Thomas Allen

Software Engineer | Python · C++ · JavaScript
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Eligible for U.S. Security Clearance

SKILLS

Programming: Python, C++, Java (Intermediate), JavaScript, HTML/CSS

Software Engineering: API Development, Algorithm Design, Data Analysis, Object-Oriented Programming

Tools & IDEs:Visual Studio/VS Code, PyCharm, Git, Microsoft Office, Adobe Suite, Unreal Engine, UnityHardware & Tools:Test Automation, Firmware Debugging, Oscilloscopes, TCUs, RF Testing, Power Supplies

Professional Skills: Communication, Adaptability, Problem Solving, Leadership, Team Collaboration, Quick Learning

EXPERIENCE

Qualcomm (San Diego)

February 2022 - February 2023

Engineering Technician

- Maintained Python scripts used for automated firmware regression testing and debugging.
- Calibrated and operated oscilloscopes, TCUs, RF Test equipment, power supplies.
- Executed performance/stability tests across 1,000+ chipsets and multiple hardware bench setups.
- Collaborated with 20+ Engineers to analyze test results, debug/reproduce issues, and document results all within QA pipelines.

Starbucks (San Diego)

October 2023 - Present

Barista

- Served ~450+ customers/day during peak periods; collaborated with 6–8 teammates to reduce wait times and increase efficiency.

CODING PROJECTS

Pigskin 5 (NFL Trivia Web App) - JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Github Pages

- Created a JavaScript/HTML based NFL Trivia app with automated daily updates.
- Responsive UI, Daily Streak Tracking (via localStorage), awaiting ad integration approval.

NFL Data Modeling & Prediction Tool - Python, API Integration, Algorithms

- Built a Python Pandas pipeline that collects live stats and computes various stats with a weighted algorithm.
- Created a Tkinter GUI for selecting opponents including all 32 NFL Team logos.
- Modularized code for automatic weekly updates, and easy reworking of prediction parameters.

Solo Game Dev Project - C++, Gameplay Logic, Artificial Intelligence

- Developed a 2D Platformer using GameMaker Studio.
- Produced 200+ custom sprites and tiles using Adobe Photoshop.
- Scripted all aspects of the game including Enemy AI, Advanced Player movement, Level Design.
- Wrote modular code to simplify implementing new mechanics and weapons.

EDUCATION

Southern New Hampshire University

Graduated August 2025

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Relevant Coursework: Software Engineering, Gameplay Programming, Artificial Intelligence, Data Structures & Algorithms, Computer Graphics