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EDUCATION

UC Merced, Merced, CA

May 2026

GPA 3.96 | Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Engineering

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: C, C++, CSS, HTML, Java, JavaScript, Python, SQL, TypeScript, WASM, and YAML

Frameworks: Bootstrap, Django, Django REST, Flask, Next.js, React.js, Tailwind CSS, TensorFlow, and Vue.js **Developer Tools:** AWS, Cloud Firestore, CUDA, Docker, Firebase, OpenCV, Pandas, PyTorch, and Stripe

EXPERIENCE

Department of Homeland Security

June 2024 - August 2024

Software Engineering Intern

Washington D.C.

- Collaborated within an **Agile** team, leveraging **Jira** for sprint planning, while utilizing iterative development and continuous feedback to enhance **CI/CD** processes and **Docker** container management
- Refactored GitLab CI/CD pipeline by moving 3 severity scans to an external shell script
- Implemented a new pipeline stage in GitLab CI/CD to automatically comment on existing vulnerabilities in merge requests, enhancing visibility of security issues during code reviews

PROJECTS

DjN Data Visualizer | *Django, Docker, Next.js*

September 2024

- Frontend uses TypeScript, Next.js, Chart.js, along with Redux for state management
- Implements Django REST framework to serve data to the frontend via API endpoints
- Containerized the application with **Docker** for automated deployment

Croppy Deals | Firebase, React

March 2024

- 2nd place HackMerced IX, Best Use of Flow award for best crypto blockchain integration
- Aggregates agricultural data metrics to assist with determining future crop demand and rotations

Jamster | Firebase, React

December 2023

- Custom browser extension grabs YouTube Music URL and saves link to Google Firebase
- YouTube Music listen along **React** App pulls the data from Google **Firebase** and plays the song

ByTech | Firebase, Next.js, OpenAI, React, Tailwind

August 2023

- Allows Computer Science teachers to create classes, assignments, and test cases
- Utilizes Google Firebase for storing accounts, classes, and assignments
- Compiles **Python** into **WASM** to run in browser

WildEyeAI | Flask, Next.js, React, Tailwind, TensorFlow

July 2023

- AI-based wildlife protection project
- Identifies movement image subtraction techniques, submits frames with detected movement to AI image classification model, and sends a POST request to a **Flask** server to store the image
- Trained using the **TensorFlow** Inception_V3 model

Crescent Novels | AWS, Django

June 2020 - June 2023

- Website for young writers to share their stories and communicate with their readers
- Developed full stack features and functionalities using **Django**
- Deployed website using Amazon Web Services (AWS) on EC2 instances
- Grew website to over **500** active users

AWARDS

National Merit Scholarship Finalist

2023 2024

• HackMerced IX - 2nd place - \$1000 awarded