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EDUCATION

- **William & Mary**

Williamsburg, VA

Doctor of Philosophy in Computer Science; GPA: 3.88

Sept. 2021 – Jan 2026 [Expected]

Master of Science in Computer Science; GPA: 3.95

Sept. 2021 – Jan. 2023

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science; GPA: 3.27

Sept. 2017 – May 2021

ENTREPRENEURSHIP EXPERIENCE

- **Motion Medix**

Williamsburg, VA

Co-Founder

July 2024 – Present

- Co-Founded startup focused on wearable technology that detects and treats the symptoms of Parkinson's disease.
- Secured \$2,000 funding award and was recognized as most engaged venture at W&M Entrepreneurship Hub.
- Conducted 30 customer interviews as part of Mason I-Corps Regional Course.

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

- **William & Mary**

Williamsburg, VA

Research Assistant

May 2023 – Present

- Researched ubiquitous and mobile computing for health monitoring and nutrition optimization with a focus on human-movement action localization and measurement on untrimmed time-series data.
- Created and deployed end-to-end intelligent sensing systems integrating wearable hardware and machine-learning enabled mobile software for real-world use, collecting data from 58 senior individuals via IRB approved studies.
- Led system design from requirements gathering to testing and maintenance, ensuring alignment with user needs.
- Conducted usability testing of deployed sensing systems with users, translating insights into design improvements.
- Took over and maintained inherited software systems from graduating students. Evolved functionality and UX.
- Published research and presented at conferences. Won best paper twice. Secured NSF and IEEE TCI travel awards.
- Contributed to grant proposals for securing research funding. Presented proposals to funding committees.
- Mentored students through debugging and conceptual challenges. Coached strategies for graduate success.
- Engaged community and audiences to spread research awareness and recruit study participants.

- **William & Mary**

Williamsburg, VA

Teaching Assistant

Jan. 2023 – May 2023

- Assisted in CSCI434/534 Network Systems and Design, at both undergraduate and graduate levels.
- Solved student concerns and technical questions. Defined and graded programming assignments and problem sets.

INDUSTRY WORK EXPERIENCE

- **RingCentral**

Belmont, CA

Product Management Intern

June 2022 – Sept. 2022

- Collaborated with designers and engineers in order to improve Admin UX for Enterprise & SMB UCaaS customers.
- Owned and drove development of product feature requests from stakeholders. Developed features with design team. Consulted engineers to understand technical challenges. Aided in customer interviews.
- Created documentation system to aid product management team in tracking product metrics for admin features.
- Led a team of 7 interns to create an end-to-end product pitch. Presented product to a panel of executives on a live "Shark Tank" style webinar broadcast to the entire company with over 500 participants.

SKILLS

- **Programming:** Java, Python, Git, Linux, macOS, Windows, Android, Virtual Machines, Firebase, \LaTeX
- Non-Technical Software:** Miro, Monday, Asana, Trello, Jira, Figma, UCaaS (TEAMS, Outlook, Slack, Zoom, Discord)

INTERESTS

- **Technical:** Ubiquitous & Mobile Computing, Human-Centered Computing, Human-Computer Interaction, AI
- Misc:** Entrepreneurship, Health, Wellness, Fitness, Hiking, History, Building Custom Computers, Film