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EDUCATION

University of Florida, College of Engineering

Gainesville, FL

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science | **GPA: 3.8**

May 2028

Relevant Courses: Data Structures and Algorithms, Software Engineering, Computer Organization, Discrete Mathematics, Calculus 3

PROJECTS

Study Buddy | *Chrome API's (Manifest V3), Next.js, JavaScript, HTML/CSS*

June 2025 — Current

- * Built a focus/productivity extension with a Pomodoro timer, task list, and site-blocking to reduce distractions.
- * Implemented timers and scheduled breaks using `chrome.alarms`; surfaced progress via badge text and **notifications**.
- * Persisted settings and usage stats with `chrome.storage`; injected features via **scripting** and content scripts.
- * Used an offscreen document for reliable audio/alerts without a visible tab; designed a clean, responsive UI with vanilla CSS
- * Published on Chrome Web Store with clear single-purpose and privacy practices documentation.

Task Scheduling App (Swampy Scheduler) — *Next.js, JavaScript, Docker*

July 2025 — August 2025

- * Engineered a smart scheduling system that efficiently prioritized tasks by urgency using a custom-built **min-heap**, enabling rapid conflict resolution even as task volume scaled
- * Designed a **hash map** for constant-time task retrieval by date, improving lookup speed by over **80%** compared to naive search methods
- * Built with **Next.js** and styled with Tailwind CSS for responsive, user-friendly design; deployed using Docker for consistent cross-platform operation
- * Collaborated in a team of 3, maintaining version control and documentation in a public GitHub repository under **GNU GPLv3 license**

Real-time Chat Application (Gossip Grid) — *React, JavaScript, Firebase*

January 2025 — March 2025

- * Built a scalable, real-time messaging app using Firebase backend and React frontend; supported **10+ simultaneous users** in real-time chat
- * Designed an intuitive, user-friendly interface with **React** and **Tailwind CSS**, optimizing performance and ensuring mobile responsiveness.
- * Integrated Firebase Authentication for secure user login, allowing for scalable and customizable user management

Twitter Clone Website | *React, JavaScript, NodeJS, MySQL, Express*

August 2024 — September 2024

- * Developed a full-stack, Twitter(X)-inspired web application with user authentication, dynamic content updates, and database integration
- * Utilized MERN stack with SQL: **JavaScript, React, NodeJS, Express, and SQL** to build a responsive and interactive user interface
- * Focused on enhancing technical skills in back-end and front-end development, state management, and **REST APIs**

EXPERIENCE

Officer - Social Lead | *UF Association for Computing Machinery*

August 2024 - Present

- * Developed and deployed a personal portfolio website to showcase projects and skills
- * Participated in technical and professional development workshops, enhancing software engineering skills

Lifeguard

March 2022 — January 2024

Orange County Parks

Apopka, Florida

- * Collaborated with fellow lifeguards in order to ensure a cohesive and efficient operation monitoring the river
- * Assessed and coached lifeguards as Lead Instructor, resulting in a 40% increase in passing rates

EXTRACURRICULAR

Member | *UF Open Source Club*

August 2024 - Present

- * Contributed towards developing a proximity chat app utilizing, Firebase, React, and NodeJS
- * Developing mini drones equipped with AI-integrated cameras for autonomous surveillance and data collection

SKILLS

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

Frameworks and Libraries: React, Node.js, Next.js, Firebase, Supabase

Tools and Platforms: Docker, Git, VS Code, PyCharm, CLion, MySQL Workbench, Insomnia