# Paul Leiva

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**EDUCATION** 

Florida International University

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science | GPA: 3.65 FIU Gold & Blue Scholarship, Florida Bright Futures Academic Scholar, 2017 Allen J. Finkelson Scholarship (USHWA) 2016 Ford Salute to Education Scholarship

Miami, FL. United States Expected December 2020 Dean's List (8 Semesters)

## **EXPERIENCE**

Florida International University | Student-Athlete Academic Center Peer Tutor

Miami, FL

August 2020 - present

- Provides supplemental instruction to undergraduate student-athletes
- **Broward County Public Schools**

Substitute Teacher

Fort Lauderdale, FL

April 2017-March 2020

- Provided instructional assistance to students in absence of regular teacher
- Miami Dolphins & Hard Rock Stadium

Miami Gardens, FL

Press Elevator Operator

May 2017-July2019

o Escorted journalists, team staff, and VIPs to press box and media area

#### SKILLS

- Languages: Java, Python, HTML, CSS, C, SQL, JavaScript
- Technical: GitHub, Heroku, PostgreSQL, Database Design, PyCharm, oral speaking/presentation, teaching

## LEADERSHIP & SERVICE

- Google CS First Instructor
  - Volunteer to coached and tutored primary and secondary students in introductory computer science and coding fundamentals to provide early-age exposure
  - In partnership with UPE @ FIU

## **PROJECTS**

- WhatsApp Automated Message Scheduler: WhatsApp lacks an open-access API. This is a substitute for an API-based messenger common to other messengers. Schedules and sends messages by day and time.
- BAvGraph: Uses web-scraping to fetch a Major League Baseball (MLB) player's batting average (BA) in each season played. This data is then converted to a scatter plot for the user to see.
- Type Racing Simulator: A website to practice typing various quotes. Provides user with WPM (words per minute score) and timer while they finish typing the quote.

## Professional Societies & Organizations

- Upsilon Pi Epsilon (UPE/ΥΠΕ) | FIU Chapter
  - Nationwide organization for students in computing and technology disciplines
  - Honor Society Member
  - SparkDev