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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Informatics, Indiana University, Anticipated Graduation: May 2025
Luddy School of Informatics, Computing, and Engineering, Indianapolis, IN GPA: 3.42/4.00

Bachelor of Science in Media Arts & Science, Indiana University, Anticipated Graduation: May 2025
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SKILLS

Programming Languages: HTML, CSS/SCSS, JavaScript, PHP, Python, jQuery, TypeScript

Tools: Figma, Sketch, Adobe Creative Suite, Microsoft Excel, PHPStorm, Visual Studio Code, MySQL, Node.js

Design: User Research, Interviews, UX Design, Wireframing, Prototyping, Usability Testing

Frameworks: React, Svelte, Next.js

EXPERIENCE

Web Development Teaching Assistant Aug 2023 - Present
Indiana University–Purdue University Indianapolis
Indianapolis, Indiana

- **Collaborated** with the professor to maintain accurate records of **student attendance, participation, and performance**.
- **Graded** an average of **30 assignments** per week, accounting for 30 students, and provided **constructive feedback** to aid student learning.
- Demonstrated a commitment to fostering a **positive and inclusive learning environment**.

Order Fulfillment Associate January 2023 - Present
The Home Depot (Store 2012)
Indianapolis, Indiana

- Managed **daytime deliveries**, consistently **meeting or exceeding 98% of delivery deadlines**, resulting in increased **customer satisfaction**.
- Excelled in **real-time problem-solving**, resolving issues promptly and effectively to ensure seamless operations.
- Provided exceptional **customer support** by addressing inquiries, concerns, and issues, contributing to overall **customer satisfaction**.

Receiving Associate March 2020 – January 2023
The Home Depot (Store 2012)
Indianapolis, Indiana

- Orchestrated the **efficient unloading** of merchandise from incoming trucks, processing an average of 10+ shipments per day to maintain 98% stock availability.
- **Collaborated effectively** with drivers and their companies to **optimize shipment schedules**, streamlining logistics operations.
- Provided **dynamic leadership** to a team of 8-10 members during nighttime shifts, consistently achieving **productivity increases of 10%** through **teamwork** and effective **coordination**.
- Demonstrated a keen ability to strategically **distribute merchandise** throughout the store for improved accessibility and **sales performance**.

PROJECTS

Tempo.cx Fall 2023

- I developed a front-end application employing HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and jQuery, featuring seamless animations, responsiveness, and an MVC model. The platform was meticulously crafted to deliver an exceptional user experience while selecting their favorite songs.

TravelFly Spring 2023

- I created a front-end application using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and jQuery, incorporating mobile responsiveness, and an MVC architecture. The platform was carefully designed to provide travelers with an outstanding user experience when booking flights and exploring tourist destinations.

Helios AI Summarizer Fall 2023

- Utilizing an API-driven architecture and technologies like React and Vite, I created a platform that empowers users to share article links, leveraging OpenAI's GPT-4, for comprehensive article summaries. Notably, I implemented data storage mechanisms, ensuring the retention of user data within the platform, and enhancing user experience and security.