

INTERNSHIP SPOTLIGHT

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Graduation Semester & Year: Spring 2023

Semester & Year of Internship: Summer 2022

Major: Information Technology

Minor: Computer Science

Hometown: Bellaire, OH

Hobbies: Hiking, running, biking, cooking

Campus Activities: Information Technology Club Officer

Future Plans/Career Goals: To work as a software developer or cyber security specialist

- **Internship (company/your title):**
McKula Inc./Software Developer Intern
- **How did you find your internship?**
Information Technology Club
- **What were your duties?**
Worked on a database and helped design a website
- **How many hours per week were you at your internship site?**
24 hours weekly
- **What did you enjoy most about your internship?**
Learning about databases and back end development
- **What was the most difficult aspect of the internship?**
Front end development
- **How did your experience at UPG and in the Information Technology Department prepare you for your internship?**
My previous Java Programming class helped me with a lot of the programming I did
- **How has your internship prepared you for a career?**
It showed me what it was like to work with a professional development team and develop the skills needed to work on development projects.
- **What recommendations do you have for other students about doing an internship?**
Definitely find something that you are interested in because it is very rewarding to learn the skills while you're in college before graduating. It will help your resume and better prepare you for your future job.

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