

# Daniel Kirkpatrick

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## EDUCATION

**California Polytechnic State University (SLO) - College of Engineering**

San Luis Obispo, CA

*Bachelor of Science in Computer Science*

*Graduated 2020*

## EXPERIENCE

**Software Engineer - Full Stack**

2019 – 2021

*Omegabit, LLC*

*San Luis Obispo, CA*

- Developed RESTful API's in order to securely send assets to Augmented Reality/Virtual Reality application (encryption in transit and at rest)
- Automated file conversion and optimization to display in Augmented Reality / Virtual Reality Applications
- Redesigned front end to improve SEO (Search Engine Optimization) in order to optimize the targeting of enterprise customers
- Developed an Augmented Reality/Virtual Reality application to host multiple concurrent users in private virtual rooms

## CERTIFICATIONS

**CompTIA Security+**

2025

*CompTIA SY0-601*

*Cybersecurity*

- Demonstrated expertise in network security by implementing and managing firewalls, VPNs, and intrusion detection/prevention systems (IDS/IPS) in compliance with security best practices.
- Conducted risk assessments and vulnerability scans to identify security weaknesses, leading to proactive mitigation strategies and improved system resilience.
- Ensured compliance with industry standards and regulations, such as GDPR, HIPAA, and PCI-DSS, by developing and maintaining security policies and procedures.

**AWS Solutions Architect - Associate**

2025

*Amazon Web Services SAA-C03*

*Cloud Services*

- Designed and deployed scalable, highly available, and fault-tolerant architectures on AWS, leveraging services like EC2, S3, RDS, Lambda, and VPC to optimize performance and reduce operational costs.
- Developed secure cloud architectures by integrating AWS security services such as IAM, KMS, Shield, WAF, and CloudTrail, ensuring data privacy and compliance with industry standards.
- Optimized database architectures by selecting the appropriate AWS database services (RDS, DynamoDB, Aurora) based on application requirements and performance considerations.

## PROJECTS

**MMORPG Automation** | *Python, pyautogui*

- Developed a bot to automate repetitive tasks in a massively multiplayer online role-playing game (MMORPG)
- Successfully avoided bot detection through the use of randomization and human-like patterns

**Website Portfolio** | *Amazon Web Services (AWS), Amazon S3, reactJS*

- Developed a static website in reactJS in order to display my portfolio and resume. Hosted on Route 53 with automatic deployment when pushed via git

**Closed Caption Scraping** | *Python, pandas, BeautifulSoup, Jupyter*

- In order to ease in studying, scraped a course website to grab link to closed captions for each lecture
- Retrieved captions from URL and converted to a readable format to simplify search

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Languages:** Java, Python, C, SQL, JavaScript, HTML/CSS

**Frameworks:** React, Node.js

**Developer Tools:** Git, Amazon Web Services, VS Code, Visual Studio, Eclipse

**Libraries:** pandas, NumPy, pyautogui, BeautifulSoup, Jupyter

**Interests/Specialties:** Cybersecurity, Cloud Services, Automation, Artificial Intelligence, Web Development, Software Engineering, Augmented Reality, Virtual Reality, API Development