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## Education

### University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

*Bachelor of Science in Computer Science*

**August 2023 – May 2026**

*Champaign, IL*

### Relevant Coursework

- Data Structures
- Discrete Structures
- Artificial Intelligence
- Linear Algebra
- Probability & Stats
- Software Development
- Calculus III

## Experience

### Criterion Systems

*Software Engineer Intern*

**June 2023 – Present**

*Vienna, VA*

- Working as an intern at IT solutions company Criterion Systems. Part of a team that is working on a project for the Forest Service (FS) under the US Department of Agriculture (USDA).
- Utilizing Microsoft SharePoint, PowerShell, Power Automate, and Excel VBA to resolve technical issues for the FS Mercury Correspondence System.
- Attend regular meetings with the team and representatives from the USDA.
- Led the intern proposal group project to develop a solution for a service-based innovation model.

### Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics Laboratory

*Research/Machine Learning Intern*

**September 2022 – May 2023**

*Laurel, MD*

- Worked as an intern at the Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics Laboratory with Dr. Caglar Caglayan.
- Conducted research and worked on a project focused on clinical decision-making under uncertainty and medical prediction with Machine Learning algorithms.

### University of Maryland, Baltimore County

*Research Assistant*

**June 2022 – January 2023**

*Baltimore, MD*

- Worked as a research assistant in Dr. Riadul Islam's UMBC VLSI-SOC Group.
- Collaborated with undergraduate, Masters, and Ph.D. students as well as Dr. Islam on a project centered on Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning in self-driving cars, collected data and created models.

### Maryland Innovation and Security Institute

*Cybersecurity Intern*

**June 2021 – August 2021**

*Columbia, MD*

- Worked as an intern over the summer learning about cybersecurity and applying knowledge to real-world cyber problems in our country today.
- Led a group conducting and presenting on a case study on an emerging cyber threat.

## Projects

### To-Do List App | *HTML/CSS (SCSS), JavaScript, React, NodeJS, Firebase, React Testing*

**December 2023**

- Created a to-do list React web application to track, store, and manage create user-created list items.
- Accepted user input, allowed for task creation and deletion, created a feature for scheduled tasks, and implemented database with Firebase.

### Gym Workout App | *HTML/CSS, JavaScript, React, NodeJS*

**August 2022**

- Created a React web application to plan, create, and track gym workouts on a weekly basis.
- Processed user-inputted information in the back-end of the app to return an organized list and plan of various potential workouts.

### Leaders of Economics & Finance in America Website | *HTML/CSS, JavaScript*

**March 2022**

- Created a website for a nonprofit organization with chapters across the country that promotes financial literacy in America.
- Utilized HTML, CSS, and JavaScript to create the website from scratch in order to allow flexibility and customization.

## Technical Skills

**Languages:** Python, Java, C++, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, JQuery, ReactJS, Visual Basic for Applications (VBA)

**Developer Tools:** VS Code, Jupyter Notebook, Express.js, Node.js, Docker

**Technologies/Frameworks:** GitHub, Microsoft Office, WordPress, SharePoint, PowerShell