food preparation, assembly, and presentation
- Worked with up to 8 coworkers to sell over \$9900 worth of product per day

**Jim's Mowing Bay Ridge**

**May 2022 – August 2022**

*Landscaper*

*Surrey, BC*

- Worked on large hardscaping projects, such as water features and patios
- Collaborated with coworkers to mow up to 30 lawns daily

**Below The Belt**

**May 2021 – August 2021**

*Sales Associate*

*Langley, BC*

- Handled POS transactions logging up to 40 sales daily.
  - Held the sales record for 5 weeks while working part time and competing with full time employees
- Collaborated with and supported other retail team members to sell over \$3000 worth of apparel daily
- Maintained a high level of customer satisfaction by answering questions regarding pricing and merchandise

**Soccer Uniform Drive**

**August 2020 – September 2020**

*Organizer*

*Surrey, BC*

- Coordinated collection and delivery of 300+ uniforms to The Smile of the Child in Athens, Greece

## EDUCATION

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**University of British Columbia**

**April 2025**

*BSc, Computer Science*

*Vancouver, BC*