Ty Bennett

Columbia, SC

Education

University of South Carolina

May 2028

Bachelor of Science Computer Science

Columbia, SC

Honors: Capstone Scholar, President's List Fall 2024, President's List Spring 2025

Scholarships: Palmetto Fellows Scholarship, Dean's Scholarship, Joseph M. Biedenbach Scholarship

Clubs: Association for Computing Machinery, Gamecock Cybersecurity Club Certifications: AWS Certified Solutions Architect - Associate (SAA-C03)

Relevant Coursework

• Algorithmic Design I

• Algorithmic Design II

• Advanced Programming Techniques

• Linux Fundamentals

• Digital Logic Design

• Multivariable Calculus

Technical Skills

Languages: Java, Python, C++, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, SQL

Technologies/Frameworks: Spring Boot, React.js, Docker, Git, Ansible, Jenkins Developer Tools: Amazon Web Services Cloud Platform (AWS), Vim, IntelliJ

Operating Systems: Linux, Windows, MacOS, Cisco IOSXE/IOSXR

Experience

University of South Carolina

Aug 2025 - Present

Teaching Assistant

Columbia, SC

- Troubleshot technical issues during office hours, supporting a hands-on learning environment for 300+ students
- Maintained detailed grade records and submitted timely feedback to students via Blackboard
- Lead the planning and presentation of slideshows to improve student engagement and interactivity for 150+ students

South Carolina Department of Administration

Jun 2024 - Present

Networking Intern

Columbia, SC

- Configured and deployed 70+ Cisco Layer 2 and Layer 3 switches as part of an end-of-life device replacement project
- Spearheaded the development of a zero-touch provisioning process to integrate new devices into network using Ansible
- Revised and updated 90+ network diagrams to reflect current network topology and updated managed service rates

South Carolina Department of Administration

Jan 2024 - May 2024

IT Intern

Columbia, SC

- Collected data, designed, and presented a plan to improve the call queue process that led to a 10% decrease in wait time
- · Rotated through various teams to learn more about business processes and workflow between Admin and agencies
- Learned how different teams collaborate to provide high-quality shared services and customer service to state agencies

Projects

Restaurant Management Platform | AWS, Spring Boot, React.js, PostgreSQL, Docker

June 2025 - Present

- Led full-stack development of a modern, internally managed web app to modernize and centralize development
- Built end-to-end scalable backend services with Spring Boot, enhancing reliability and system performance
- Designed and deployed containerized, event-driven application on AWS cloud infrastructure, combining a range of AWS services like ECS, RDS, SQS, SNS, Lambda, Route53, WAF, S3, and VPC

Leadership / Extracurricular

Association for Computing Machinery

Fall 2025 - Present

President

University of South Carolina

- Coordinated and created material for each club meeting, seeking to grow attendance and improve engagement
- Led workshops on various skills for each meeting, topics such as cloud development, software design, and networking
- Brought in over \$5,000+ of sponsorship from companies for various events and workshops that were hosted