Richard D. Paul

Full-stack developer with teaching, automation, and AI experience.

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EXPERIENCE

SA Charter School, Salem MA — *Computer Science Teacher*

IANUARY 2025 - PRESENT

Taught coding, algorithms, and real-world CS to 70+ students; developed curriculum in CS, AI/ML, and web design.

J. Barrett & Co., Remote — Freelance Web Developer

JANUARY 2024 - MAY 2024

Built and deployed a web app to automate real estate event scheduling, saving 5+ staff hours weekly.

FIRST Robotics, Software Engineer Intern — Summer 2023

Summer 2023

Developed an automated testbed and CI pipeline for robotics software, accelerating testing and bug fixes.

Cisco, Maynard MA — Technical Co-op (DevOps)

JUNE 2022 - DECEMBER 2022

Managed Jenkins CI infrastructure; authored Python test suites and improved team documentation.

Managed Jenkins CI infrastructure; authored Python and Java test suites, improved team documentation, and supported AWS deployments.

Mutualink, Westford MA — QA Automation Engineer Intern

Summer 2021

Automated REST API and Jenkins pipeline testing, expanding CI/CD coverage and reliability.

EDUCATION

University of Massachusetts Amherst, M.S. & B.S. Computer Science — 2019 - 2024, Dean's List, GPA 3.4+

PROJECTS

Referral System (Node.js, React, MySQL): Engineered a scalable microservices platform for referral tracking, leading API design, cloud integration, and SQL database management.

SKILLS

Java, Python, JavaScript (ES6+),, Bash, C/C++, SQL

React, Node.js, Flask, HTML5, CSS3

AWS (EC2, S3, Lambda), Docker, Kubernetes, Jenkins, CI/CD

MySQL, PostgreSQL, MongoDB

Git, Agile/Scrum, Jira

Unit & integration testing, automation

Curriculum design, team leadership

AWARDS

Eagle Scout (BSA, 2019)

Highest Scoring Student, ARML Alternate Division (2018)

Dean's List, UMass Amherst (2022–24)

Captain, Robotics Team (2018–19)

President, Board Game Club (2022–24)