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EDUCATION

Rutgers University   **New Brunswick, New Jersey**
Bachelor's in Information Technology and Informatics & Minor in Data Science   Expected 2025
- **GPA:** 3.6 / 4.0
- **Honors:** Dean's List: Fall 2021, Spring 2022, SAS Honors Program
- **Relevant Coursework:** Data 101, Information Technology & Informatics, Introduction to Statistics for Business, Introduction to Macroeconomics

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Java | SQL | Python | R
Certifications: Google Data Analytics| LinkedIn Python | Microsoft Azure Fundamentals | Udemy Linux
Software: Pycharm | Eclipse | Google BigQuery | Microsoft Azure | Microsoft Excel | Microsoft Word | Linux | Adobe Cloud
Skills: Trend Analysis | Azure Cloud | dplyr | ggplot2 | Bash Scripting

WORK & LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Geek Squad - Best Buy   **Iselin, New Jersey**
Consultation Agent   September 2022 – November 2022
- Ticketed over 100+ items utilizing Nova software and learning GSX exchange and troubleshot various errors on computers, laptops, televisions, etc.
- Aided 75+ patrons by showing them how to navigate systems such as macOS, Windows, and Linux.

YMCA Community Center   **Piscataway, New Jersey**
Lifeguard & Swim Instructor & Designer, Aquatics Staff   August 2020 – September 2022
- Taught over 25+ kids essentials of marine safety & promotes pool safety.
- Designed flyers for the company website and assisted patrons daily.

Ricochet Health Club   **Piscataway, New Jersey**
Lifeguard & Swim Instructor, Aquatics Staff   2019 – 2020
- Conducted over 100+ swim tests for children and assisted other lifeguards in group lessons.

Piscataway Library   **Piscataway, New Jersey**
Volunteer   2016 – 2020
- Piloted the Chess/Chess Tournament program & tutored 75+ kids.
- Communicated with over 100+ students in cultural programs such as Chinese New Year & Eid.

Videogame Club for Charity   **Piscataway, New Jersey**
President & Founder   2019 - 2020
- Directed and oversaw club events with over 25+ students.
- Delegated roles to the executive board and raised over $100 for charities.

PROJECTS

Hangman (Python):
- Developed a hangman game utilizing user inputs and importing other python scripts

BlackJack (Java):
- Developed a blackjack game using OOP techniques and ArrayLists

Pokemon Analysis (Excel & R):
- Developed a complete analysis using R to cleanse a dataset
- Utilized visualization packages in R and summary statistics to differentiate aspects of the dataset
- Analyzed using various tests such as data visualization and hypothesis testing

Linux Videogame:
- Created a shell script that automates a Linux quiz videogame from the CLI of an Azure virtual machine

Python WebApp:
- Developed a web application portfolio page with Python libraries with importing requests from other sites