

# PAYTON HARRIGAL

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## Objective

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Dedicated and motivated individual with leadership, communication, management, and organization skills seeking to apply my data analytic and programming abilities in a position to provide high-quality development

## Education

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| University of Maryland Global Campus | B.S. | January 2023 – Present |
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- Computer Science (CS) | GPA: 4.0

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| Virginia Tech | B.S. | August 2018 – May 2022 |
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- Human Nutrition Food and Exercise (HNFE) | GPA: 3.21

## Experience

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| Web Developer Intern | Appalachian Haven Wellness Co. LLC | January 2023 – Present |
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- Supports the development of Appalachian Haven Wellness Co. LLC's website and media platforms according to industry standards
- Optimizes website content for search engines using various SEO techniques
- Proficient in WordPress development, including customizing themes and plugins, HTML5, CSS, and SEO optimization
- Skilled in debugging and fixing technical issues on the website
- Quickly and reliably provides technical support to clients to ensure their satisfaction
- Collaborates cross-departmentally to ensure successful website launches and deliver high-quality results and increase sales
- Presents recent website developments and recommendations in agile meetings
- Efficiently communicates and manages projects through an agile work method

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| Personal Website | <a href="https://paytonharrigal.github.io/">https://paytonharrigal.github.io/</a> | January 2023– Present |
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- Researched methods to develop and build my first website using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript
- Applied skills learned to build a sample website for the Virginia Tech Triathlon Club, linked in my personal website
- The website is hosted on GitHub, and I apply updates through the GitHub Desktop Application, demonstrating knowledge of GitHub and Git

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| Minecraft Server from Scratch with AWS | January 2023 |
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- Configured an AWS EC2 to launch a Minecraft from scratch
- Learned how to allocate more Gigabytes of RAM for the server with AWS
- Used Microsoft Windows Prompt and Linux Command Prompt to download, transfer, and run software on the server
- Developed an understanding of servers, how to use command line interface, and how to operate on computer systems without a GUI

## Technical Skills & Tools

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CSS | HTML | WordPress | Java | Python | Django | TypeScript | React