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## EDUCATION

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### New Jersey Institute of Technology

Newark, NJ

*Bachelor of Science in Computer Science*

*Sept. 2022 – Expected May 2025*

- Albert Dorman Honors Scholar, GPA: 4.0
- Courses: Data Structures and Algorithms, Operating Systems, Compiler Design

## EXPERIENCE

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### Course Assistant — Intro to Computer Science

Jan 2023 — Present

*New Jersey Institute of Technology*

*Newark, NJ*

- Conducting 1.5-hour lab classes on Python, Java, recursion, inheritance, polymorphism, classes, etc., for a group of 40+ students on a weekly basis
- Facilitating weekly recitation hours to provide additional support and guidance to students in course concepts
- Assessing and grading homework assignments, providing valuable feedback to enhance students' understanding and proficiency in Java and Object Oriented Programming

### Research Fellowship Intern

Jun 2023 — August 2023

*New Jersey Institute of Technology*

*Newark, NJ*

- Researched historical patient care practices in mental asylums, focusing on the Ottoman Toptasi Asylum
- Developed and trained a supervised learning model using Random Forest classifier to assess patients' mobility, impulsivity, and sociability based on symptom severity
- Achieved high accuracy rates using strategy: mobility (73.91%), impulsivity (82.61%), and sociability (86.96%) using a 75-25 train-test split
- Utilized JSON data with generative AI techniques to create a large dataset of hypothetical patient symptoms, collaborating with psychiatric professionals
- Integrated the machine learning model into a Unity simulation, enabling the creation of patients with diverse behavior
- Published abstract and presented in symposium as part of a sponsored fellowship program by NJIT and Honors College

### Software Development Intern

Jun 2021 – Jun 2022

*Parent Matterz*

*Teaneck, NJ*

- Updated static WordPress HTML/CSS website for 20% increase in traffic after PBS-NJ display with a testimonial page for past successful users of site
- Assisted in development of new site using ReactJS along with better visual transitions to gain more traction and for future development
- Worked with a team of three interns through Agile and Scrum project management with daily scrums and weekly sprints
- Addressed potential sections of site which previously confused parents and students in process of utilizing site with clients

## EXTRACURRICULAR

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### Webmaster, Teacher

Sept 2022 – Present

*Kids Who Code*

*Newark, NJ*

- Introduce young children in Hawthorne, NJ to the tech field through teaching interactive Scratch lessons weekly
- Use Next.js and Contentful CMS to design and implement a new website to professionally exhibit club
- Direct programming committee meeting bi-weekly to teach Git and give tasks for site

## PROJECTS

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**LastMile App** | *React Native, Expo, Geoapify, Bing Maps API*

[github.com/LastMileApp/LastMileApp](https://github.com/LastMileApp/LastMileApp)

- Won **Best Freshman Award** at HackNJIT 2022 with over 200 participants ([devpost.com/software/lastmile-ict7k6](https://devpost.com/software/lastmile-ict7k6))
- Aimed to solve cost of deliveries in the last mile which account for over 50% of the costs
- Implemented an app prototype where a user can enter in a destination and possible deliveries for the package can be chosen
- Send requests to API to get current user location and display directions to deliveries through Bing Maps API, while updating map on screen

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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

**Frameworks:** React.js, Next.js, TailwindCSS, Node.js, Express.js

**Backend:** MySQL, Firebase Firestore

**Developer Tools:** Git, Github, Heroku