# Abe Baali

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## **Education**

### University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Expected December 2022** 

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Aerospace Engineering

GPA 3.88/4

**Relevant courses:** Algorithms & Models of Computing, Database Systems, Programming, Numerical Methods, Computer Architecture, Data Structures, Discreet Structures, Computational Linear Algebra (Python).

## **Experience**

MAY 2021 - AUG 2021

#### Software Engineer Intern,

Redfin, sell-side customer growth team, redfin.com

**Increased** seller leads by developing an interactive home affordability calculator to inform buyers on how much they can afford. **Wrote** technical planning documents, unit tests, and led bug bash sessions. **Built** a Tinder clone for homes and won in the company wide Hackathon. **Utilized:** Javascript, React, Docker, Java, A/B testing.

NOV 2020 - Present

#### Assistant,

Mythic Mississippi Project, Department of Anthropology.

**Assisting** professor Helaine Silverman by editing video interviews and keeping project website up to date.

MAR 2020 - DEC 2020

## Co-founder & Software Developer,

Karma Trade (startup), karmatrade.shop

**Developed** an e-commerce cloth swapping platform. **Made** a POS and inventory management system for a retail location. **Created** the brand identity, and UI/UX. **Utilized:** Javascript, React, Node, Git, Firebase, Payments (Square), Figma.

MAY 2020 - AUG 2020

#### Full-time Student Fellow,

iVenture Accelerator, Gies College of Business

**Participated** as a paid fellow in cohort 6 of the iVenture Accelerator program for top student startups. **Received** more than \$10K in funding to work on early-stage startups.

### Other jobs:

Website Admin, *railtec.illinois.edu* Staff Photographer, The Daily Illini Full-stack Developer, *Caramella* 

## **Side Projects**

Launch Schedule: Web app displaying upcoming rocket launches around the world, based on the Launch Library API. Supports PWA features and acts like a native app on Android.

Raft: An e-commerce platform for social merchants to simplify the purchasing process, built with React Native. Pathfinder: Visualizing a breadth-first Javascript pathfinding algorithm.