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## EDUCATION

University of Pittsburgh PITTSBURGH, PA est. May 2027

- B.S. in Information Science and Minor in Chinese
- Current GPA: 3.86/4.00 – Dean’s List 2 out of 2 semesters
- Coursework: Human-Centered Systems, Computation in Inf. Sci., Digital Privacies, Technical Writing, Matrices & Linear Algebra, Calculus-Based Physics I

Shady Side Academy PITTSBURGH, PA 2019–2023

- High School Diploma
  - Unweighted GPA: 3.64/4.33 – SAT Score: 1520
  - Coursework: Discrete Structures, AP Calculus BC, AP Computer Science A (5/5 on test)
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## WORK EXPERIENCE

GenCyber Tech Support UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH June 2024

- Ensured a week-long summer camp for high school teachers went smoothly by dealing with real-time issues, answering questions and helping participants promptly.
  - Allowed camp to start and end on schedule by collaborating with other student support members, communicating about and effectively dealing with problems.
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## PERSONAL PROJECTS

Typewriter Repair 2022–Now

- Fixes and cleans manual typewriters, usually bought from Goodwill or eBay.
- Participates and interacts in online communities of enthusiasts to get help and aid others.

Discord Bot 2020–2021

- Developed a Discord bot for a friend’s server using the `discord.py` library.
  - Featured text-based games—including a spreadsheet-entry (office job) simulator—and a number of Discord-specific functions like user lookup and retrieving deleted messages.
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## COURSES + BOOTCAMPS

Air Force Assoc. CyberCamp (Advanced) UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH June 2023

- Learned and applied more advanced concepts of Windows and Ubuntu cybersecurity, including networking/firewalls, security policies/PAM.

Air Force Assoc. CyberCamp (Standard) UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH July 2022

- Learned and applied fundamental concepts of Windows and Ubuntu cybersecurity, including user management, file permissions, system monitoring.
- Team achieved **second place** in the final competition, the goal of which was to secure a Windows and Linux system.

High School Coding Bootcamp UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA Aug. 2020

- Learned about principles of web design – HTML, CSS, and JavaScript.
  - Applied skills learned by creating a website (in teams) which incorporated many aspects of web front-end development.
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## SKILLS

- Languages: Java, Python 3, HTML/CSS, R
- Technologies: Linux, Pandas, Figma
- Interested and knowledgeable about typography and graphic design